

UN OCEAN CONFERENCE PRESS BRIEFING PROGRAMME



DATE	TIME	TITLE	SPEAKERS	LOCATION
27-June-2022	1:15 PM	<p>PRESS ENCOUNTER</p> <p>UN Secretary-General António Guterres, is joined by Mr. Marcelo Rebelo de Sousa (Portugal) and Mr. Uhuru Kenyatta (the Republic of Kenya) on the Opening of the United Nations Ocean Conference.</p> <p>Description</p> <p>Opening press encounter for the United Nations Ocean Conference, which takes place from 27 June to 1 July in Lisbon, Portugal.</p> <p>Related Sites and Documents</p> <p>https://www.un.org/en/conferences/ocean2022</p>	<p>António Guterres Secretary-General of the United Nations</p> <p>Marcelo Rebelo de Sousa, President of Portugal</p> <p>Uhuru Kenyatta, President of the Republic of Kenya</p> <p>Moderated by</p> <p>Francyne Harrigan, spokesperson of the UN Ocean Conference</p>	Altice Arena
27-June-2022	3:00 PM -3:30 PM	<p>DAILY PRESS BRIEFING, UN OCEAN CONFERENCE SPOKESPERSON</p>	<p>Peter Thomson, UN Secretary-General's Special Envoy on the Ocean</p> <p>Moderated by</p> <p>Francyne Harrigan, spokesperson of the UN Ocean Conference</p>	UN Ocean Conference Press Briefing room
28-June-2022	1:00 PM –1:30 PM	<p>DAILY PRESS BRIEFING, UN OCEAN CONFERENCE SPOKESPERSON</p> <p>Description</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Highlights of the day • UNDP Ocean Promise launch 	<p>Usha Rao-Monari, UN Under-Secretary-General and UNDP Associate Administrator</p> <p>Andrew Hudson, Head, UNDP's of Water and Ocean Governance Programme</p> <p>Moderated by</p>	UN Ocean Conference Press Briefing room

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Related Sites and Documents

<https://www.un.org/en/conferences/ocean2022>

<https://www.undp.org/publications/ocean-promise>

29-June-2022 10:00 AM – 10:30 AM

PRESS CONFERENCE

LAUNCH OF 2022 UN REPORT: THE STATE OF WORLD FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE – TOWARDS BLUE TRANSFORMATION

Description

The State of World Fisheries and Aquaculture (SOFIA) is a flagship report of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO), which analyses the status of global stocks as well as trends in fisheries and aquaculture at a global and regional level. SOFIA is a critical reference for governments, policymakers, academics and others in the fisheries and aquaculture sector.

The focus of the 2022 edition will be Blue Transformation, a visionary strategy designed to enhance the potential of aquatic food systems and sustainably feed the world's growing population while protecting the environment.

Related Sites and Documents

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Manuel Barange, Director of FAO's Fisheries and Aquaculture division

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29-June-2022	1:30 PM – 2:30PM	MEDIA ROUNDTABLE THE OCEAN CRISIS: HOW TO TAKE A JOURNALISTIC DIVE? Description News coverage of the threats posed by ocean degradation and possible solutions is often limited to the environment sections, treated almost as a secondary environmental issue. And in the meantime, the general public risks staying detached from an issue that seems too far away from many people's everyday concerns or they risk feeling powerless in the face of anxious messages around yet another environmental catastrophe. The briefing will explore media's role in covering ocean issues.	Julian Barbière , Head of Marine Policy, UNESCO Daniele Morreti , SkyNews James Fahn , the Earth Journalism Network Moderated by Audrey Jacquet , Head of Editorial, Sparknews	UN Ocean Conference Press Briefing room
29-June-2022	3:00 PM	LAUNCH OF BERSIH INDONESIA PROJECT - MANAGING PLASTIC WASTE	Moderated by Jacob Duer	
30-June-2022	10:30 AM – 11:00 AM	PRESS CONFERENCE PROTECTING BIODIVERSITY IN OUR OCEAN: NEGOTIATIONS ON THE GLOBAL BIODIVERSITY FRAMEWORK (GBF)	Speakers: Ms. Elizabeth Maruma Mrema , Executive Secretary, Convention on Biological Diversity Mr. Basile van Havre , Co-Chair of the Open-ended Working Group on the post-2020 global biodiversity framework Moderated by	UN Ocean Conference Press Briefing room.

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			David Ainsworth , Information Officer, Convention on Biological Diversity	
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1-July-2022	TBD	CLOSING PRESS CONFERENCE	Speakers (TBD) Moderated by Francyne Harrigan , UN Ocean Conference Spokesperson	UN Ocean Conference Press Briefing room

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