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MEDIN Open Meeting 24th April 2024

DRAFT AGENDA

The next 5 years in marine data and how you can help

10:00-16:30

HYBRID at The Crown Estate, 1 St James's Market, St. James's, London SW1Y 4AH and online using Microsoft Teams

Register here: <https://noc-events.co.uk/medin-next-5-years-marine-data-and-how-you-can-help>

09:30-10:00 Arrivals and networking

10:00 Chair's welcome and logistics

10:10 *Dr Clare Postlethwaite, Marine Environmental Data and Information Network (MEDIN)*
"Introduction to MEDIN, the hub for UK marine data"

10:20 Keynote: *Dr Pier Luigi Buttigieg, Alfred Wegener Institute, Helmholtz Centre for Polar and Marine Research.*

"Insights into the ocean's emerging digital ecosystem: the new arena for science and sustainable development"

10:45 *Harriet Baldwin, The Crown Estate*

11:00 COFFEE BREAK

11:25 *Jens Rasmussen, Marine Directorate of the Scottish Government*

11:40 *Liam Matear, Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (Defra)*

"FAIR Play: Unlocking the potential of marine data"

11:55 *Aoibheann Rooney, Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs of Northern Ireland (DAERA-NI)*

12:10 *Graeme Duncan, Joint Nature Conservation Committee (JNCC)*

12:25 – 13:30 LUNCH

13:30 Flash talks + panel sessions

14:30 COFFEE BREAK

15:00 Discussion session

1. What are our ambitious, but currently unfunded, marine data management priorities and what collaboration opportunities exist to pursue these?

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2. How can MEDIN empower the marine community to improve marine data management?

16:15 Chairs closing remarks

16:30 End of meeting