



RADIO COMMISSION

FINAL RESOLUTION

Since the Conference of Malta, the Radio Commission has been working to consolidate its weekly products: *Kantara*, the news magazine gathering SNRT/Morocco, Radio Tunisienne/Tunisia, EPRS/Algeria, France Bleu RCFM/France, Radio Le Caire/Egypt and Radio Exterior de España/Spain. The team met on two occasions to strengthen the cooperation between the co-producers. The program keeps evolving and the Lebanese Radio will join the partnership. *Kantara* aims at evolving into a multimedia product and, consequently, at broadening its audience; an action plan including training activities for the producers of the programme will be soon adopted.

As for the Arabic version of the magazine, it is being finalized. The Algerian Radio and Monte Carlo Doualyia (France Médias Monde) will be the leaders of this product, while SNRT expressed its interest in the project.

Concerning *Mediterradio*, the weekly news magazine aired in Corsican and in Italian with Rai Sicily and Rai Sardinia looks at Tuscany as a further partner.

About *Musicamed*, a new version will be soon developed under the coordination of Marzia Puleo from Rai Sicily, who will propose the new format.

The new co-production on women portraits received the unanimous consensus of the participants, although the language problem needs still to be studied: a consultation will be made in the forthcoming time in order to confirm the partnership and to find out viable solutions for the linguistic diversity optimization.

Then, a proposal from a producer of France Culture was presented: starting from a family's genealogical history, it would be possible to demonstrate the great diversity of origins in the Mediterranean basin. This project met the attendants' favour; a proper fundraising action was envisaged for its development and will be examined in a future meeting.

An additional proposal coming from France Bleu Azur, the Radio France station of Côte d'Azur, was presented, consisting in a cooperation with RAI during the summer period for the dissemination of news and reportages in Italian.

Finally, the President has underlined the continuous evolution of the Radio Commission.

Through the partnership established with AVITEM, the *Villa Méditerranée* in Marseille has become a space of meetings, exchanges, and public debates of the Radio Commission. The meeting formula initiated in Bastia beforehand the Annual Conference of COPEAM will be extended in this unique venue. Thus, next Autumn, the Commission will implement in Marseille such a new format around the theme of the youth radios. Several episodes of *Kantara* and *Mediterradio* will be recorded on site, and a public debate will be organised on a topic to be still defined but certainly related to the young audiences.

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