



SALONE NAUTICO VENEZIA



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6th International Workshop Edition | 29 May 2026

International Boat Show · Arsenale
Torre di Porta Nuova · Venice (Italy)



Marine Litter Monitoring, Removal and Blue Circular Economy



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Programme

10:15 — **Opening and Institutional Greetings**



Part 1 International Workshop

Session 1 Marine litter monitoring and assessment

10:35 — Beach microplastics monitoring: Green protocols for Expert Citizen scientists. (**T.Cecchi** - MICRO 2.0 - Institute Montani of Fermo)



10:45 — Robotic surface & underwater macro litter identification & monitoring (**S.Sosnowki** - SeaClear2.0 -TUM)

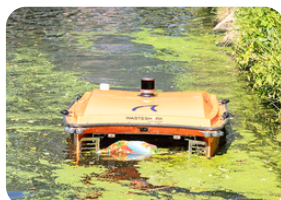
10:55 — 5' Q&A

Session 2 Marine litter clean up solutions



11:00 — Robotic surface & underwater macro litter removal & clean up (**S.Sosnowki** - SeaClear2.0 - TUM)

11:10 — Autonomous Innovation for Cleaner Seas (**E.Lokhorst** - RanMarine)



11:20 — Implementing innovative riverine litter retention system in the Po river (**N.Rubini** - INSPIRE - Regione Veneto - River Cleaning)

11:30 — Depolluting new emerging contaminants: challenges & opportunities (**C.Carboni** - Life Cascade - De Nora)

11:40 — 5' Q&A

Session 3 Blue circular economy



11:45 — MED-Hubs project: Blue Circular Innovation in the Mediterranean (**A.Silvestri** - MaltaAccelerate - ClimAccelerator Malta)

11:55 — From Marine Litter to End Products (**D.Kosic** - JOINABLE-City of Punat)

12:05 — REMEDIES for our seas: replacing plastics with bio-based fishing nets (**D.Spinelli** - NEXT Technology Tecnotessile)

12:15 — Venice's Blue Revolution: Circular Innovation from Seaweed to Sustainable Bioproducts (**N.Yamamura** - Algae-scope)

12:25 — 5' Q&A



12:30 — Presentation of the photograph exhibition: Plastic Project (**G.Costantini** - Officina Fotografica N°4)



PART 2 Policy Roundtable: advancing European policies to combat marine litter

12:35 This Roundtable will focus on how European and national policies can further support the minimisation of marine litter pollution and management, and the development of innovative technologies to address the issue. Through open dialogue and structured input, the Roundtable will engage participants in the discussion and validation of the main policy conclusions and recommendations stemming from the HEUROPE SeaClear2.0 project's policy analysis.

Organisation: ISOTECH; VLPF



13:35 **Lunch Break**

PART 3 Marine Litter in Venice: Participatory Stakeholder Workshop

(Board room - Thetis HQ Venice)

14:35 Understanding local circumstances and collaboratively designing targeted, site-specific solutions are central to the SeaClear2.0 approach for tackling marine litter across Europe and the Mediterranean. In this workshop, Venetian stakeholders will be engaged in the identification of the main sources and impacts of marine litter in their area, and the prioritisation of key gaps/needs regarding marine litter management. Through a collective intelligence method, measures to address the most pressing gaps/needs will be identified and ranked. **[This session will be in Italian]**

Organisations: ISOTECH; VLPF; THETIS



16:05 **Coffee break**

PART 4 SeaClear2.0 Interactive Pilot Showcase

16:35 SeaCat will perform identification & removal of marine litter in the Arsenal basin for the boat show visitors and a selected number of stakeholders

Organisations: VLPF; ST; SeaSubTech; TUM



17:35 **End of the programme**



