

RIVERS meeting 26th February

9h30-10h: welcome and coffee

10h00 – 11h15: Presentation of the results from the team in Lille and discussion

- Concentration, identification and quantification of avian influenza viruses from waters, mud and aquatic animals (WP1)
- Other WPs

11h15-12h15: Teleconference with Institut Pasteur du Cambodge (P. Buchy)

- Current status of the work in Phnom Penh and discussion
 - o Concentration of virus in water using chicken red blood cells (WP1)
 - o Virus survival in experimental settings (WP3)
 - o Other WPs
- Exchange of strains
- Management issues

12h15-12h45: Presentation of the work of the guest team from Lyon

12h45-14h15 Lunch at Le Club

14h30-15h00: Current status of the work in Sofia and discussion

- Persistence of viable virus in farms surroundings (WP6)
- Other WPs

15h30-16h00: Current status of the work in Bucharest and discussion

- Impact of water treatments on virus survival (WP4)
- Other WPs

16h-16h30: Current status of the work in Paris and discussion

- Molecular basis of virus survival and virus strain 'bio-equivalence' (WP0)
- Impact of air conditions on virus survival (WP5)
- Other WPs

If present

16h30-17h00: Current status of the work in Montpellier and discussion

- Various WPs

17h00-17h30: work program 1 and 2 overall progress

- Confrontation of achievements and scheduled deliverables
- Determination of the schedule for the next 12 months
- Choice of dates and place for the mid-term general meeting

17h30-18h00: Miscellaneous and end of meeting