

## **Marine Bioresources Interested Colleagues**

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### **EFIB 2018** 16-18 October in Toulouse

Marine Biotech will have its own track at EFIB this year, which BioBridge is helping to organise. We'll send round the programme when it's finalised – in the meantime:

**Early bird registration until 10 August**

<https://efibforum.com/>

### **Innovation loans**

from Innovate UK for SMEs for innovative late stage projects.

**Registration closes 29 August 2018**

<https://ktn-uk.co.uk/funding/innovation-loans-july-2018-open-competition>

### **Most Innovative European Biotech SME Awards 2018- Call for Applications**

**Deadline for applications 30 September 2018**

<http://biotechsmeawards.eu/>

### **IBioIC- Collaborative Training Partnership (CTP) PhD Programme 2019**

The call for PhD Projects is now open for October 2019. IBioIC has 14 BBSRC and 6 IBioIC funded studentships with studentships allocated through a competitive process.

**Deadline for applications 1 October 2018**

For more information please visit [http://www.ibioic-ctp.com/opportunities/i2689/ibioic\\_collaborative\\_training\\_partnership\\_ctp\\_phd\\_programme\\_call\\_for\\_projects\\_6.aspx](http://www.ibioic-ctp.com/opportunities/i2689/ibioic_collaborative_training_partnership_ctp_phd_programme_call_for_projects_6.aspx)

### **NERC - major research programme on the Atlantic Ocean**

A new £22 million research programme will investigate the impacts of climate change and human activities on the Atlantic Ocean, from the surface to the deep seabed.

<https://nerc.ukri.org/press/releases/2018/29-atlantic/>

### **National Marine Facilities Technology Roadmap 2018/19**

is available for download at

<http://noc.ac.uk/files/documents/about/ispo/NMF%20Technology%20Roadmap%20-%20201819.pdf>

### **Bioplastics from cyanobacteria**

Michigan State University researchers are developing bioplastics from cyanobacteria

<http://www.michiganradio.org/post/msu-researchers-hope-cyanobacteria-can-make-bioplastics-more-environmentally-friendly>

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### ***Dates for your diary***

- Blue Biotechnology in Baltic Sea Region – from Science to Business 22-24 August, Greifswald, Germany [http://biopark.ee/?post\\_type=events&p=2309&lang=en](http://biopark.ee/?post_type=events&p=2309&lang=en)
- ARCH-UK (Aquaculture Research Collaborative Hub UK) Annual Science Event 4-5 September, Belfast <https://www.aquaculturehub-uk.com/the-ase/>
- 3rd Annual Aquaculture Innovation Summit 11-12 September, London <https://aquaculture-innovation.com/events/aquaculture-innovation-summit>
- Antarctic Science Conference 10-12 September 2018, Durham <https://www.dur.ac.uk/uk-antarctic-science/>
- Algae Tech Conference 19-20 September 2018 Munich <https://algaetech-conference.com/>
- Life Sciences Baltics 2018 26-27 September, Vilnius, Lithuania <https://lsb2018.com/>
- BioMarine Business Convention 2-4 October Cascais <https://biomarine.org/networks/biomarine/events/6272>
- MUSES Project: The Multi-Use in European Seas Final conference 10 October Brussels <https://muses-project.eu/>
- EFIB 2018 16-18 October Toulouse <https://efibforum.com/>
- International Congress for Marine Biotechnology 17-20 October Tunisia [www.icmb2018.com](http://www.icmb2018.com)
- Bioeconomy Conference, 22 October, Brussels <https://ec.europa.eu/research/bioeconomy/index.cfm>
- The Marine Alliance for Science and Technology for Scotland 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Science Meeting 31 Oct- 2 Nov Glasgow <http://www.masts.ac.uk/annual-science-meeting/>
- ARCH-UK (Aquaculture Research Collaborative Hub UK) Finfish and Shellfish Microbiome Workshop 22–23 November, Aberdeen <https://www.aquaculturehub.com/events/2018/7/5/arch-uk-finish-and-shellfish-microbiome-workshop>

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