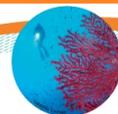


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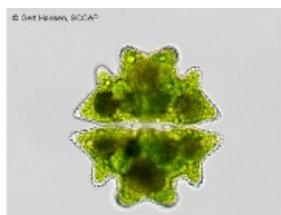


EMBRIC will join this year's European Forum for Industrial Biotechnology

EMBRIC will join this year's EFIB with two innovative blue bioeconomy start-ups. Additionally, Bernard Kloareg joins the marine biotech track on the 17th of October to speak about the legacy of EMBRIC.

This year's EFIB will take place from 16 - 18 October in Toulouse, France. Policy makers and stakeholders connected to existing bio-based value chains meet each year at this forum to discuss the current state and future outlook of bio-based industries. In the centre of the debate: how can the industrial biotechnology (IB) and the bioeconomy contribute towards achieving 11 out of 17 SDGs? How can natural resources be used more sustainably, what are renewable alternatives to traditional fossil-carbon products and how can energy consumption be reduced?

600 attendees and more than 60 international speakers from the industrial biotechnology and bioeconomy area are expected to join this two-day event with presentations and panel discussions covering the sectors of bio-based plastics, food, feed and nutrition, marine biotech, wood biorefining, synthetic biology, and sustainable aviation amongst other topics.



Save-the-date: EMBRIC Workshop and Breakfast Meeting "Treasures from the Deep"

Would you like to know what EMBRIC has been up to in the past four years? Come to our workshop **"Treasures from the Deep"** organised at the Scotland House in Brussels in March 2019. Before the workshop, a breakfast meeting will be organised with selected MPs. Follow our news section or the monthly newsletter, if you want to stay informed.

The EMBRIC Configurator – Marine data consultancy

Meet the EMBRIC Configurator team after the 3rd EMBRIC General Assembly – on September 20, 2018 at Aquila Atlantis Hotel in Heraklion (Crete)

The EMBRIC Configurator is conceived to assist marine biotechnology professionals in making the most effective use of existing infrastructures and resources around biomolecular data.

Do you have marine data, metadata and/or samples with a biomolecular focus? The EMBRIC Configurator offers free consultancy on data management, data analysis, standards, cloud compute capacity. More information on the EMBRIC Configurator can be found [here](#).

Come and find the EMBRIC Configurator team at 14:00 (until 16:00) on 20 September 2018 (participants to this event are invited to fill in the EMBRIC Configurator request form [here](#)).



For more information visit:
www.embric.eu/configurator

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Discover our results

EMBRIC showcases: prototype pipelines from the microorganism to product discovery

Deliverable 6.1: Bacteria are key components of the marine environment, performing a wide range of biogeochemical and ecological functions. Molecular ecology has provided us with a picture of what might be there and an idea of the chemistry they may perform. The pipelines established by EMBRIC aims to unlock this potential, utilizing the specialist expertise and facilities of consortium laboratories. In one single experiment to develop the EMBRIC microbial prototype pipeline, 264 rarely isolated species of bacteria were made available for study of their bioactive compounds.

[Read about the prototype pipelines!](#)

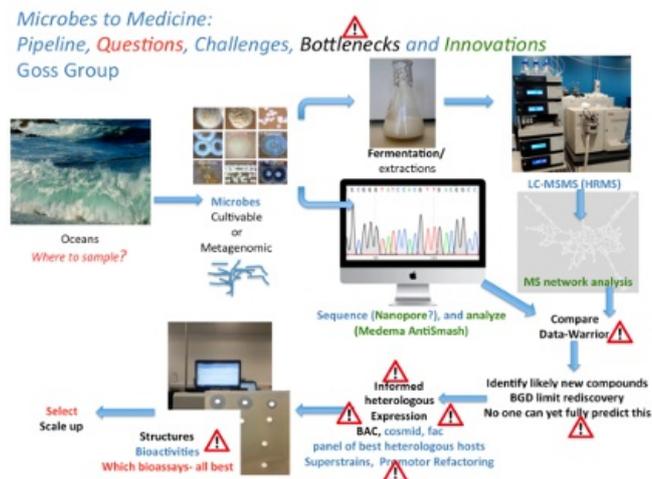


Figure 10. Bottlenecks in the microbial prototype pipeline

Take a look at the EMBRIC results

Get to know ...

Scalpro AS

Scalpro AS was established in December 1995 by 40 shellfish growers and associates as a private limited company to develop the production of bivalve spat. The company's focus is mainly on producing king scallop and flat oyster. The company also sells algal



cultures and R&D services. Scalpro is involved in EMBRIC to test and showcase the working links between academia and industry to foster innovation in blue biotechnology.

Open positions

The European Marine Biological Resource Centre (EMBRC) is looking for:

- EMBRC-ERIC Scientific Officer & Project Manager
- EMBRC-ERIC Communication Office
- EMBRC-ERIC Access Office
- EMBRC-ERIC Administrative Assistant

Deadline for application: 31st of August 2018

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Upcoming EMBRIC events

- **APPRISE workshop** – Station biologique de Roscoff, Roscoff, France, 6-7 September 2018
- **EMBRC General Assembly**, Heraklion, Greece, 18-20 September 2018,
- **ENA sequence retrieval day**, Hinxton, UK, 10 October 2018, [more information](#)
- **European Forum for Industrial Biotechnology (EFIB)**, 16-18 October 2018 in Toulouse, France

Other upcoming events

- ICRI 2018 - 4th International Conference on Research Infrastructures, 12-14 September 2018, Vienna (Austria)
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- The 53rd European Marine Biology Symposium, 17th and 21st September 2018, Ostend, Belgium
[More information](#)
- UGent Blue Growth Summerschool in Ostend, Belgium, 10-21 September 2018
- International Forum on Industrial Biotechnology and Bioeconomy (IFIB), Torino, Italy, 27-28 September
- Biomarine Business Convention in Cascais, Portugal, 2-4 October 2018
- The CORBEL Medical Infrastructure/Users Forum (MIUF) , 15 October 2018, Paris (France)
- International Congress for Marine Biotechnology, 17-20 October 2018 in Monastir, Tunisia
- Our Ocean Youth Leadership Summit 2018, 29-30 October 2018, Bali (Indonesia) [More information](#)
- EuroMarine Steering Committee meeting, 31 October 2018, Paris (France) :
[More information](#)

- CABI training course: Isolation and identification of environmental fungi, 13 - 15 November 2018. The course will take place at CABI, Bakeham Lane, Egham, Surrey, TW20 9TY, UK
[More information](#)
- 'Responsible aquaculture development for food security and economic progress' training course, Nov 26 – Dec 14, 2018, Wageningen University, the Netherlands
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