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## BILATERAL MEETINGS

10.00 a.m. - 13.00 p.m.

14.00 p.m. - 17.00 p.m

**DESCRIPTION** InventAr is a firm occupying a specialized niche of market within ocean and environmental decision-making processes by delivering analyses based on linking comparative policy analyses with the best available knowledge, governance, engineering, and knowledge within ocean, environmental and sustainable development domains. We address issues with a cross-sectoral and multidisciplinary approach. Our staff and collaborators are enabled with knowledge across social and natural disciplines while being highly specialized in a particular domain and to collaborate with the various types of ocean actors (private, civil society and intergovernmental). We are experienced from local to global settings.

### **Domains of Expertise:**

1. Ocean, Environmental Governance and Policy: Policy and Governance Analyses, Advice, Integrated Planning, Management and Stakeholder Engagement;
2. Environmental and Coastal Engineering: EIA/SEA
3. Climate Change: adaptation and mitigation and air emission inventories
4. Facts/Knowledge Production: facilitation and integration of cross-sectoral and across disciplines knowledge to deliver multidisciplinary knowledge translated according to the ocean actor/stakeholder
5. Communication and Networks: facilitation of networks and multi-stakeholder dialogues, dialogue between research and decision-making communities

6. Production of innovative and tailored solutions and methods to meet the specific needs of our clients.

### **Insights of our work within each domain:**

#### **1. Ocean Environmental and Public Policy Analysis and Governance:**

International Ocean and Environmental Law, Policy and Governance

Integrated coastal and ocean management, policy and governance (EU and EU Regions, USA, UN, Portugal, Africa, Small Island Developing States)

Strategic Planning and Comparative Public Policy Analyses and Advice

Coastal and Ocean Adaptation to Climate Change

United Nations (UN) Sustainable Development and Ocean Policy Agenda Setting Processes

Subnational planning of integrated ocean policies with stakeholder engagement

Ecosystem based management systems and governance

Accreditation of entities for direct access to the UNFCCC

Adaptation and Green Funds

International facilitation/coordination of policy dialogues (e.g. UN, UNESCO, Community of Portuguese Speaking Countries)

#### **2. Impact Assessments**

Environmental Impact Assessment, Strategic Impact Assessment

Systems to support assessment: integrated water and air quality

Ecosystem Based Management Interpretation

#### **3. Climate Change and Air pollutants**

National Portuguese Methodology and National Air Emission Inventories (1994-2008) to be submitted to the UNFCCC and CLRTAP by Portugal

Regional and local Air Emission Inventories and respective methodologies: Macao (China), Lisbon, Madeira, Sines.

#### **4. Development of systems to support networking and knowledge sharing:**

Multidisciplinary Synthesis and Translation of Ocean Knowledge as support to Ocean Actors  
Integration and synthesis of environmental-social-economic knowledge across-sectors  
Gap analysis and facilitation networks  
Multidisciplinary integration, translation and transfer of technical knowledge according to the nature of the ocean actor (decision and policy-makers, business community)  
Organization Building: Enhancing communication and networks amongst ocean actors  
Future Ocean Alliance Project

**ORGANIZATION TYPE** R&D Institution, Other, Company

**ORGANIZATION SIZE** 1-10

**FOUNDING YEAR** 2003

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## Offer & Request

# OCEAN PUBLIC POLICY AND GOVERNANCE, CLIMATE CHANGE, INTEGRATED KNOWLEDGE PRODUCTION VIA NETWORK

Identification and participation in public policy development and ocean governance (analysis, comparative analysis, advice and agenda setting) for the development of marine renewable energies public policy and governance processes within the setting of integrated coastal and ocean policy, law and management of cross-sectoral ocean affairs and resources. Facilitative networking for knowledge production and sharing.

**KEYWORDS:** **OCEAN GOVERNANCE** **PUBLIC POLICY ANALISES** **AGENDA SETTING** **POLICY**

**COOPERATION OFFERED**

1. Other
2. Commercial co-operation
3. Technical co-operation

**COOPERATION REQUESTED**

1. Other
  2. R&D co-operation
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**Idea**

**MECHANISM FOR DIALOGUE BETWEEN INDUSTRY AND DECISION-MAKERS FOR ENHANCED GOVERNANCE OF THIS INDUSTRY**

Establishing a network for enhancing the dialogue between decision-making, industry and research : learning lessons, identifying gaps and synthesizing and sharing knowledge to enhance public policy and governance of marine renewables. Please, refer to the Future Ocean Alliance project at: <http://www.future-ocean-alliance.org/home/about>

**KEYWORDS:** **GOVERNANCE** **POLICY DEVELOPMENT** **DECISION-MAKING** **FRAMEWORK** **NETWORK** **KNOWLEDGE** **SYNTHESIS** **CO-OPERATION MECHANISM** **INTEGRATED POLICY** **OCEAN POLICY** **POLICY AND LAW** **ENVIRONMENT** **ADAPTATION** **CLIMATE CHANGE** **FACILITAT**

**COOPERATION OFFERED**

1. Other
2. Technical co-operation

**COOPERATION REQUESTED**

1. Commercial co-operation
  2. Technical co-operation
  3. R&D co-operation
  4. Investment/Financing
  5. Other
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