

INTRODUCTION

The International Symposium on the management of sediments (I2SM) was organized for the first time in 2008 in Lille, France. Since then, it has established itself as an unmissable event bringing together researchers, industrialists, design offices and waterway managers around the transdisciplinary issues related to sediment management.

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After more than 17 years of success – France (2008), Morocco (2010), India (2012), Italy (2014), Canada (2016), Mexico (2018), Lille (2021) and Tangier (2024) – the next edition will be held in Hammamet, Tunisia, from June 9 to 11, 2026.

This edition is organized in partnership with the Arab University of Sciences (UAS) in Tunis, confirming the scientific and academic commitment from its engineering school ESJET - UAS in this field.

A scientific and cultural event

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THEMATICS

- * Environmental impacts: Risks, regulation and governance
- * Sediment-water interaction: Dredging, treatments, catalysis and sanitation.
- * Valorization and Life Cycle Analysis.
- * Characterization and monitoring of parameters (mechanical, environmental ...).
- * Operational decision support, multi-criteria and Artificial Intelligence.
- * Circular economy strategies for sustainable waste management.
- * Marine pollution and climate change.
- * Desert sediments and sand encroachment



CONFERENCE FEES

Participation	Outside Europe		international	
	before March 15	after March 15	before March 15	after March 15
Industrial	600 DND	700 TND	600 €	700 €
Researchers	500 DND	600 TND	400 €	500 €
Students	300 DND	400 TND	300 €	400 €
Gala Dinner	150 TND		50 €	

The selected papers will be published in one of the newspapers:

- 1 -Construction Journal
- 2 -Journal of Materials
- 3 -Building Materials Journal
- 4 -Sustainability journal
- 5 -Journal of applied sciences



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Deadline for paper submission **15 / 12 / 2025**

Notification of acceptance **16 / 02 / 2026**

Registration begins **01 / 11 / 2025**

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HAMMAMET - TUNISIA

Hammamet is a beautiful tourist city and a true magnet. It is renowned for its luxury hotels, restaurants, activities, and especially for its magnificent sandy beaches where it is pleasant to relax. Hammamet has become the tourist destination par excellence, thanks to its large seaside resort located in Yasmine Hammamet where a marina is located in the heart of the seaside resort. Its quays adorned with greenery offer a very pleasant stroll.

