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 **THE OCEAN RACE**
SUMMITS
CABO VERDE
M I N D E L O



OCEAN SCIENCE
CENTRE MINDELO



PROGRAMME

WELCOME



Richard Brisius
Race Chairman of The Ocean Race



Katja Matthes
Director of GEOMAR Helmholtz-
Centre for Ocean Research Kie



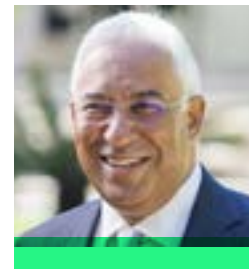
Vito Ramos
Member of the Board of Directors of
IMar -Instituto do Mar

KEYNOTE SPEAKER



António Guterres
UN Secretary-General

MESSAGE



António Costa
Prime Minister of Portugal

WELCOME SPEECH



Ulisses Correia e Silva
Prime Minister of Cabo Verde

SUSTAINABLE FINANCE AGREEMENT SIGNING



REPÚBLICA
PORTUGUESA

GOVERNO DE
**CABO
VERDE**
A TRABALHAR PARA TODOS

The Ocean Race Summit Mindelo will provide a stage for the governments of Cabo Verde and Portugal to sign an agreement on sustainable finance.



RELAY4NATURE

CEREMONY

Relay4Nature is an initiative by The Ocean Race and UN Secretary-General's Special Envoy for the Ocean, Peter Thomson, to help give the ocean a voice on the critical issues affecting our planet at the landmark events where decisions are made about the environment. It connects the threats to the natural world and calls on world leaders to radically increase their ambitions to protect and restore the ocean.

During the 2022-23 edition of The Ocean Race, Nature's Baton continues its journey around the world sailing with participating teams in the race of a lifetime. It sailed from Alicante to Cabo Verde with Team Malizia, where it will be handed to the UN Secretary General.



Photo caption: *Nature's Baton, the symbol of Relay4Nature, was created out of driftwood by visual artist Tania Kovats. A key theme of Kovats' work is how art can communicate our relationship with nature.*



PANEL 1: THE VALUE OF OCEAN SCIENCE AND LITERACY

The value of ocean science and ocean literacy cannot be undermined when we are faced with making critical choices about the future of our planet. Without baseline data and an understanding of the vital role of the marine environment, we risk misrepresenting the ocean or leaving it out of crucial conversations entirely.

Research and innovation is key but ocean literacy is what will enable everyone to live in greater harmony with nature.

In this panel session we will discover some of the ocean science and literacy projects happening in Cabo Verde which have helped create paradigm shifts in the local community's relationship with the sea and its keystone species.



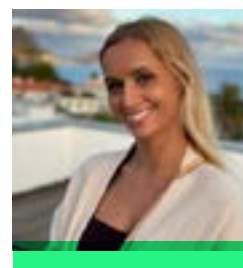
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Minister of the Sea and Minister of Culture and Creative Industries



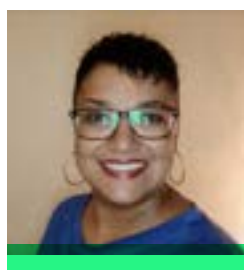
Corrine Almeida
Profesor Atlantic Technical University
Director of the WASCAL MRP-CCMS



Yara Rodrigues
Director of Research Atlantic Technical University, Award winning PhD



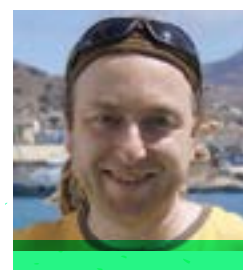
Ana Agostinho
Advisor
Mirpuri Foundation



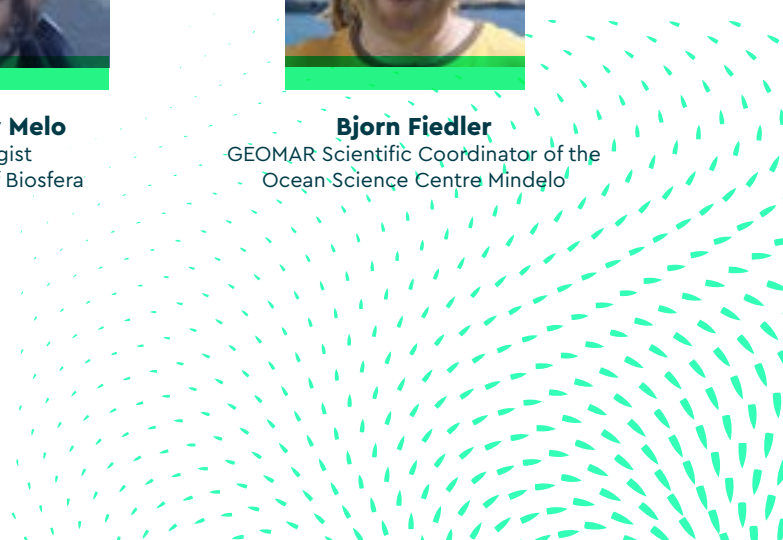
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Tommy Melo
Biologist
Founder of Biosfera



Bjorn Fiedler
GEOMAR Scientific Coordinator of the
Ocean Science Centre Mindelo

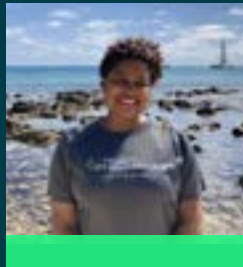


CABO VERDE NGO SHOWCASE



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Marine Program Coordinator
Caboverdean Ecotourism
Association



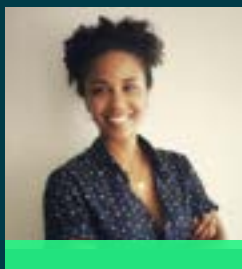
Rosi Lima

Education and Outreach
Coordinator
APB



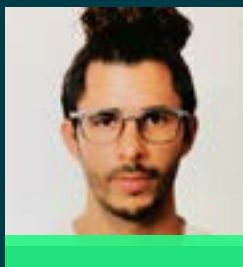
Katia Freire Lopes

Executive Director
Bios Cabo Verde



Débora Roberto

Co-owner
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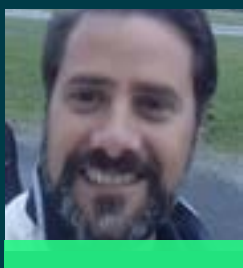
Diego Alhinho

Project manager
Lantuna



Helena Maria Lima

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Tommy Melo

Biologist
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PROGRAMME

SUSTAINABLE OCEAN FINANCE MESSAGE



Danny Faure

Former President of the Seychelles
and Founder Danny Faure Foundation

VIDEO: SEYCHELLES MARINE SPATIAL PLAN (SMSP) INITIATIVE



Helena Sims

Project manager



Chrissant Barbe

Principal Policy Analyst within the
Department of Blue Economy

PANEL INTRODUCTION



Valerie Hickey

Global Director for Environment, Natural Resources and
Blue Economy, World Bank

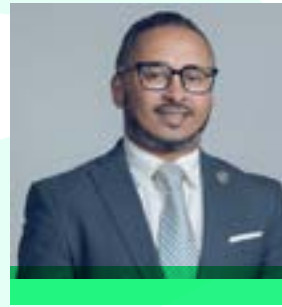


PANEL 2: SUSTAINABLE OCEAN FINANCE

Finance fuels the work that is needed to help achieve harmony with our planet. In this panel we will hear how the Cabo Verde Stock Exchange is getting behind ocean work through its Blue-X and how other big ocean states have used similar mechanisms to ensure an ocean economy can thrive at all levels.



Christopher Lilybad
UNDP Development Economist for Cabo Verde
and Guinea-Bissau



Miguel Monteiro
Chairman & CEO
Cabo Verde Stock Exchange



Olavo Avelino Garcia Correia
Deputy Prime Minister of Cabo Verde
Minister of Finance



Valerie Hickey
Global Director for Environment, Natural
Resources and Blue Economy, World Bank

VIDEO MESSAGE FROM:



Prince Albert II of Monaco



PANEL 3: OCEAN ACTION

Ocean Action is key to taking care of our blue planet: hear from ocean advocates, activists and ministry representatives on what is happening and their ocean vision for 2030.



Isabella Lövin

Chair of Stockholm Environment Institute, Former Deputy Prime Minister, and former Minister for the Environment, Sweden. Co-Chair of the WEF Friends of Ocean Action and Writer



Débora Carvalho

First Lady of Cabo Verde



Gilberto Correia Carvalho Silva

Minister of Agriculture and Environment

FILM: TURTLE ECOTOURISM VIDEO FEATURING LOCAL FISHERMAN - WALDY SILVA ALMEIDA LOPES A.K.A. 'DIDI'





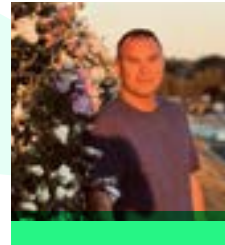
PANEL 4: SPORTS + SUSTAINABILITY - "ACHIEVING THE UNACHIEVABLE"

Climate change is the most significant challenge of our generation. To achieve the targets that are needed to turn things around can feel impossible.

In this panel we will look at the mindset of athletes and take inspiration from world champions who have achieved the unachievable when faced with life threatening situations. We will discuss what learnings can be applied to tackling the climate crisis, such as the need for greater resilience and prioritising our relationship with nature.



Mitu Monteiro
Kitesurf world wave champion



Josh Angulo
World windsurfing champion
Angulo Cabo Verde Surf Center



Carlos Jorge Duarte Santos
Minister of Tourism and Transportation



Boris Herrmann
Team Malizia Skipper



Mariana Lobato
Sailor
Biotherm

VIDEO MESSAGE FROM:



Wendy Schmidt

Philanthropist, President of the Schmidt Family Foundation and founder of 11th Hour Racing - the Founding Partner of The Ocean Race's award-winning Racing with Purpose sustainability programme and a Premier Partner of the Race

CLOSING REMARKS



Austelino Correia
President of the National Assembly of Cabo Verde

HOST



Danni Washington
Science communicator and ocean advocate

PROGRAMME AT A GLANCE



08:00	REGISTRATION AND TEA/COFFEE BREAK
08:45	Welcome: Vito Ramos, Member of the Board of Directors of IMar Prof. Dr. Katja Matthes, Director of GEOMAR Helmholtz-Centre for Ocean Research Kiel Richard Brisius, Chairman of The Ocean Race
	Welcome Speech Ulisses Correia e Silva, Prime Minister Cabo Verde
	Keynote speech UNSG António Guterres
	Sustainable Ocean Finance PRIME MINISTER Message: António Costa, Prime Minister of Portugal
	SIGNING OF AGREEMENT (Agreement between CV and Portugal on sustainable finance)
	RELAY 4 NATURE CEREMONY
	Ocean Science + Literacy Value: Panel 1 Abraão Vicente - Minister of the Sea & Minister of Culture, Creative Industries Dr. Yara Rodrigues - Director of Research Atlantic Technical University Award winning PhD Ivanice Monteiro - Ocean Science Centre Co-ordinator IMar Dr. Björn Fiedler - GEOMAR Scientific Coordinator of the Ocean Science Centre Mindelo
	Ocean Science + Literacy Value: Panel 2 Abraão Vicente - Minister of the Sea & Minister of Culture, Creative Industries Prof. Dr. Corrine Almeida -Director of the WASCAL MRP-CCMS Ana Agostinho- Advisor MIRPURI Foundation Tommy Melo - Founder of Biosfera
	Sustainable Ocean Finance Message Danny Faure, Former President of the Seychelles and Founder Danny Faure Foundation
	Message Valerie Hickey - Global Director for Environment, Natural Resources and Blue Economy, World Bank
	Sustainable Ocean Finance 2 Olavo Avelino Garcia Correia, Deputy Prime Minister of Cabo Verde & Minister of Finance Christopher Lilyblad, UNDP Development Economist for Cabo Verde and Guinea-Bissau Miguel Monteiro, Chairman & CEO Cabo Verde Stock Exchange Valerie Hickey - Global Director for Environment, Natural Resources and Blue Economy, World Bank
12:00 - 13:00	LUNCH BREAK
	OCEAN ACTION Panel Gilberto Correia Carvalho Silva, Minister of Agriculture and Environment Cabo Verde Débora Carvalho, First Lady of Cabo Verde Isabella Lövin, Chair of Stockholm Environment Institute, Former Deputy Prime Minister, and former Minister for the Environment, Sweden, Co-Chair, Friends of Ocean Action
	Sports + Sustainability - Achieving the Unachievable Panel Josh Angulo, World windsurfing champion Angulo Cabo Verde Surf Center Mitu Monteiro, Kitesurf world wave champion Mariana Lobato, The Ocean Race Sailor with Team Biotherm Boris Herrmann, Team Malizia Skipper Carlo Jorge Duarte Santos, Minister Tourism & Transport
	Message Wendy Schmidt, Philanthropist, 11th Hour Racing Video
	Message Austelino Correia, The President of National Assembly
14:30	CLOSING REMARKS FOLLOWED BY NETWORKING RECEPTION