



Connecting generations for ocean and climate action

Online workshop in [COP28 Virtual Ocean Pavilion](#)

Friday, December 8, 2023, 10:00-11:30 (CET)

This event is scheduled on COP28 of the UNFCCC thematic day: Youth, Children, Education and Skills.

The purpose of this workshop is to draw young people and senior professionals together to identify and prioritise key challenges relating to the ocean and climate change in diverse geographical regions of the world, generate and prioritise individual and collective actions and concrete solutions that can be taken up by individuals of all ages either on their own or as a community. These key challenges and concrete action solutions will be assembled in a digital networking tool that will help to build an ocean virtual community of practice in response to different thematic challenges that ocean and climate topic is part of. The digital tool will be relevant throughout the world and free of charge and will be presented at the United Nations Ocean Conference scheduled in June 2025 in France.

0:00 – 0:05 **Welcome**

0:05 – 0:15 **Citizen mobilisation: why is it important for everyone to take action for the ocean, and especially to act together? The example of the Ocean Citizen Passport**

Dr Ram Boojh, [Mobius Foundation](#)

0:15 – 0:25 What are the main impacts of climate change on the ocean and how can we communicate effectively about the complex ocean-climate nexus and the latest scientific research to the general public?

Sarah Palazot, [Ocean Climate Platform](#)

0:25 – 0:30 Q&A

0:30 – 0:45 What are the key challenges and problems relating to the Ocean and Climate Change in your geographical zone?

Brainstorming session with the use of the *Miro Board*

0:45 – 0:55 The power of the crowd and the youth to drive change for the ocean, climate and our future - the example of Nautilus, a citizen science campaign and smartphone application.

Gabriele Pieri, [Institute of Information Science and Technologies – Italian National Research Council](#)

0:55 – 1:05 Art as a disruptive way to raise awareness on the Ocean and climate change – the example of [Venice Climate Change Pavilion](#).

Letizia Artioli, Youth4Ocean Forum

1:05 – 1:10 Q&A

1:10 – 1:25– What are the individual and collective actions to help solve or mitigate the ocean-climate challenges, problems or impacts?

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1:25 - 1:30 Closing & final survey

Survey/form to retrieve: Name, Surname, Organisation, country, email, Answers to questions:

1. Which digital tool will you use to join an ocean-climate community of practice most probably?
2. What will prompt you to use the mobile app daily?
3. What feature or functionality will you expect to find in the app?
4. What will you try to achieve with the mobile app?

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