#01- June 2019 **NEWSLETTER iFishIENCi**



Intelligent Fish feeding through Integration of Enabling technologies and Circular principles

Welcome to the first newsletter of the iFishIENCI, EU funded Horizon 2020 programme. We aim towards making genuine improvements to aquaculture management and practices. With 16 partners from 8 countries, our goal is to provide new intelligent feeding technologies to support sustainable growth for the European aquaculture industry. The monitoring of fish behaviour, health, physiology and welfare is essential in aquaculture. Sustainable aquaculture depends upon our ability to efficiently produce healthy fish.



Maria-José Amaral, Research Programme Officer from the European Commission, gave a key note speech at the iFisHIENCi kick-off meeting in Malta.

Maria-José emphasized the importance of new innovations to the sustainability of the aquaculture sector. A key priority of the European Commission is the development of efficient and resilient aquaculture practices, which conserve natural resources and help mitigate to climate change. Maria-José added that iFishIENCi's innovations should contribute to the improvement of consumer awareness and should support the implementation and development of EU and International policies.



"iFishIENCi will provide a competitive advantage and growth stimulation for the European aquaculture industry needed to improve global efficiency of fish production and meet the demands of society for food from marine and freshwater environments."



Lars Ebbesson iFishIENCi Scientific and Technical Manager

"iFishIENCi will provide several enabling technology products to the market, improving production control and management for all fish aquaculture systems. It will maximise feed utilisation and provide continuous monitoring of fish behavior health and welfare."



iFishIENCi breeding and feeding experiments on african catfish

iFishIENCi partner, University of Szent Istvan has started their breeding and feeding experiments on African catfish in Hungary. For that, a thousand fish have been measured and two hundred have been chosen for further analysis. <u>Read more</u>

Bergen meeting

The iFishIENCi team joined forces in Bergen to organise iFishIENCi's technology pre-trials. <u>Read more</u>





More than 30 congress participants raise their interest in iFishIENCi!

A presentation of the iFisHIENCi project received enthusiastic feedback at the XVII Spanish Aquaculture Congress in Cartagena, Spain, for its focus upon feed ingredients sourced from valorized waste as ingredients for fish feed. <u>Read more</u>



Kick off meeting

The project was opened on the 1st of November, followed by a kick-off meeting and a workshop in Malta. <u>Read more</u>



iFishIENCi project introduction video

Maximising feed utilisation through smart feeding and breakthrough innovations supporting sustainable aquaculture with iFishIENCi

Meet us at

<u>AGRIAQUA'19 (</u>Aarhus, Denmark) 17-21 June 2019 <u>AquaNor 2019</u> (Trondheim, Norway) 20-23 Aug 2019 <u>Aquaculture Europe 19</u> (Berlin, Germany) 7-10 October 2019





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