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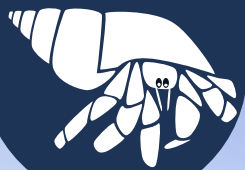
# “INNOV’OCEAN”

solutions for a sustainable management of the ocean

Saturday 28th November 2015

15.00 – 18.00

This workshop will bring innovative solutions to several pressures and threats to the ocean. Different stakeholders will present their projects. You will also have the chance to participate in a game about ocean acidification ! Come and join us on saturday afternoon (3pm) at the COY !



## What is Ocean Acidification ?

**Ocean Acidification (OA) describes the significant changes to the chemistry of the ocean.**

It occurs when carbon dioxide gas (or CO<sub>2</sub>) is absorbed by the ocean and reacts with seawater to produce acid. Although CO<sub>2</sub> gas naturally moves between the atmosphere and the oceans, the increased amounts of CO<sub>2</sub> gas emitted into the atmosphere, mainly as a result of human activities (e.g. burning fossil fuels), has been increasing the amount of CO<sub>2</sub> absorbed by the ocean, which results in seawater that is more acidic.

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