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**“Making a difference in invasion biology: improving links between research, policy and practice”**

Interested in invasion biology and the relationships between researchers, policy makers and practitioners? ParrotNet invites you to attend a two day Training School in Marseille

***When: Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> November 2016 – Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> November 2016***

***Where: Aix-Marseille University, Saint Charles Campus, 3 Place Victor Hugo, 13331 Marseille Cedex 03***

This training school, comprising two full days, aims to bring together researchers and practitioners who work on invasion biology, and the policy-makers, decision-makers and government agencies who are tasked with defining and implementing policy on invasive alien species (IAS). This training school will assess the challenges of science-policy in IAS, and consider a range of techniques for improving the decision making process. By working together, we aim to enable participants to generate greater impact from their research on how it relates to IAS policy and practice.