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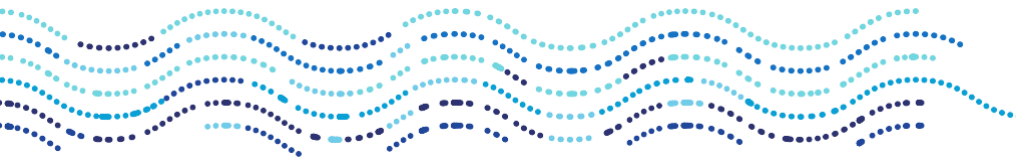


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## Award categories

- Entrepreneurship & innovation
- Atlantic Marine and coastal environment
- Accessibility and connectivity
- Sustainability
- International cooperation

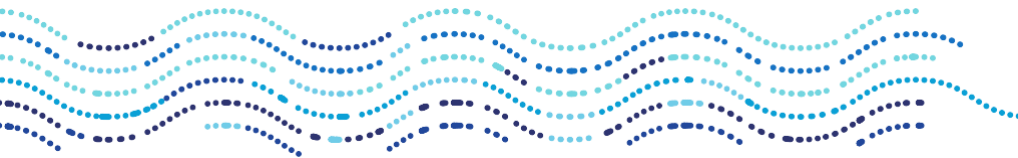




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**Award Category:  
Entrepreneurship & innovation**



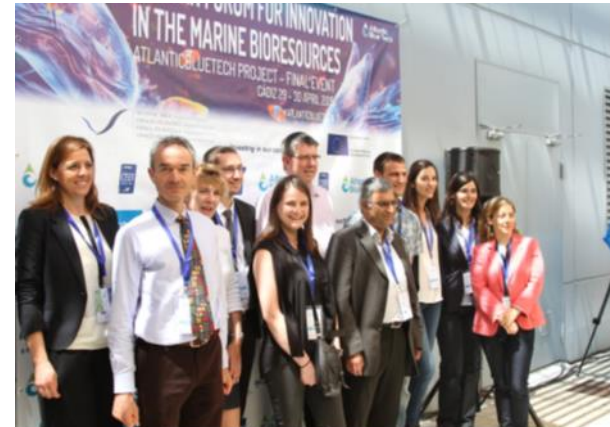
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- **Partners:** **France:** Technopôle Brest Iroise (Brest Science park), Brest métropole; **Portugal:** Forum Oceano, University of Algarve; **Spain:** CEEI Bahia de Cadiz; **UK:** Plymouth Marine Laboratory; **Ireland:** West Business and Innovation Center, National University of Ireland, Galway.
- **Budget:** 1,186 mil Euro; **EC Contribution 0.771 mil Euro**
- **Background**

Contribution to the development of the marine bio-resources sector at the Atlantic level gathering economic and innovation development agencies, local authorities and scientific organisations.
- **Achievements**

Study targeted at 70 businesses from the Atlantic area to identify their vision on the barriers and drivers to the development of their growth  
Promotional video of the blue biotech sector  
1 directory of jobs, skills and trainings within the blue biotech industry  
3 workshops including one during the 1st Stakeholder platform conference in Porto  
1 final conference with 100+ people organized in Cadiz  
1 study on the interactions between the blue biotech sector and other sectors of the blue economy (tourism, energy, ICT)
- **Duration:** 18 months

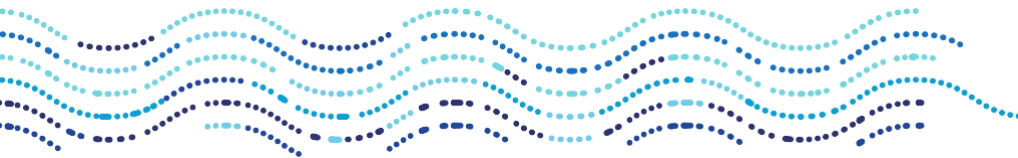




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**Award Category:  
Atlantic Marine and coastal environment**



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## Platform for improving maritime coastal pollution preparedness and response in Atlantic regions

- **Partners:** CETMAR, INTECMAR, UVigo, Consejería de Justicia e Interior, Consejería de Medio Ambiente y Ordenación del Territorio, UCA, IST, CIIMAR, National Maritime College of Ireland, Public Health England, CEFAS, Consellería do Mar, EIGSI, CPMR-AAC, Marine Institute, Pembrokeshire County Council
- **Budget:** 1,443 M Euro, **EC Contribution:** 0,938 M Euro

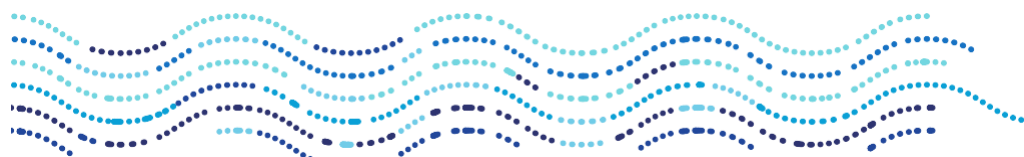
- **Background**

Aims to improve maritime safety, reinforce the protection of coastal regions from maritime pollution and set up a sustainable Platform for cooperation on oil and chemical spill preparedness and response.

- **Achievements**

Improved preparedness and response capabilities and implemented contingency plans in 6 local authorities and 7 protected areas; Produced 3 Decision Support Tools on maritime spill management; Organised 7 Training Sessions and 4 multi-agency exercises; Set up the ARCOPOL Platform.

- **Duration:** 21 months (2014 – 2015)

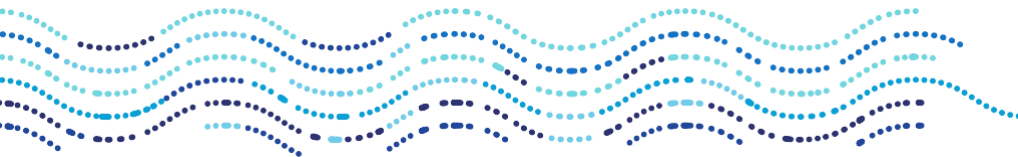




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## Award Category: Accessibility and connectivity





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## Better Accessible Transport To Encourage Robust Intermodal Enterprise

- **Partners:** **UK:** Action Renewables, South West College, Pure Energy Centre, European Automotive Strategy Network, Oxford Brookes University ; **Ireland:** Udaras Reigiunach An Lar Dheiscirt (South West Regional Authority), ESB ; **Portugal:** Inteli - Inteligencia em Inovacao - Centro de Inovacao, Comunidade Intermunicipal do Oeste; **France:** Esigelec; **Spain:** Centro Nacional de Energias Renovables – CENER, Denokinn - Centro Vasco de Innovacion, Emprendizaje y Desarrollo de Nuevos Negocios, Fundacion Asturiana de La Energia (FAEN)
- **Budget:** 3,4 mil Euro, **EC Contribution:** 2,233 mil Euro
- **Background**

EU Atlantic Area project that promotes connectivity in transport and reducing CO2 emissions; It is designed to help local and regional government, and the overall community make the shift from carbon intensive fuel to greener more sustainable forms of fuel
- **Achievements**

**EGOMAP** is the first, and only web based journey planning tool for drivers of electric vehicles. Fully functional in the 7 regions of the Atlantic Area that can easily and with low cost be replicated in any region. ([www.egomap.eu](http://www.egomap.eu).)
- **Duration:** 36 months (2012 – 2015)

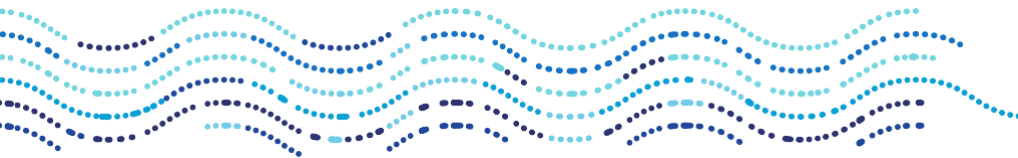




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## Award Category: Sustainability



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- **Partners:** **Spain:** SODERCAN, FUAC-Foundation University of La Coruña, FAEN-Asturias Energy Agency, EVE-Basque Government Energy Agency, CIEMAT-Spanish Environmental Energy Research Centre; **Ireland:** Galway County Council, CIT - Cork Institute of Technology; **France:** Bretagne Innovation, Regional Council of Basse Normandie CPMR-Atlantic Arc Commission, Pole des Eco-Industries de Poitou Charantes, Societe Publique Regionale des Pays de La Loire, Regional Council of Aquitaine; **Portugal:** Wave Energy Centre, INEGI; **UK:** SEGEC-Scottish European Green Energy Centre and Plymouth University.

- **Budget:** 2,923 mil Euro; **EC Contribution** 1,900 mil Euro

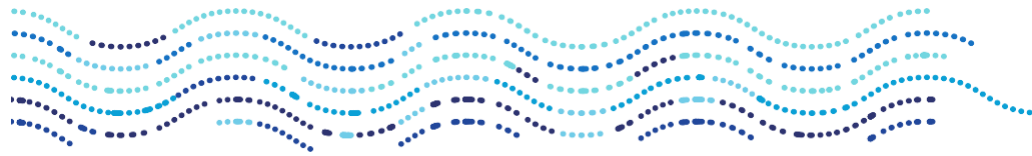
- **Background**

Building a transnational marine energy strategy in the Atlantic Area creating an adequate political and social environment for the marine energies.

- **Achievements**

Benchmarking Study on RME/ Setting up of a Regional Working Group  
 Establishment of an effective framework for cooperation amongst Marine Renewable energies' clusters and Regional Governments: Marine energy Cluster in the Atlantic Area

- **Duration:** 2 years (2012 – 2014)

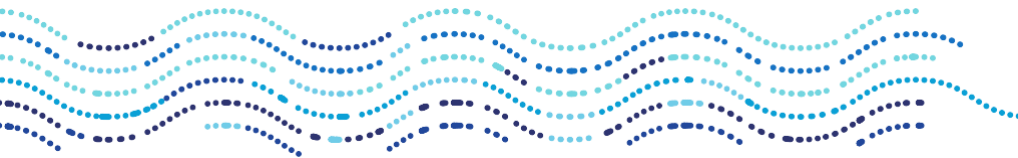




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**Award Category:  
International cooperation**



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- **Partners:** MI, ICES, PLOCAN, RANNÍS, Ciência Viva, IMR, Ifremer, DFO Canada, NOAA USA, MCTI Brazil, WOC
- **Budget:** 4,235 mil Euro, **EC Contribution:** 3,447 mil Euro

## • Background

Supporting the implementation of the Galway Statement on an Atlantic Ocean Research Alliance; Improving the international cooperation framework of marine research programmes thus creating the basis for the development of future large-scale joint international marine research programmes; Establishing a long term knowledge sharing platform for easy access to available information and data holding significant commercial potential relevant to the EU Blue Growth Agenda.

## • Achievements

On-going **support** for Trilateral Atlantic Ocean Research Alliance

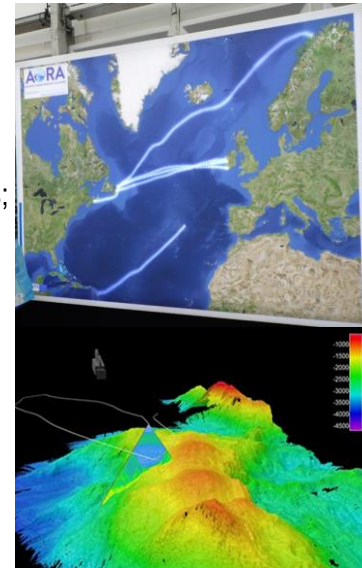
Roadmap identifying Joint Research Priorities to Develop **EU, CA & USA** sustainable aquaculture industry

Principles of **Ocean Literacy** from N. America transferred to EU and more work planned on Public Engagement

5 **trans-Atlantic** transects mapped in multibeam high resolution

First steps **toward a Vision document** for trans-Atlantic Cooperation on Ocean Health & Stressors

- **Duration:** 5 years (2015 – 2020)



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