

WP3 THEMATIC WORKING GROUPS



TWG7 : BIODIVERSITY CONSERVATION AND RESTORATION

Focus on monitoring and promoting the ORs' unique biodiversity



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Ambition : monitor biodiversity change in ORs and identify its main drivers to fuel more effective conservation measures based on sound science

IMPLEMENTATION OF RELEVANT TOOLS

- 1 **Use ORs as “living-labs”** to investigate ecological and evolutionary mechanisms responsible for shaping island biotas
- 2 **Provide Biodiversity knowledge and new opportunities for innovation** increasing EU funded projects
- 3 **Promote the excellence in science** and its public interest developing communication tools



INCREASE ORs INTEGRATION INTO THE EUROPEAN RESEARCH AREA

- 1 **Monitor and value the ORs biodiversity**
- 2 **Protect/restore biodiversity and natural resources management with the help of webinars**
- 3 **Capacity building by implementing communication tools**
- 4 **Promote/organize open days to raise awareness of ORs uniqueness and value**



PERSPECTIVE OF LONG TERM COOPERATION



- Identification of **in-place long-term monitoring programs**
- **Submit joint proposals** under the calls for the EU Horizon Europe
- **Build close interactions** with others TWGs (TWG1; TWG5; TWG6; TWG8)
- Selection of efficient and effective **biodiversity indicators**