

CONFERENCE ON EXPLORING AND UTILIZING THE RESOURCES OF THE SEA

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

Programme

09:00 - 10:30 OPENING

Introduction by Portuguese and Norwegian authorities
State Secretary Manuel Pinto de Abreu
Ambassador of Norway to Portugal Ove Torsheim

PORTUGAL'S PLANS FOR EXPLORING AND UTILIZING THE CONTINENTAL SHELF

Nuno Lourenço, Task-Group Maritime Affairs of Portugal

NORWAY'S ORGANIZATION OF ITS MARINE/MARITIME SECTOR ACCORDING TO THE CLUSTER MODEL

Katrine Rese Shadidi, The Research Council of Norway
NORWEGIAN STRATEGIC PRIORITIES IN MARINE
BIOTECHNOLOGY

Ernst Kloosterman, Biotech North
A CLUSTER ON BLUE BIOTECHNOLOGY

10:30 - 11:00 COFFEE

11:00 - 13:00 EXPLORING THE CONTINENTAL SHELF

PANEL: MARINE EXPLORATION AND SURVEYING (1 hour)

Moderator: Paulo Neves Coelho, Task-Group Maritime
Affairs of Portugal

Luís Menezes Pinheiro, University of Aveiro
MINERAL AND ENERGY RESOURCES FROM THE
PORTUGUESE CONTINENTAL SHELF

Olav Rune Godø, The Institute of Marine Research
RESEARCH BASED TECHNOLOGY ADVANCEMENTS
FOR SUSTAINABLE EXPLOITATION OF THE MARINE
ENVIRONMENT AND ITS RESOURCES

Børge Holte, Mareano
SEA-FLOOR HABITAT- AND BIODIVERSITY MAPPING
IN NORWEGIAN OFF-SHORE AREAS -
- THE MAREANO-PROJECT

EXTRACTION AND OF MARINE RESOURCES (1 hour)

Kjersti Gabrielsen, Marbank
MARINE RECOURSES IN THE HIGH NORTH;
LEGAL ISSUES

Inge Nilsen, NOFIMA
EXPLOITATION OF MARINE REST MATERIALS

13:00 - 15:00 LUNCH

15:00 - 17:00 ADVANCING WITH BLUE BIOTECHNOLOGY AND BIOPROSPECTING

PANEL: RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT OF BLUE BIOTECHNOLOGY (1 hour)

Moderator: João Coimbra, Director of Oceano XXI,
Director of CIIMAR

INTERDISCIPLINARY CENTRE FOR MARINE AND ENVIRONMENTAL RESEARCH

Raul Bettencourt, The Department of Oceanography
and fisheries at the University of The Azores
EXPLORING THE BIOTECHNOLOGICAL POTENTIAL
OF DEEP-SEA ORGANISMS IN THE AZORES REGION

Helena Vieira, Bioalvo
REDISCOVERY OF THE SEA BY THE PORTUGUESE:
THE BIOTECH VALUE OF THE PORTUGUESE
CONTINENTAL SHELF

Trina Galloway, SINTEF Department for fisheries and
aquaculture
MICRO- AND MACRO-ALGAE AS SOURCES OF
VALUABLE COMPOUNDS

APPLICATION AND COMMERCIALIZATION OF BLUE BIOTECHNOLOGY (1 hour)

Rui Amandi Sousa, STEMMATERS Biotechnologia e
Medicina Regenerativa Lda.
EXPLOITING THE BIOTECHNOLOGY POTENTIAL OF
MARINE RESOURCES

Trond Jørgensen, Mabcent
BIOPROSPECTING IN THE ARCTIC; SCREENING FOR
BIOACTIVE COMPOUNDS IN COLD ADAPTED
ORGANISMS

17:00 - 17:30 CONCLUSION