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WEFE4MED
Mediterranean Water, Energy, Food, Ecosystems Nexus Community of Practice

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IN THE MEDITERRANEAN AREA

The Mediterranean WEFE Nexus Community of Practice

Collaboration for advancing the adoption of Water-Energy-Food-Ecosystems Nexus solutions in the Mediterranean

Why the WEFE Nexus matters for the Mediterranean

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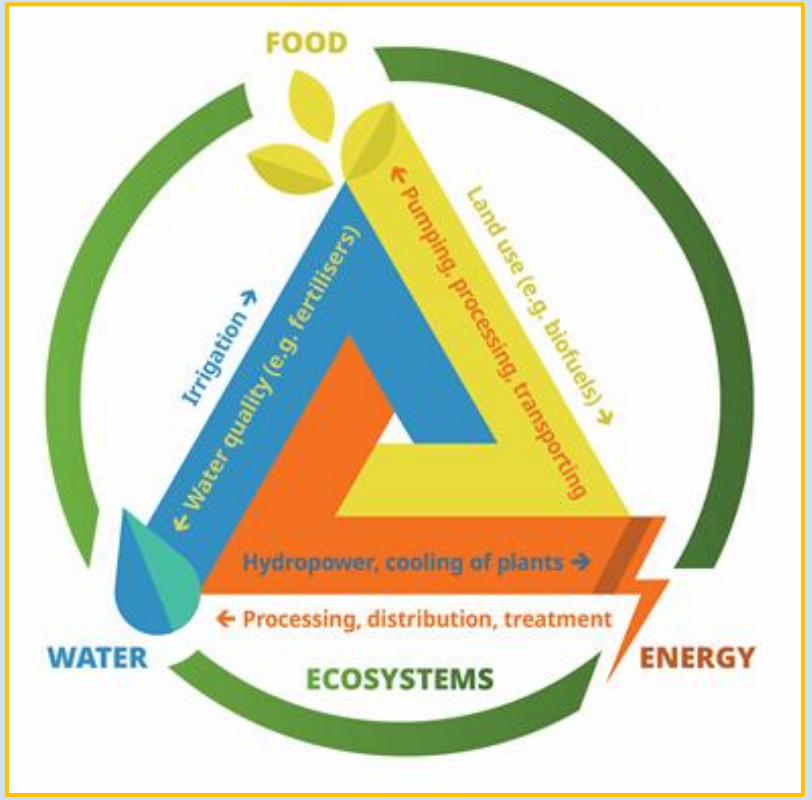
- The Mediterranean faces urgent challenges like **desertification**, **biodiversity loss**, **water scarcity** and **climate change**.

- To tackle these issues there is a need for a coordinated, integrated **Nexus approach**, where these sectors are managed together for more **sustainable solutions**.



The WEFE4MED Community of Practice
aims to foster the adoption of the Nexus approach in the Mediterranean

The WEFE4MED NCoP: A Hub for Learning and Action

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An active network of experts, practitioners & policymakers working on solutions to the WEFE Nexus challenges

Knowledge Sharing

Engages members in joint activities and shared learning

Learning and Growth

Supports development of shared collections of resources (experiences, case studies, tools and best practices)

Supportive Environment

Encouragement of improvement and innovation

Building a Strong and Diverse Community

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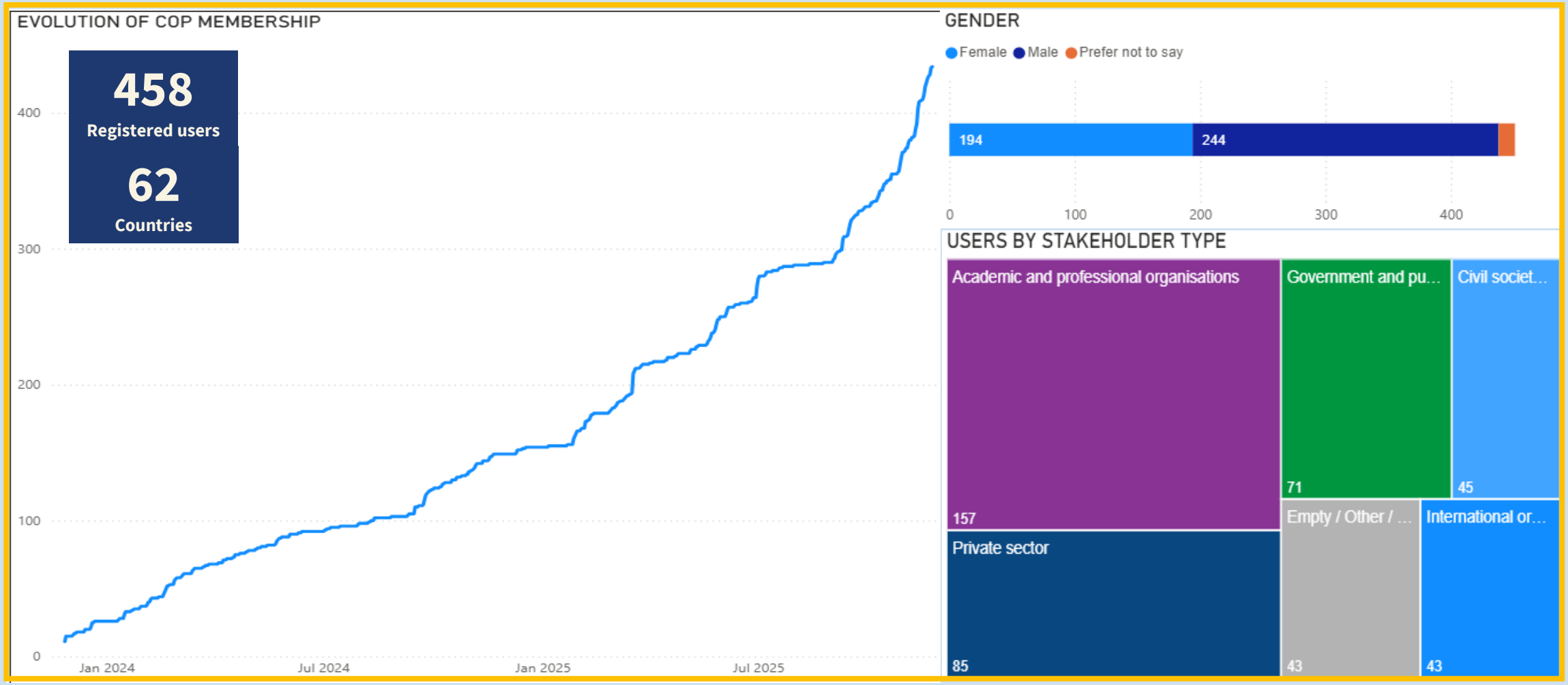
Membership tripled in a year, spanning 62 countries



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- Showcase **demos** and **best practices**.
- Update on **events** and **funding**.
- **Networking opportunities**.

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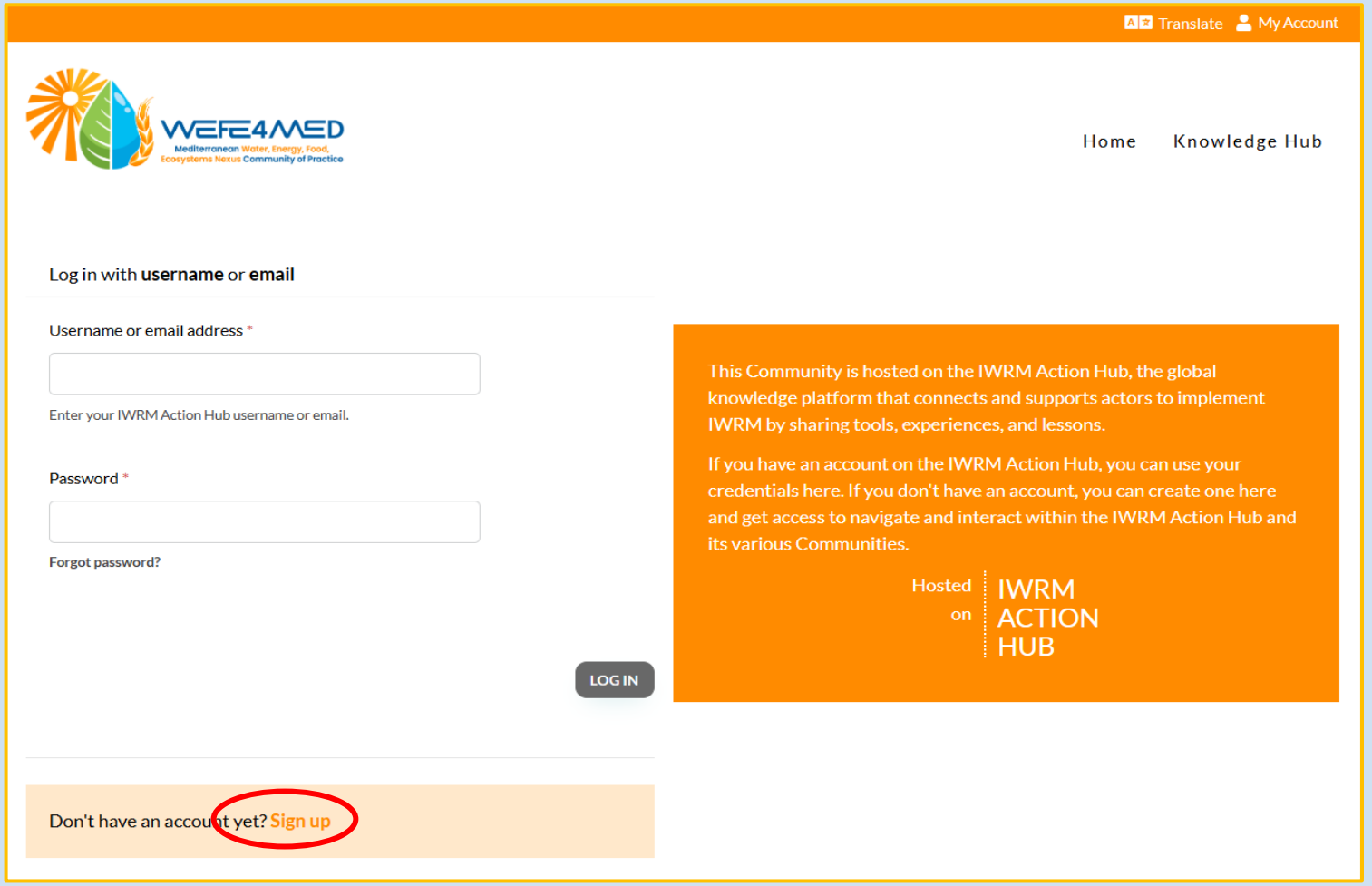

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Views in the time period

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Average engagement time

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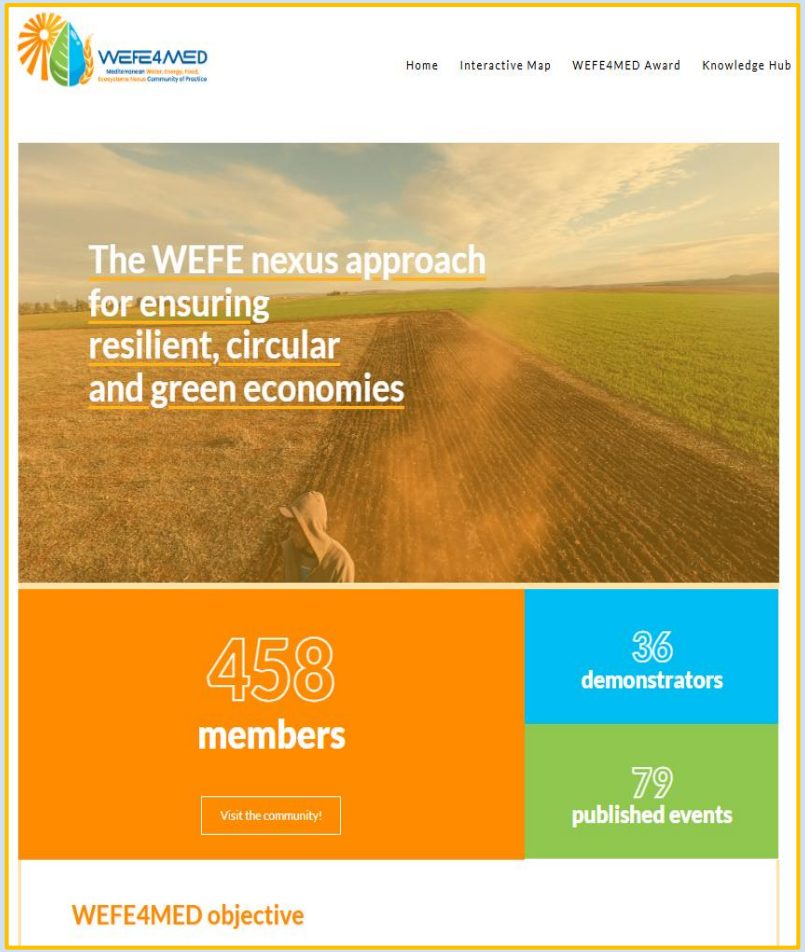

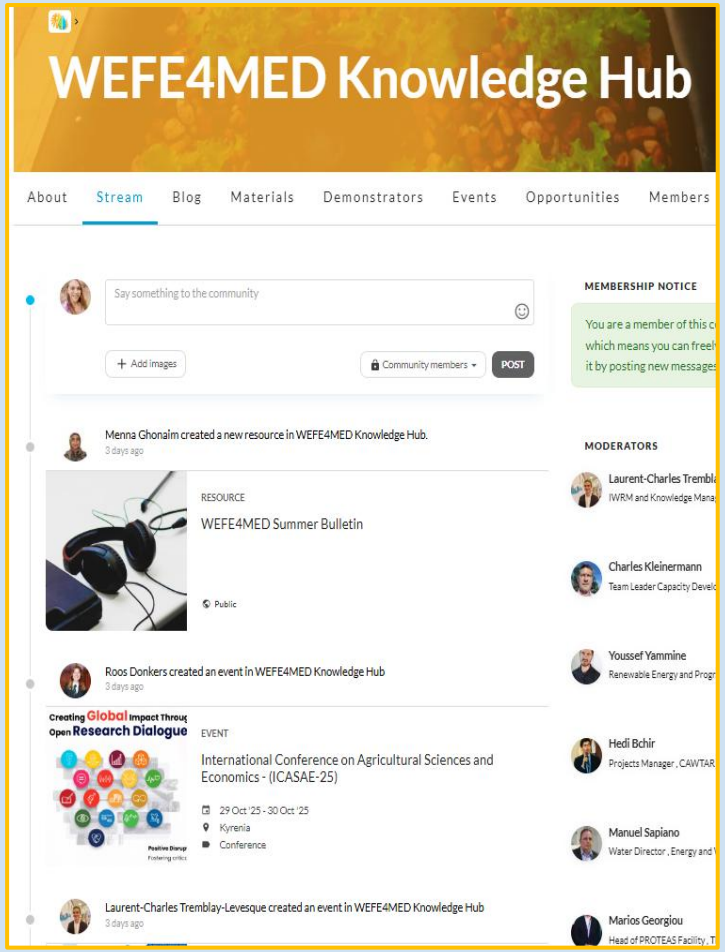

Demonstrators at the Core of the NCoP

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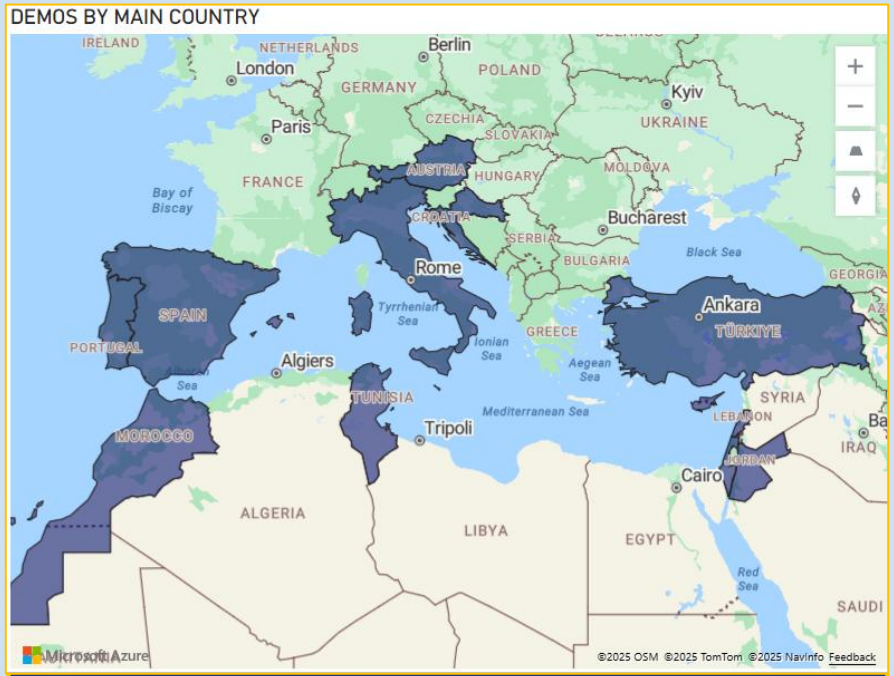
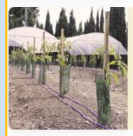
Demonstration cases showcasing real-world applications of WEFE approaches

- **Pilots and Case studies** from the **Mediterranean region**
- Share of **innovations**.
- Inspire **replication**.
- Help generate **best practices**.



FrontAg Nexus - Bodrum Municipality - Greenhouse Hydroponics Demonstrator — Turkey



BONEX Living Lab in La Axarquía, Algarrobo, Spain — Spain

Remote Sensing for Agricultural Water Demand — Malta

Chadwick Lakes Trail: Ecological Rehabilitation of Wied il-Qlejgħa — Malta

Valorization of Mediterranean Almond orchards through the use of intercropp... — Croatia +4

36 Published Demos

21 Countries

8.7K Views

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9.86 Views per active users

Interactive Map of Demos: A New Tool for the Community

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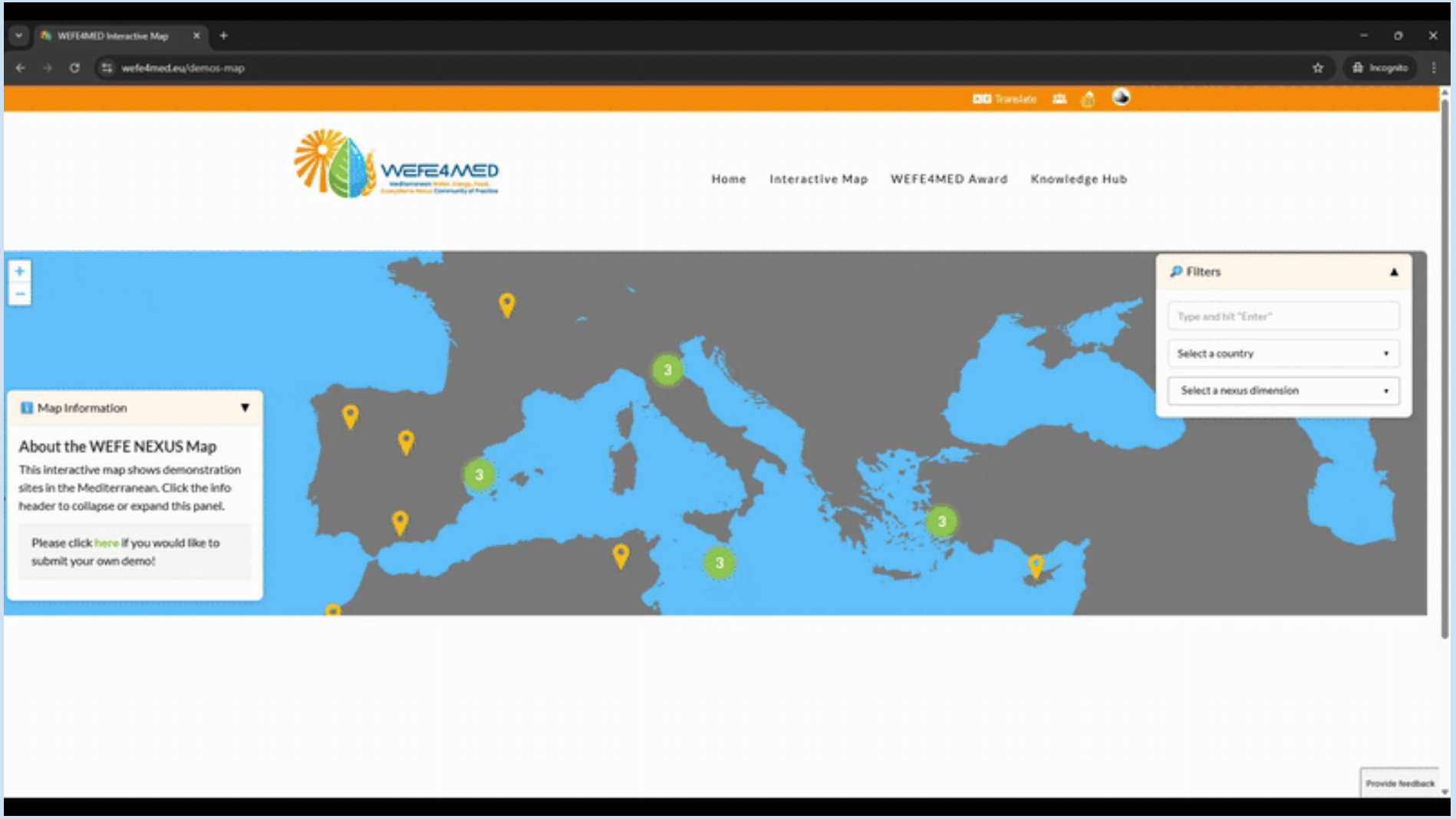

What the NCoP Offers

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Turning collaboration into tangible benefits for members

Why Join the Community – Benefits for Members

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Communication Channels

Knowledge Hub

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Monthly Highlights

https://wefe4med.eu/wefe/materials

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Social Media

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Current Opportunities

WEFE4MED Nexus Award

Twinning & Site Visits

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Opportunity for Hosts

Showcase your innovation, attract collaborators, and gain regional visibility.

Opportunity for Visitors

Learn from real-world solutions, network with experts, and bring home actionable insights.

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Internships

https://wefe4med.eu/wefe/opportunities

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Join Us in Advancing Nexus Solutions for a More Sustainable Mediterranean!

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