Power of a deep *breath*!

Sharing experience on modelling work

Understanding development scenarios

Building partnerships for further research
High interest groups

Pro-Action Café

Towards Innovative Solutions through Integrative Water Futures Analysis
Why?

• build partnerships on boosting modelling and scenario building in the region
• commit on specific (research) collaboration and work packages:
  – for the next calendar year
  – for a future broader undertaking
What is a pro-action café?

- space for creative and action oriented conversation.
- participants help a “caller” or “project owner” to develop the ideas.
- participants engage in the exercise and contribute to the implementation of the action under discussion.
- people move between “café tables”, cross-pollinate ideas, and offer each other new insights.
As people share insights between tables, the “magic in the middle” and a sense of the whole become more accessible.
CAFÉ ETIQUETTE
FOCUS on what matters!

CONTRIBUTE your thinking and experience

LISTEN to understand
CONNECT ideas

LISTEN TOGETHER for patterns, insights, and deeper questions

Debates
Group work phase: Moving in three rounds

Round 1:
What is the quest behind the call /question/ project? This helps to deepen the need and purpose of the call. Digging under the surface of what we know already.

Round 2:
What is missing? What could make the project more complete and possible?

Round 3:
What are we (project owners) learning about our project? What next steps will we take? What help do we need to make the project happen?

Reporting back in plenary after lunch
Time for the project callers to make their pitch!

- Join your interest group for round 1
- Start work
- We will help to move into round 2 etc.