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1. Introduction

The IAHR 8-Italy YPN was born in 2011 as Student Chapter 4-Italy, linking PhD students of four University in north Italy (Brescia, Milan, Padua and Trento). It developed into an IAHR Young Professional Network in 2014, by involving young researchers from private companies, as well. The, it enlarged to a total of eight Italian cities (Brescia, Firenze, Padua, Palermo, Parma, Trento, Trieste and Turin) and to 10 cities in 2018 (Bolzano and Naples). IAHR 10-Italy YPN members are researchers in fluids mechanics and river engineering, tackling different aspects: sediment transport, turbulence, river restoration, hydro energy, eco-hydraulics and others.

2. 2020 main goal and key objectives

The aim of the IAHR 10-Italy YPN is to create moments to foster closer links between young faculty members and researchers in academia and professionals in organizations and engineers in private companies.

Members take part to IAHR Congresses and other forums and organize group trips to symposia, workshops and congresses, in sharing knowledge and experiences in the field of hydroenvironment engineering and research.

The IAHR 10-Italy YPN is looking around to collaborate with neighbouring YPNs and to involve more and more young professionals from private companies.

3. Communications

Website	https://www.iahr.org/index/committe/37
Facebook	https://www.facebook.com/groups/471877 636270342
Twitter	
Instagram	
Linkedin	
Other	

4. Activities

Due to Covid situation and according to Italian rules to prevent infection, our YPN members could not keep on working at University. Additionally, lockdown did not allow members to meet in person. Virtual meetings were then organised to discuss the situation and how to proceed on working, especially for those members dealing with lab experiments.