

2024 OCEAN DECADE CONFERENCE

DELIVERING THE SCIENCE WE NEED FOR THE OCEAN WE WANT 10-12 APRIL 2024 BARCELONA, SPAIN

As part of the Ocean Decade Week (8-12 April 2024)

Contact: go2ne-secretariat@unesco.org

Satellite event:

New approaches to combat eutrophication and hypoxia

17:00-20:00, Tuesday, 9 April 2024, Tech Barcelona - Pier 07

The ocean is deoxygenating at an alarming rate, primarily due to global warming caused by anthropogenic greenhouse gas emissions, and pollution by nutrients and organic wastes particularly in coastal waters.

This joint event presents new approaches to combat hypoxia and eutrophication through the GEF-8 Clean and Healthy Ocean Integrated Program (CHO-IP) and facilitates connections for co-designed action.

Following the event, attendees and speakers can exchange views over refreshments.

Registration is required to attend.

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Opening

Vidar Helgesen, Executive Secretary, Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission of UNESCO

Setting the scene

Marilaure Grégoire, University of Liège Denise Breitburg, Smithsonian Environmental Research Center Lorenzo Galbiati, Food and Agriculture Organization of the UN

Panel: Multi-stakeholder involvement to curb hypoxia and eutrophication

Moderator: Kirsten Isensee, Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission of UNESCO

Andrew Hume, Global Environment Facility
Ivonne Montes Torres, Instituto Geofísico del Perú
Melody Ovenden, Asian Development Bank
Aileen Tan Shau Hwai, Universiti Sains Malaysia
Dimitris Faloutsos, Global Water Partnership

Moderated Q&A and open discussion

Final remarks

Andrew Hume, Global Environment Facility Henrik Enevoldsen, Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission of UNESCO

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