

NOC Association of Marine Science National Capability Beneficiaries (NOCA)

13th Annual Meeting 3rd – 4th June 2024

Virtual Meeting



Professor Mark Inall and the membership of the [NOCA Steering Board](#) look forward to joining colleagues from member institutes of the [NOC Association of Marine Science National Capability Beneficiaries \(NOCA\)](#), the [Marine Alliance Science for Science and Technology for Scotland \(MASTS\)](#), the [Challenger Society](#) and the [Global Environmental Research Committee \(GERC\)](#) at the 2024 AGM of the NOCA. You don't have to be a member of these groups to participate – anyone with an interest in the marine environment is welcome.

Timings for this free, on-line event, to be conducted by Zoom, are:

Monday 3rd June 2024: 10:30 – 12:30

Tuesday 4th June 2024: 10:00 – 12:30

Items planned for the agenda, (to follow), will include updates from the [Future of Marine Research Infrastructure \(FMRI\) initiative](#) with discussion around potential gaps in the technology landscape. We look forward to welcoming Professor Gideon Henderson FRS, Defra Chief Scientific Advisor, who will talk about the [Climate and Ocean Adaptation and Sustainable Transition \(COAST\) Programme](#), national capability and join up between government and UKRI/HEIs. A session is also planned around new stakeholder groups proposed for the [British Oceanographic Data Centre](#) and the [NERC Environmental Data Service](#).

Registration: To participate in the 13th NOCA AGM please [register](#) here.