



UN Ocean Conference Side-Event

Addressing Marine Pollution in the Atlantic Ocean: The role of interregional cooperation and EU leverages

Date: 28 June 2022

Hour: 13.15 to 14.45 (Local hour)

Venue: [Tivoli Oriente Hotel](#) - Lisbon

Working language: English

Practical Information: No UNOC accreditation needed.
A lunch will be provided all along the meeting

Agenda

Tuesday 28 June 2022

13.00-13.15	Arrival of participants
13.15-13.20	Introduction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - António Cunha, President of Norte Region, Portugal, Chair of the CPMR Atlantic Arc Commission Working Group on Ocean Pollution
13.20-13.30	Interregional cooperation addressing Marine Litter in the Atlantic <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - António Cunha, President of Norte Region: Presentation of the Atlantic Arc Regions' Pledge to fight Ocean Pollution - Marisa Fernández, Coordinator for Control and Management of the Environment and Marine Resources, CETMAR and Pedro Sepulveda, Head of Climate Action and Sustainability Unit - Region of Madeira: <i>CleanAtlantic, a transnational project to address marine litter in the Atlantic</i>
13.30-14.20	Round table with Panellists <p><i>Moderation: Élise Wattrelot, Executive Secretary of the Atlantic Arc Commission</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Philippe Monbet, Director of Pole Mer Bretagne Atlantique and Pillar Coordinator for the Atlantic Strategy Pillar IV "Healthy Ocean and Resilient Coast" - MEP Manuel Pizarro, Member of the European Parliament

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Andreea Strachinescu, Head of Unit “Maritime Innovation, Marine Knowledge and Investment - DG MARE - European Commission - Dominic Pattinson, Executive Secretary of the OSPAR Commission
14.20-14.40	Q&A session with participants
14.40-14.45	Conclusions - António Cunha , President of Norte Region
14.45: NETWORKING LUNCH organised by CleanAtlantic project	