Online training ‘Valuing Water’
15, 16, 21, 22 February 2022

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Trainer: Prof. Dr. Ali Karnib

15 February 2022 [10:00 – 12:00 Arabia Standard Time]

Welcome (10:00 – 10:30)
+ Ms Anna Paolini, Director of UNESCO Doha Office
+ Dr Abdulaziz Almagushi, Deputy Director-General for Media and Cultural Affairs, Sultan bin Abdulaziz Al-Saud Foundation of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
+ Prof. Waleed Al-Zubari, WSTA Chairperson, Scientific Committee
+ Mr Engin Koncagul (Senior Programme Officer, UNESCO World Water Assessment Programme)

Session 1: Introduction to Valuing Water (10:30 – 12:00)
+ The state of water resources (WWDR2021 Prologue)
+ Valuing water: Perspectives, challenges and opportunities (WWDR2021 Chapter 1)
+ Quiz and Group discussion

16 February 2022 [13:00 – 15:00 Arabia Standard Time]

Session 2: Economic valuation of the source / Valuation of hydraulic infrastructure / Valuing WASH in human settlements
+ Economic valuation of the source (WWDR2021 Chapter 2)
+ Valuation of hydraulic infrastructure (WWDR2021 Chapter 3)
+ Valuing WASH services in human settlements (WWDR2021 Chapter 4)
+ Quiz and Group discussion

21 February 2022 [13:00 – 15:00 Arabia Standard Time]

Session 3: Food and agriculture / Energy, industry and business
+ Food and agriculture (WWDR2021 Chapter 5)
+ Energy, industry and business (WWDR2021 Chapter 6)
+ Culture and the values of water (WWDR2021 Chapter 7)
+ Quiz and Group discussion

22 February 2022 [13:00 – 15:00 Arabia Standard Time]

Session 4: Financing and funding water services / Knowledge, research and capacity development
+ Enabling multi-value approaches in water governance (WWDR2021 Chapter 9)
+ Financing and funding water services: Challenges and opportunities for valuing water (WWDR2021 Chapter 10)
+ Knowledge, research and capacity development as enabling conditions (WWDR2021 Chapter 11)
+ Conclusions (WWDR2021 Conclusions)
+ Quiz and Group discussion

End of training