# HWCA Kick-off meeting 6 June 2023

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UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI BERGAMO

### The University of Bergamo (UB)

UB is a state university with more than 23,000 students enrolled on various degree programs: 15 undergraduate degrees, 25 graduate degrees, 6 PhD programs.

The 8 Departments and the 7 Research and Service Centers enjoy very close connections with the town, its institutions, and its cultural and economic environment. They are grouped in three campuses located in three different areas: Campus of Economics and Law (Bergamo), Campus of Humanities (Upper Bergamo) and Campus of Engineering (Dalmine).

The strengths of UB are the wide range of courses on offer (also through distance learning projects), excellent use of the numerous laboratories available, ambitious research centers, and the fact that it operates in one of the most dynamic areas in Italy, both from a cultural and an economic point of view



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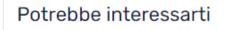
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JustWATER è il progetto di ricerca firmato dalla dott.ssa Francesca Greco per il quale l'Ateneo ha siglato il Grant Agreement relativo a un'azione Marie Skłodowska-Curie Postdoctoral Fellowships. Risultato nel 6% delle migliori proposte presentate, JustWATER ha ottenuto un finanziamento di 188.590 euro, incluso il supporto alla ricerca per quanto riguarda la formazione, la strumentazione tecnica e lo staff di supporto. Della durata di 24 mesi, la ricerca si rivolge a due tipologie di target. A livello nazionale fornirà elementi utili ai policy-makers italiani, mentre a livello internazionale produrrà una replicabilità del modello prodotto a vantaggio di diversi paesi che si apprestano a formulare le proprie politiche idriche includendo la componente di export-agro

alimentare nelle loro strategie idriche, secondo il modello Water-Energy-Food -Environment (WEFE).

Sotto la supervisione del **prof. Filippo Menga**, docente del Dipartimento di Lingue, Letterature e Culture Straniere già vincitore dello stesso finanziamento nel 2015 con un progetto all'University of Manchester, il progetto ha beneficiato di un duplice supporto da parte dell'Ateneo: dapprima attraverso un servizio di orientamento di tipo scientifico e



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## Team composition at



Department of Foreign Languages, Literatures and Cultures

- Filippo Menga (project lead Geography)
- Patrizia Anesa (English language)
- Elena Bougleux (Anthropology
- Larissa D'Angelo (English language)
- Ornella Discacciati (Slavic studies)
- Marica Fasolini (Slavic studies)
- Cinzia Spinzi (English language)

### Work package WP4 – Upgrading proficiency in English for faculty and students

Work Package Number	WP4	Lead Beneficiary	3. UB
Work Package Name	Upgrading proficiency in English for faculty and students		
Start Month	6	End Month	32

#### Objectives

English language training courses first for faculty and then for students who have successfully passed entry exams for courses on water governance and water diplomacy are organized. EU universities organize special courses on reading, writing and presentation skills on subjects covered by the updated or newly developed curricula. Subcontracting: study by a team of outstanding Central Asian experts on the quality of English language training and available capacity and needs (teaching staff, methodology, technical equipment, etc.) at the 12 partner HEIs

#### Description

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