

Venue

Centre for Fine Arts, Rue Ravenstein 23, 1000 Brussels

Date:

June 6th 2018

Prof. Mário Ruivo Commemorative Event Final Agenda

- 08:30 - 09:00 Registration
- 09:00 - 09:05 Opening of the event by Slawomir Sagan, EurOcean's President and Vice-Director of the Institute of Oceanology of the Polish Academy of Sciences (IOPAN)

Prof. Mário Ruivo – who was he and what did he do?

Moderated by Niall McDonough, Marine Institute, Ireland

- 09:05 - 09:20 Manuel Heitor, Portuguese Minister for Science, Technology and Higher Education
- 09:20 - 09:40 Álvaro Garrido, Historian at Coimbra University and friend of Prof. Mário Ruivo – *“Mário Ruivo: Citizen, Scientist and Diplomat of the Ocean”*
- 09:40 - 10:00 Ricardo Serrão Santos, MEP and former President of EurOcean
- 10:00 - 10:20 Maria Eduarda Gonçalves, Professor at ISCTE - Lisbon University Institute and Wife of Prof. Mário Ruivo, *“Mário Ruivo: A Life Worth Living”*
- 10:20 - 10:50 Panel Discussion: Remembering Prof. Mário Ruivo
Panel members: All speakers from the first session and Telmo Carvalho (IPMA, Portugal), Iouri Oliouline (IOC, France), Awni Behnam (IOI, Malta).
- 10:50 - 11:00 Group Photo.
- 11:00 - 11:30 *Coffee Break*

Prof. Mário Ruivo – the next step in his vision for the Ocean

Moderated by Antonella Vassallo, International Ocean Institute, Malta

- 11:30 - 11:50 Lennart de Nooijer, Scientist, Royal Netherlands Institute for Sea Research (NIOZ) – *“Netherlands Initiative Changing Oceans: the current state of our seas.”*
- 11:50 - 12:05 Lorenzo Minetti, Co-founder Quagga ethical fashion brand – *“Q-bottles another successful project by Quagga”*

- 12:05 - 12:20 Jan Mees, Director, Flanders Marine Institute (VLIZ) and President of European Marine Board – *“A science perspective on Mário Ruivo’s legacy: future challenges for European marine research in a global context”*
- 12:20 - 12:35 Ann Dom, Deputy Director, Seas at Risk, *“Oceans - our common future”*
- 12:35 - 12:50 Mary Morrison, citizen and community outreach promotor, North Uist Heritage Society, *“Cearcall a Chuain’ (Circle of the Ocean)”*
- 12:50 - 13:30 Panel Discussion – Innovation and Advancing Ocean Awareness and Policy
Panel members: All speakers from the session and Fabrizio Lirer (CNR, Italy) and Manuel Cira (Nausicaá, France)
- 13:30 - 14:30 **Lunch Break (Don’t forget to vote in the Children’s Art Contest)**

Interactive/Hands-on sessions with exhibitions and demonstrations as well as scheduled talks and presentations

- 14:30 - 14:45 Izabela Kotynska-Zielinska, Founder of *“Today We Have”* & Tymon Zielinski, Scientist, Institute of Oceanology of the Polish Academy of Sciences (IOPAN)– *“I Live by the Sea Competition”*
- 14:45 - 15:00 António Pascoal, Scientist, Técnico Lisboa - Demonstrations of new underwater robotics
- 15:00 - 15:20 Cyrill Gutsch, Founder of Parley for the Oceans
- 15:20 - 15:30 Telmo Carvalho, Board of Directors, Portuguese Institute for Sea and Atmosphere (IPMA) - *“Prof. Ruivo’s iconic dive in 1950s, with exhibition of classic photos”*
- 15:30 - 15:50 Kelle Moreau, Spokesman/Science Communicator of Operational Directorate ‘Natural Environment’ of the Royal Belgian Institute of Natural Sciences – *“Sea monsters on medieval maps: old beliefs and new insights”*
- 15:50 - 16:15 **Coffee Break (Don’t forget to vote in the Children’s Art Contest)**
- 16:15 - 17:00 Raquel Ribeiro, Programa Oceano – Foundation for Science & Technology (FCT) & Comissão Oceanográfica Intersectorial de Ministério da Ciência, Tecnologia e Ensino Superior (COI-MCTES) – Game: How well do you know the Ocean?

Cristina Otero Sabio, Artist Akris World will be present during the event creating a work of art inspired by the day

*Reflections on the day
Moderated by Ned Dwyer, EurOcean Executive-Director*

- 17:00 - 17:25 Final Panel Discussion moderated by Ned Dwyer: Slawomir Sagan, EurOcean President; Gilles Lericolais, IFREMER; Ana Hilário, CESAM; Antonio Pascoal, IST/FCT.
- 17:25 - 17:30 Close of the Event by Slawomir Sagan