

*Only use this form to take notes and discuss your commitment with colleagues.
Please submit the final version of your Commitment via the online form:
<https://oars-commitments.org/your-commitment/>



Your Commitment

TOGETHER WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Thank you for sharing your commitment towards achieving the outcomes of the 'Ocean Acidification Research for Sustainability' (OARS) UN Ocean Decade programme, designed to address the Sustainable Development Goal target 14.3 to 'minimize and address the impacts of ocean acidification, including through enhanced scientific cooperation at all levels'.

Only if we all rally together will we be able to achieve the SDG target 14.3 to reduce the impacts of ocean acidification.

Your commitment plays an important part towards achieving the [OARS outcomes](#) and we would be delighted if we could highlight your commitment, such as through social media, in our newsletter or in presentations. You can indicate your preferences further down below and please contact us at secretariat@oars-programme.org should you have any questions or suggestions.

If you have multiple commitments, then we would be grateful if you could submit these on separate forms. For any support in completing the forms please contact secretariat@oars-programme.org.

YOUR COMMITMENT

1. Title/name of your OARS Commitment*

2. Description of the commitment*

- 3. For OARS to appreciate the total financial investment (including in-kind) associated with delivering the Commitments, please could you provide an estimate of the financial investments made to help advance your specific Commitment activities. (Please convert cost to \$USD)**

- 4. Please add a URL for your Commitment, if available.**

Please upload any files with any additional information about your Commitment.

- 5. Relevant OARS Outcome and support (please choose multiple if applicable) ***

- Outcome1: Quality data
- Outcome 2: Science to Action
- Outcome 3: Observing Strategies
- Outcome 4: Biological Impacts
- Outcome 5: Future Predictions
- Outcome 6: Public Awareness
- Outcome 7: Policy Engagement
- OARS programme support (eg. Funding)

- 6. Ocean basin - Please select the geographical coverage of the Commitments (select all that apply)***

- Global
- Arctic Ocean
- Southern Ocean
- South Pacific
- North Pacific
- North Atlantic
- South Atlantic
- Indian Ocean
- Mediterranean Sea
- Black Sea
- Other

- 7. Does your commitment include work in a Small Island Developing State (SIDS)**

- Yes
- No
- Not sure

8. If you answered Yes to the previous question, please specify which SIDS.

9. Does your commitment include capacity building or training activities?

- Yes
- No
- Not sure

Please upload any images that represent your commitment.

ABOUT YOU / YOUR ENTITY

10. Lead entity name *

11. Lead entity Headquarters (City/town, Country)*

12. Please add a URL for your website, if available.

13. Contact email address (please ensure your email address is correct)*

14. Partners (For joint Ocean Commitments please list all parties here)

15. Lead entity type (select all that apply)*

- National government
- Local/ regional government
- United Nations/ Multilateral body / Intergovernmental organisation
- Civil Society Organisation/ Community-based organisation
- Non-governmental organisation (NGO)
- Academic or other scientific institution
- Scientific community (e.g., scientific networks, working groups, individual, etc.)
- Private sector
- Philanthropic organisation
- Media (e.g., journalist, filmmaker, etc.)
- Creative arts
- Other

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

16. How did you hear about the OARS programme?

- X (Twitter)
- LinkedIn
- Instagram
- Facebook
- OA Week
- Individual seminar or webinar
- GOA-ON/OARS website
- GOA-ON newsletter
- Presentation at a meeting or conference
- Word of mouth from a colleague
- Contacted directly by OARS
- Web search
- News article
- Other

17. Would you like to be added to our mailing list to receive news about the OARS programme? *

- Yes
- No

18. Please confirm that you agree for us to use the information provided to contact you should we have any questions regarding your commitment. *

- Yes
- No

19. Please confirm you agree for us to use your commitment when we report on the progress of the OARS Programme Outcomes. *

- Yes
- No

20. Please confirm you agree for us to include your commitment and images on our website, and when we report on the progress of the OARS Programme Outcomes.*

- Yes
- No

18. Please let us know if you have any questions or suggestions.

GDPR Agreement

- I consent to having this website store my submitted information so they can respond to my commitment.
- I consent to data processing or storage for questions 16, 17 and 18 where I have selected 'Yes'

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