

# **EuroMarine Funding, Training and Networking Opportunities**

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# Agenda

- 1. Background Info
- 2. Funding Opportunities
- 3. Training Opportunities
- 4. Networking Opportunities



Background Info



# EuroMarine - a bottom-up approach to promote integrated and multidisciplinary methods to address global challenges in the marine environment



2004

✓ Three FP6 Networks of Excellence and their follow-up structures: EUR-OCEANS, Marine Genomics Europe, and MarBEF

2011

✓ New network designed by FP7 preparatory project

2014

✓ Launch of the EuroMarine network as a self-financed organisation with 42 members from 19 Countries

2019

✓ Launch of the EuroMarine Association, as a non-profit legal entity based in France

2023

✓ Preparing for our 10 years' anniversary, 58 members from 22 countries











# **About EuroMarine Network**

#### Who we are

EuroMarine is a **member-based, interdisciplinary, collaborative network** of European **marine research organisations and institutes**.

#### **Our members**

EuroMarine currently have 49 Full Members and 8 Invited Members from 22 countries.

#### **Our Mission**

To support the identification and initial development of important emerging scientific topics or issues and associated methodologies in marine sciences, as well as to foster new services relevant to the marine scientific community.

#### What we do

As an interdisciplinary, international, collaborative network, EuroMarine plays a crucial role in creating and facilitating funding, training, networking and other opportunities for researchers and organisations working in marine research.



### **EuroMarine Members**



#### **Full Members**

#### **Belgium**













#### **Denmark**







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University of Southern Denmark







#### **France**













#### Germany









#### Ireland



































#### **Portugal**



















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## **Invited Members**







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#### The EuroMarine Team





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## **OYSTER WG**



Created in 2018, OYSTER is dedicated to promoting and supporting opportunities for Early Career Researchers (ECRs) in marine science.















## **PEARL WG**

The PEARL WG will comprise of early retired marine researchers. The founding members of the Group are: Eugene Murphy, Alessandro Crise, Maurizio Ribera d'Alcala' and Philippe Cury.











#### **EuroMarine Research Priorities**





#### OCEAN FRONTIERS FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

CONTRIBUTING TO THE UNITED
NATIONS SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT
GOALS & THE UNITED NATIONS DECADE
OF OCEAN SCIENCE INITIATIVES

SUSTAINABLE GOALS

#### FRONTIERS IN OCEAN RESEARCH

The Ocean is the cradle of life and the central component making our planet habitable. Being the largest ecosystem supporting life on Earth, it is paramount we maintain and restore its health in a global context. Thus, the Ocean needs to be present on every agenda for the sustainable development of the world's population, societies and economies. This manifesto advocates for the increased understanding, protection and management of the Ocean to support the health and wellbeing of present and future generations.





## **MANAGE OCEAN COMPLEXITY**



## **SECURE COASTAL AREAS**



## **TARGET OCEAN AND HUMAN HEALTH**



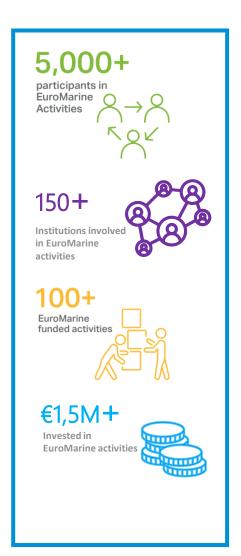
## **PROTECT OCEAN COMMONS**

**EuroMarine Ocean Frontiers Manifesto** 



## **Snapshot of EuroMarine Funding and Activities (2014-2022)**







EuroMarine Foresight Workshops (68)



EuroMarine Working Groups (12)



EuroMarine Individual Fellowship Programme (122)



EuroMarine Long-Term Scientific Working Groups (2)



EuroMarine Summer Schools (2)



EuroMarine Events (12)



EuroMarine Capacity Building and Training (2)



EuroMarine Grants for ECRs collaborative research projects (1)



EuroMarine Contributions Conferences & Training (17)



# Outcomes of EuroMarine Activities (2014-2022)

## **EuroMarine activity publications**

30+ papers, 1 book, 2 chapters, 1 Declaration,1 Manifesto, 2 Special Issues



successful European project proposals

# Contributing to the EU Mission Restore our Oceans and Waters & UN Ocean Decade





EuroMarine supports the engagement of the marine scientific community as a quadruple helix stakeholder (Work Package 6).

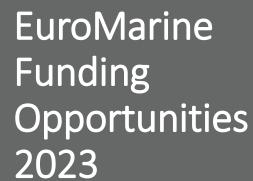
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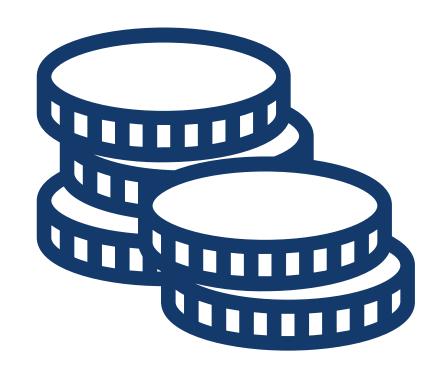
Signatory of the Mission Restore our Oceans and Waters Charter



2021 United Nations Decade2030 of Ocean Sciencefor Sustainable Development







3 OPEN CALLS

**Foresight Workshops** 

**Individual Fellowship Programme** 

**Research Cooperation Grants for ECRs** 

# **EuroMarine Foresight Workshops**



Call Opens: 23rd of March 2023

**Deadline for applications: 30th June 2023** 

**Maximum funding: €7,500** 

Number of Workshops to be funded: 4

More information:

https://euromarinenetwork.eu/opportunities/euromarine-foresight-workshops/



- ✓ Fully **bottom-up** funding
- ✓ Stimulate & support innovative thinking
- ✓ Mobilise international and interdisciplinary scientific teams
- ✓ Promote the research on emerging topics in marine science that are not currently funded by mainstream mechanisms
- ✓ Support **networking** among researchers from different organisations and countries

# **ANFORE: A Foresight Workshop**

The marine animal forests of the world: challenges, frontiers and the role of science in its management and conservation (ANFORE)

2018







Sergio Rossi - Lorenzo Bramanti Editors
Perspectives
on the Marine
Animal Forests
of the World

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**MAF WORLD** 

13 videos about the Marine Animal Forest (1-3 minutes each)

2021





2023



Marine forest coastal restoration: an underwater gardening socio-ecological plan (Horizon Europe)



# **EuroMarine Individual Fellowship Programme**



Call Opens: 3<sup>rd</sup> of May 2023

**Deadline for applications: 30th of June 2023** 

Maximum funding: €600

Number of fellowships to be granted: 20

**More information:** 

https://euromarinenetwork.eu/opportunities/euromarine-fellowships/

- ✓ PhD students or individuals who hold a post-doctorate position within 5 years of their PhD belonging to a EuroMarine Member Organisation
- ✓ Eligible activities include training courses and workshops (including EuroMarine Foresight Workshops)



# OYSTER Research Cooperation Grants for EuroMarine Early Career Researchers





Call Opens: 1<sup>st</sup> of September 2023

Deadline for applications: 31st of October 2023

**Maximum funding: €7,500** 

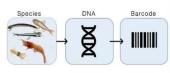
Number of projects to be granted: 2

**More information:** 

https://euromarinenetwork.eu/pilot-call/



Supported by a ECR Research
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Pavanee Annasawmy (expert in
micronekton, active acoustics
and trawl surveys) and
Guillaume Chandelier (top
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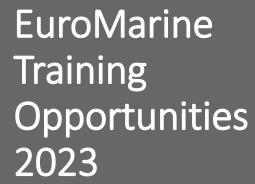


- ✓ Early Career Researchers from EuroMarine Full Member Organisations
- ✓ Original and collaborative research project
- ✓ Led by at least 2 EuroMarine ECRs from 2 different countries
- ✓ Cover travel and subsistence costs and consumables



Learn more about the project funded in 2022:

https://euromarinenetwork.eu/activities
/ecr-microneckton/







# **EUROMARINE-UCA-SEA EU International Marine Science Seminar Series (3-14 July at 11.30 CEST)**





# EU INTERNATIONAL MARINE SCIENCE SEMINAR SERIES

Monday 3 July. Pip Moore (Newcastle University, UK).

The ecological and socio-economic impacts of marine heatwaves.

**VEEK 1** 

Tuesday 4 July. Sam Dupont (University of Gothenburg, Sweden).

What do we (really) need to address ocean acidification? From science to action.

Thursday 6 July. Giuseppe Suaria (CNR-ISMAR, Lerici, Italy).

Global occurrence, abundance and distribution of macro and microplastic pollution in oceanic environments.

Friday 7 July. Miguel A. Mateo (CEAB-CSIC, Blanes, Spain).

The palaeoecological approach based on the seagrass sedimentary record.

Monday 10 July. Patrizio Mariani (Technical University of Denmark DTU).

Applied underwater technologies: automation and robotics for ocean observations.

EEK 2

Tuesday 11 July. Ignacio Gestoso (INMAR, Univ. Cádiz, Spain).

Marine biological invasions: mechanisms, impacts, and management.

Thursday 13 July. Antonio Tovar (ICMAN-CSIC, Cádiz, Spain).

Environmental impact of sunscreens: Using new technology for sustainable tourism.

Friday 14 July. Mark Costello. (Nord University, Norway).

Global ocean biogeography: Latitude, depth, climate change, 20oC Effect.



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#### **Past Capacity Building initiatives**





# EuroMarine's Marie Skłodowska-Curie Action Postdoctoral Fellowship MSCA Master Class

Shape your research and stand out of the crowd!



1st June 10:00-13:15 CET

Registration deadline: 30th May

Learn all you need to know for the MSCA- PF Call of 2023. Gain insights from experts, previous sucessful candidates and learn how the Fellowship can impact you future career in research! EuroMarine Networking Opportunities 2023





# **EuroMarine MSCA Matchmaking Platform**





# Find Your Perfect Match! Connect with Potential Marie Curie Fellowship applicants through EuroMarine

# How to meet your match?

Step 1 Make sure you meet the eligibility criteria.

**Step 2** Complete the registration form by 31st of July.

Step 3 Your profile will be part of our online database and you will be able to search for potential supervisors or candidates.

#### More information:

https://euromarinenetwork.eu/opport unities/capacity-building-and-training/

# Join the EuroMarine Long-Term Scientific Working Groups!





#### **MBON Europe: Marine Biodiversity Monitoring for Europe**

The Marine Biodiversity Observation Network for Europe (MBON Europe) will spearhead coordination of active monitoring of marine biodiversity by organisations in Europe.

**Collect information** on what monitoring is being done and how, discuss how to harmonise methods, facilitate data publication, synthesise the current situation, and develop a strategy for improved coordination.



# TransOceans: EuroMarine Outlook on Transoceanic, Transversal and Transformative International Ocean Programmes

The TransOcean Working Group will explore how the marine scientific community can engage towards attaining the sustainable development goals (SDGs), especially in the frame of the Decade of Ocean Science for Sustainable Development and the EU Mission Restore our Oceans and Waters by 2030. The group will hence provide specific recommendations to the EuroMarine network.

# **Become an OYSTER Member!**





OYSTER is an independent working group funded by the EuroMarine network. OYSTER is dedicated to promoting and supporting opportunities for Early Career Researchers (ECRs) in marine science.

#### **OYSTER Aims:**

- Engage with and represent ECRs within the EuroMarine network.
- Provide skills development, networking opportunities, and professional support for ECRs.
- Develop initiatives to support and integrate ECRs within European marine research.
- Contribute towards capacity building for ECRs across EuroMarine member organisations.

For more information: euromarinenetwork.eu



# **Become an OYSTER Member!**



OYSTER opens a call every November/December to find new members to join the Early Career Researchers Working Group

As an ECR you can benefit from:

- ✓ Individual Fellowship Programme
- ✓ ECR Cooperation Project
- ✓ Mentorship Programme
- ✓ Early Career Resources

For more information: <u>euromarinenetwork.eu</u>



# Learn more and stay updated!

#### EURO MARINE EURO PEAN MARINE RESEARCH NETWORK

#### Watch our video



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