



SIDE EVENT AGENDA

Foster Blue Citizen, Promote Blue Partnership, Take Action for a Healthy Ocean

April 16th 2024 12:00 – 12:50 (Greece Time)

Book Castle, National Library of Greece building, Stavros Niarchos Foundation Cultural Center

Lead:

- **Third Institute of Oceanography, Ministry of Natural Resources, the People's Republic of China (TIO-MNR, PRC)**
- **Society of Entrepreneurs and Ecology Foundation (SEE Foundation)**

Co-organizers:

- **Friends of Ocean Action (FOA), World Economic Forum**
- **Ant Forest Foundation**
- **Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation (HSBC)**
- **The International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN)**
- **David and Lucile Packard Foundation (Packard Foundation)**



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This side event aims to gather representatives from governments, research institutions, international organizations, nonprofit organizations, and private sectors to come together and discuss how we can foster blue citizens, establish blue partnerships, enhance the marine community's ability to adapt climate change, support the achievement of the 30x30 targets, and collectively contribute to the sustainable development of our oceans.





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| Time (from-to) | Session Flow |
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| 12:00-12:15 | <p style="text-align: center;">Opening Remarks</p> <p>Moderator: Mr. Alfredo Giron, Head, Ocean Action Agenda, World Economic Forum</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● H.E. Mr. SUN Shuxian, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Natural Resources, PRC / Head of China’s State Oceanic Administration ● H.E. Mr. Peter Thomson, UN Secretary General’s Special Envoy for the Ocean |
| 12:15-12:50 | <p style="text-align: center;">Main Topic Discussion: Foster Blue Citizen, Promote Blue Partnership, Take Action for a Healthy Ocean</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Mr. LIU Zhenghua, Researcher, TIO-MNR, PRC / Chief Scientist, APEC Marine Sustainable Development Center ● Ms. Minna Epps, Head of Ocean, IUCN ● Ms. Meg Caldwell, Interim Vice President, Packard Foundation ● Ms. Marine DE BAZELAIRE, Group Natural Capital Advisor, HSBC ● Mr. YANG Biao, Secretary General, SEE Foundation |