

## IYS(19)01\_EU – Germany

### *Report on Actions and Activities to Deliver the International Year of the Salmon (IYS) Initiative, July 2018 to June 2019*

The primary purpose of this IYS reporting template is for Parties / jurisdictions to provide:

- brief details of actions, activities (events and projects) being planned or undertaken as a contribution to the IYS;
- identify which of the five IYS themes these actions and activities are delivering on;
- identify whether actions, activities (events and projects) being planned will be delivering outreach and communication,
- identify the target audiences the actions and activities intend to reach;
- specify the timeframe for undertaking the actions and activities.

This information will then enable the North Atlantic Steering Committee (NASC) to report to the NASCO Council and IYS partners in the Pacific about activities and actions planned and occurring in the Atlantic region as part of the IYS. It is our intention that the template is easy to complete with a brief description (maximum 200 words) of the action or activity, followed by marking the appropriate tick boxes. To give an example of what is being sought, the first row of the table has been completed with an illustration. Events and projects that have been registered on the IYS website are included here, in addition to any actions from the 2018 reports that fall into the time period of July 2018 to June 2019. In the 2018 meeting of the NASCO Council the Parties agreed that reports on IYS activities and actions should be provided by the jurisdictions in 2019 and in 2020. Please complete this form and return it to the Secretariat **by 12 April 2019**.

For your reference the IYS themes appearing in the table are detailed further below:

**Theme 1: *Status of Salmon*:** to understand the present status of salmon and their environments

**Theme 2: *Salmon in a changing salmosphere*:** to understand and quantify the effects of natural environmental variability and anthropogenic factors affecting salmon distribution and abundance and to make projections of their future changes

**Theme 3: *New Frontiers*:** to develop new technologies and analytical methods to advance salmon science and to explore the uncharted regions of the salmosphere.

**Theme 4: *Human Dimension*:** to improve the resilience of people and salmon through the connection and collaboration of salmon-dependent communities, indigenous peoples, youth, harvesters and resource managers across the salmosphere.

**Theme 5: *Information Systems*:** to develop an integrated archive of accessible electronic data collected during the IYS and tools to support future research.

**Additionally:**

**Outreach and communication:** improving public and political awareness of; salmon's cultural, social, and economic importance; and the challenges salmon face from major environmental changes and human impacts.

Party / jurisdiction:		EU – Germany			
Short description of the action	IYS Theme	Target audience	Time line		
			Start Date	End Date	
<p><b>German Ministerial Launch of the International Year of the Salmon</b></p> <p>At the salmon counting station at the Sieg-Wehr in Buisdorf Germany.</p>	<p><b>Theme 1: <i>Status of Salmon</i></b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Theme 2: <i>Salmon in a changing salmosphere</i></b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Theme 3: <i>New Frontiers</i></b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Theme 4: <i>Human Dimension</i></b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Theme 5: <i>Information Systems</i></b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Outreach and Communications</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Decision makers <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Public <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Children/Youth <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Knowledgeable public <input type="checkbox"/></p>	12/10/2018	12/10/2018	
<p><b>Annual Meeting of the International Commission for the Protection of the Rhine</b></p> <p>Koblenz, Germany</p> <p><b>Objective:</b> In 2019, the annual meeting of the ICPR fish experts about the reintroduction of migratory fish in the Rhine catchment will stand in the light of the International Year of the Salmon. Experts from the countries in the Rhine catchment will share data and experiences on the state of reintroduction of Atlantic Salmon in the Rhine and its tributaries.</p> <p><b>Responsible body:</b> The International Commission for the Protection of the Rhine</p>	<p><b>Theme 1: <i>Status of Salmon</i></b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Theme 2: <i>Salmon in a changing salmosphere</i></b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Theme 3: <i>New Frontiers</i></b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Theme 4: <i>Human Dimension</i></b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Theme 5: <i>Information Systems</i></b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Outreach and Communications</b> <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Decision makers <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Public <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Children/Youth <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Knowledgeable public <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	22/01/2019	22/01/2019	
<p><b>Salmo Albis</b></p> <p>Bad Schandau, Germany</p> <p><b>Objective:</b> The event aims to inform the public about the status of the reintroduction of Atlantic salmon into the River Elbe and its tributaries and links various activities relating to the International Year of the Salmon. The successes of reintroduction in the countries along the River Elbe will be</p>	<p><b>Theme 1: <i>Status of Salmon</i></b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Theme 2: <i>Salmon in a changing salmosphere</i></b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Theme 3: <i>New Frontiers</i></b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Theme 4: <i>Human Dimension</i></b> <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Decision makers <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Public <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Children/Youth <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Knowledgeable public <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	04/06/2019	05/06/2019	

<p>presented and problems in recent years will be analysed. The event will be the "Kick-off" for the program "Salmo albis" of all countries on River Elbe, which will replace the previous program "Elbelachs 2000".</p> <p><b>Responsible body:</b> Saxon State Agency for Environment, Agriculture and Geology</p>	<p><b>Theme 5: Information Systems</b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Outreach and Communications</b> <input type="checkbox"/></p>			
<p><b>Launch of the Brochure "Fish of the Year - Atlantic Salmon"</b> Berlin, Germany</p> <p><b>Objective:</b> The Atlantic salmon was named as Fish of the Year 2019 in Germany. The German Anglers Association (DAFV), the German Federal Agency for Nature Conservation (BfN) and the Association of German Sport Divers (VDST) are calling attention to the urgent need to restore rivers for the protection, conservation and successful reintroduction of salmon by selecting this critically endangered fish species in Germany.</p> <p>In order to give the public a profound insight into the fascinating world of salmon, the German Anglers Association has published a brochure entitled "Fish of the Year - Atlantic Salmon". The brochure will be presented to the public on 8 May 2019 at a special event in Berlin.</p> <p><b>Responsible body:</b> German Anglers Association (DAFV)</p>	<p><b>Theme 1: Status of Salmon</b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Theme 2: Salmon in a changing salmosphere</b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Theme 3: New Frontiers</b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Theme 4: Human Dimension</b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Theme 5: Information Systems</b> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><b>Outreach and Communications</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Decision makers <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Public <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Children/Youth <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Knowledgeable public <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	08/05/2019	08/05/2019