

# OCEAN VOICES



**What does the ocean have to tell us? And how can these ocean “voices” help us to chart the path to the future we want?**

This one-day event will seek to answer these questions. This special gathering, being convened by the CBD Secretariat, with financial support from the Government of the Republic of Korea and the Government of Sweden, will provide a forum for the voices of the ocean.

**CORAL REEFS | MANGROVES AND SEAGRASS | DEEP-SEA ECOSYSTEMS | OCEAN PEOPLES | FISH | MARINE MAMMALS AND OTHER MIGRATORY SPECIES**

Each of these has its own unique voice that often goes unheard.

Stakeholders and partners from across the globe will be invited to bring these voices to COP 14. They will use innovative means (e.g., inspirational story-telling, dialogues, film, poetry, performance, music, visual art) to tell these stories.

**Come and be a part of this conversation.**





# PROGRAMME

10 am - 11 am

*Overture*

11 am - 12 pm

**Voices of coral reefs**

12 pm - 1 pm

**Voices from the deep sea**

1 pm - 2 pm

*Interlude*

2 pm - 3 pm

**Voices of marine mammals/migratory species**

3 pm - 4 pm

**Voices of fish**

4 pm - 5 pm

**Voices of mangroves/seagrass**

5 pm - 6 pm

**Voices of ocean peoples**

6 pm - 7 pm

*Finale:*

**Amplifying Ocean Voices for the Post-2020  
Global Biodiversity Framework**