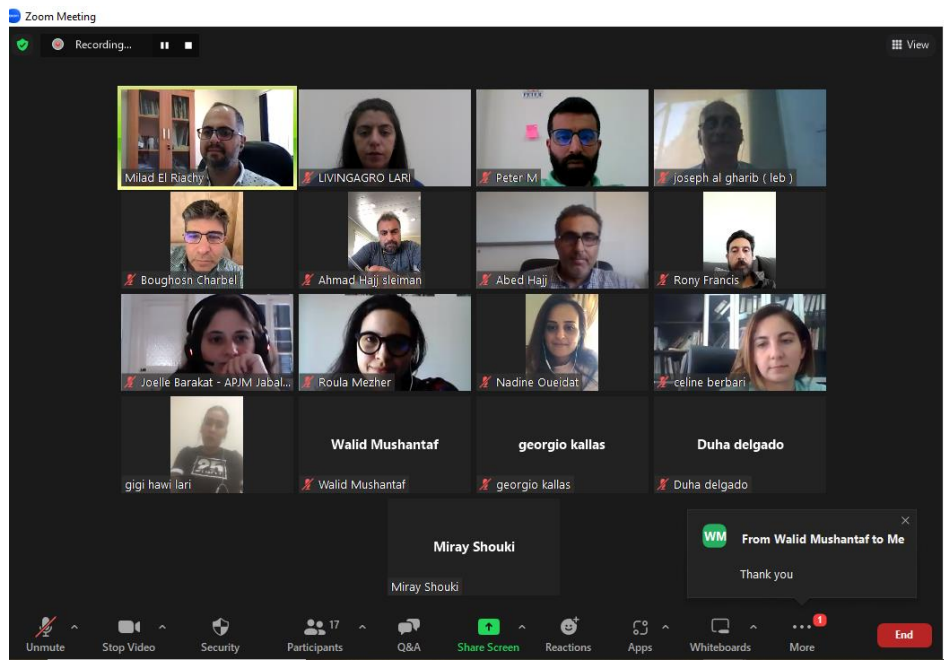




## Workshop on “The LIVINGAGRO Living Labs for Mediterranean agroforestry and the dedicated ICT platform”

### Activity 2.7.1



### **ACTIVITY COORDINATED BY THE LEBANESE AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE (LARI)**

Within the LIVINGAGRO project activities (Activity 2.7.1), the Lebanese Agricultural Research Institute (LARI) organized on the 31<sup>th</sup> of May 2023 an online participative workshop entitled: “The LIVINGAGRO Living Labs for Mediterranean agroforestry and the dedicated ICT platform”. The objectives of the workshop were to spread the knowledge about the two Living Laboratories LLs (LL1: Olive multifunctional system; LL2: Grazed woodlands) and about Agroforestry (main challenges, threats and opportunities, community building strategies etc.); to call to access to the ICT platform of the project (How to register, how to explore the different sections and functionalities, how to access the free online courses, etc.); and, to ensure the involvement of relevant stakeholders by signing an agreement by those interested in the project (public, private, people partnership or 4 Ps).

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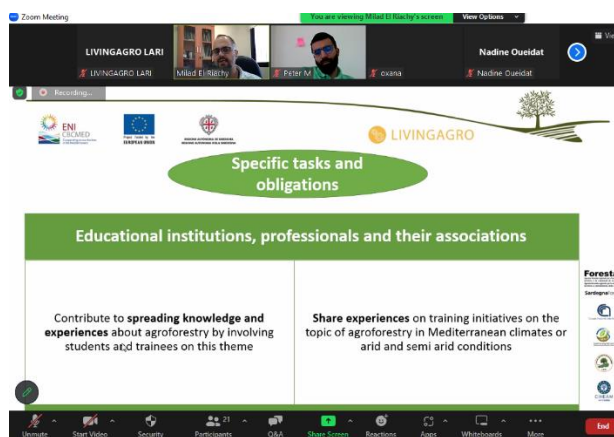
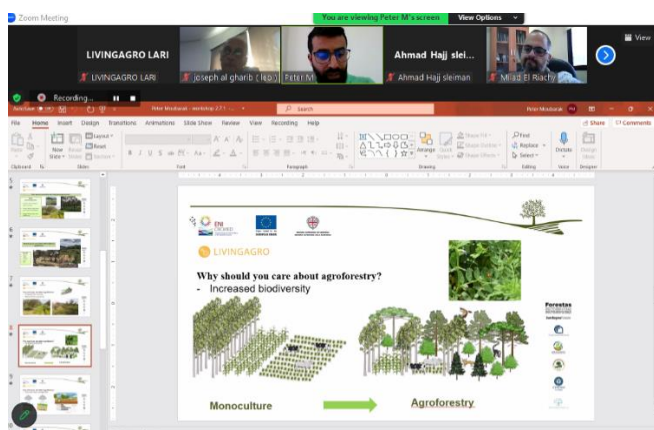


The workshop was conducted by the LIVINGAGRO project team at LARI. The workshop started with Dr. Milad El Riachy who introduced the LIVINGAGRO project and the concept of the living laboratories. Then Dr. Peter Moubarak focused on the knowledge of Agroforestry (main challenges, threats and opportunities, community-building strategies etc.). Afterwards, Eng. Myriam Geha explained for the participants about the different sections and functionalities of the LIVINGAGRO ICT platform. Subsequently, Dr. El Riachy presented the public, private, people partnership (4Ps) agreements including the different parties involved, the objectives of the cooperation, the tasks and obligations of each party). Finally, an open active discussion took place between the attendees and LIVINGAGRO team.

A total of 22 participants including farmers, mill owners, entrepreneurs, researchers, agricultural engineers, students from several Lebanese universities, private companies and other relevant stakeholders attended this workshop.

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