

Ocean Talks

Exhibition Stage Programme

Thursday, 5 October 2017	
9:20	Nemo's Garden: Underwater greenhouses for a sustainable world (Project Presentation) Sergio Gamberini, President, Ocean Reef Group
09:45	People and the Coast; Strategy to Reality; Methods & Meaning (Project Presentation) Sinead McCoy, Coastal Programme Manager, Environmental Education Unit, An Taisce, Republic of Ireland
10:15	Olrac Marine Observer: an interactive citizen science, marine data collection platform (Project Presentation). Dr Amos Barkai, CEO and Co-Founder, Olrac SPS
10:45	Vey Nou Lagon (Documentary Screening and Presentation) Zara Currimjee, Co-Producer, Vey Nou Lagon
11:30	Towards a System of Global Enforcement (Project Presentation) Peter Horn, Officer, Conservation Enforcement Analytics, Pew
12:15	Business Agora: Upcycling Plastics (Lunchtime Discussions)
13:45	Coastwatch: Citizen Science on the Ocean Edges (Project Presentation) Karin Dubsky, International Coordinator, Coastwatch
14:15	Aligning Capital Markets with Sustainable Fisheries Management: introducing the works of Fish Tracker (Project launch) Ben Metz, Project Lead, Fish Tracker
14:45	What's the GOSSIP: New approach to marine research providing a leap forward for ocean management (Project Presentation) Professor Alex Rogers, Nekton Science Director, University of Oxford; Paul Jardine, Executive Vice President and Chief Experience Officer, XL Catlin, CEO of Catlin Underwriting Agencies Ltd and Catlin Insurance Company Ltd; Oliver Steeds, Chief Executive, Nekton Oxford Deep Ocean Research Institute; Dr. Lucy Woodall, Nekton Principal Scientist, University of Oxford
15:15	Signature of Pacific-European Union Marine Partnership programme (Signature Session)
15:30	Special Pacific Event on the Pacific-European Union Marine Partnership programme (Programme Launch and Discussion) Neven Mimica, European Commissioner for International Cooperation and Development; Isabella Lövin, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for International Development Cooperation, Kingdom of Sweden; Yuhei Yamashita, Parliamentary Secretary Japan; Semi Koroilavesau, Minister for Fisheries and Forests, Republic of Fiji; Tetabo Nakara, Minister for Fisheries and Marine Resources Development, Republic of Kiribati; His Excellency Rimbink Pato, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Immigration, Independent State of Papua New Guinea; Dame Meg Taylor, Secretary-General, Pacific Islands Forum Secretariat; João Aguiar Machado, Director-General, Directorate-General for Maritime Affairs and Fisheries, European Commission



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9:15	BLASTIC – Plastic waste pathways in to the Baltic Sea (Project Presentation) Joakim Brodahl, Operations Manager, Keep Sweden Tidy and Ida Holmberg, Communicator, BLASTIC	
9:45	Sonic Sea – Impacts of Underwater Noise on Marine Mammals (Film Showcase) Sharon Livermore, Marine Conservation Programme Officer and Aurore Morin, Campaign Officer, International Fund for Animal Welfare	
10:30	Decarbonization and Emission reduction of Shipping (Project Presentation) Peter Müller-Baum, Managing Director, Verband Deutscher Maschinen- und Anlagenbau (VDMA)	
11:00	Observing, Forecasting and Analysing Oceans – The EU Copernicus Marine Service committed to sustainable oceans (Project Presentation) Pierre Bahurel, CEO, Mercator Ocean	
11:45	Juan Fernandez, Chile: The sea forever (Film Showcase and Presentation) His Excellency Heraldo Muñoz, Minister for Foreign Affairs, Republic of Chile; Dr. Enric Sala, National Geographic Explorer-in-Residence and Executive Director, Pristine Seas; Alex Muñoz, Pristine Seas Director, Latin America	
12:30	Business Agora: Why Invest in Sustainable Ocean Economy? (Lunchtime Discussions)	
13:45	Young Change-makers: From Inspiration to ACTION (Project Presentation) Melati Wijsen, Founder, Bye Bye Plastic Bags	
14:15	Our Ocean: Why do we need to observe it? (Showcase Presentation) Dr. Erik Buch, Chair, and Dina Eparkhina, Policy Officer, EuroGOOS	
15:00	Strawless Ocean (Project Presentation) Adrian Grenier, Founder, and Dune Ives, Executive Director, Lonely Whale Foundation	
15:30	Artificial Intelligence to Combat Fish Fraud and Promote Sustainability (Technological Demonstration) Yassine Santissi, Founder, Fish Scanner	
16:00	Showcasing Malta's submerged biological and cultural heritage – the Filfla Marine Protected Area (Documentary Screening and Presentation) Alan Deidun, Professor, University of Malta	