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## Marine Bioresources NEWS BULLETIN June 2019

### The EU Blue Bioeconomy Report 2019

was launched at the European Maritime Day, 16-17 May 2019, Lisbon. To read the report please visit  
<https://prod5.assets-cdn.io/event/3769/assets/8442090163-fc038d4d6f.pdf>

### Algae Tech Conference will take place 4-5 September in Madrid

Last call for papers. **Early bird discount on registration till 30 June.**  
For more information and to register please visit <https://algaetech-conference.com/>

### Innovate UK

invites your views in online survey to better support innovators in the UK  
<https://surveys.echoresearch.com/s.asp?k=155860903086&H1=1>

### BBI JU Call for proposals 2019

**Deadline 4 September 2019:** <https://www.bbi-europe.eu/participate/call-proposals-2019>

### BioMarine community

For the latest articles and interviews, including SEAentia - a Portuguese startup that aims to sustainably produce meagre and the EMODnet Project <https://biomarine.org/news>

### Most Innovative European Biotech SME Award

EuropaBio invites biotech start-ups and SMEs across Europe to apply for the 10th edition of the award  
**Closing date: 19th September 2019** <http://biotechsmeawards.eu/>

### BBSRC-NERC GCRF Sustainable Enhancement of Agriculture and Aquaculture Production

Translation Call will open 9 July  
<https://bbsrc.ukri.org/funding/filter/2019-gcrf-translation/>

### New EU funded project on low trophic aquaculture

**AquaVitae** has started. This is a 4 year project working to work to increase aquaculture production of low-trophic species in and around the Atlantic Ocean in sustainable ways. <https://cordis.europa.eu/news/rcn/131350/en>

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### Vacancy

#### **4-year PhD studentship available at Aberdeen**

<https://www.findaphd.com/phds/project/developing-a-carbazole-base-biosensor-for-the-measurement-of-methacrylate-intermediates/?p106639>

### Marine bioactive research finding

A newly-discovered bacterial symbiont of the green alga *Bryopsis pennata* is the source of kahalalide F, a bioactive originally isolated over 10 years ago from the seaslug *Aplysia rufescens* and developed by PharmaMar (Spain) for anti-cancer purposes. Kahalalide F is accumulated by *Aplysia* after grazing on *Bryopsis* and allows the seaslug to resist predation: ©Zan J et al <https://science.sciencemag.org/content/364/6445/eaaw6732>

*and finally* **Fish skins and algae** for wrapping your sandwiches?

We've read about Marinatex, which has been designed as an environmentally-responsible replacement for plastic film

© <http://www.sussex.ac.uk/broadcast/read/48861>

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

- **2019 Summer Science Exhibition 1-7 July, London** <https://royalsociety.org/science-events-and-lectures/2019/summer-science-exhibition/>
- **EABA Algae based Biofuels workshop 17-18 July, Brussels** <https://algaeworkshops.org/>
- **Algae Tech Conference 4-5 September, Madrid** <https://algaetech-conference.com/>
- **Nordic Life Science Days 2019 10-12 September 2019, Malmö/Copenhagen, Denmark** <https://www.nlsdays.com/>
- **EFIB 2019 30 Sep- 2 Oct 2019, Brussels** <https://efibforum.com/>
- **CIESM Congress 7-11 Oct 2019 Cascais, Portugal** <http://ciesm.org/marine/congresses/themes.php>
- **AQUACULTURE EUROPE 2019 7-10 October 2019, Berlin, Germany** [http://www.marevent.com/AE19\\_BERLIN.html](http://www.marevent.com/AE19_BERLIN.html)
- **MyBlueCity, 11-12 October 2019, Banyuls, France** <https://biomarine.org/networks/events/14346>
- **BioMarine 2019 4-5 November 2019, Cascais, Portugal** <https://biomarine.org/networks/events/14223>
- **EABA Spirulina workshop 13-14 Nov 2019, Montpellier, France** <https://algaeworkshops.org/>
- **World Ocean Council's Sustainable Ocean Summit 2019, 20-22 November 2019, Paris** <https://sustainableoceansummit.org/>
- **11th annual BlueTech Week, 18-22 November 2019, San Diego** <https://www.bluetechweek.org/>
- **Aquaculture UK 19-21 May 2020, Aviemore, Scotland** <https://aquacultureuk.com/>

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