OceanTeacher Global Academy Training Course

Course information

Duration
4 weeks (40 hours)

Venue
Regional Training Center for Latin America.
Santa Marta, Colombia.

Trainers
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Period for Applications
18th June – 08th July 2021

To apply
Please fill the **online application** form: https://bit.ly/2SIWOOB

More information
https://oceanexpert.org/event/3106

No tuition fee applies.

Contact
Further information contact the OTGA Training Coordinator: ioc.training@unesco.org

Useful sites:
- www.oceanteacher.org
- www.oceanexpert.net
- www.obis.org
- www.ioc-cd.org
- www.iode.org

OBIS marine biodiversity data publication and management
(The Ocean Biodiversity Information System - OBIS).
02 – 31 August 2021

Build foundational knowledge of marine biodiversity data through OBIS to introduce data standards and formats for publication (IPT), processing, accessing, analyzing, and visualization.

Learning Outcomes

Understand structured marine biodiversity marine data and increase knowledge of international standards and best practices related to observational, monitoring, species, diversity, genetic and marine data.

Expand the network of regular OBIS data providers by making the flow of data to the responsible node manager as seamless as possible, allowing the best quality data to enter OBIS.

Target Audience

- Data providers: Marine data managers, NODC or ADU/OBIS staff working with marine biodiversity data, National Focal Points for Marine Biodiversity, etc.

- Researchers from marine biodiversity expeditions and the scientific community working with marine biodiversity data

Note: UNESCO is committed to promote equal access principles. Applications from minority or underrepresented groups are strongly encouraged.

Course Pre-requisites

Applicants are expected to:

- Candidates should have marine biodiversity data sets to work with during practical exercises.

- Have an interest or new responsibilities in working with marine data and/or information.

- Have a working knowledge of Spanish and English.

A Certificate of Participation will be issued to all participants (minimum 80% attendance).

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