

Marine Bioresources Interested Colleagues

NEWS BULLETIN April 2018

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UNDER THE NEW GENERAL DATA PROTECTION REGULATION, WE NEED TO ASK YOU TO LET US KNOW BY EMAIL ADMIN@BIOBRIDGE.CO.UK IF YOU'D LIKE TO STAY ON OUR CIRCULATION LIST FOR THE ABOVE PURPOSES. You may ask us at any time to confirm what information we hold.

Briefing events coming up from 30 April for £10m Open Innovation Loans competition

Innovation loans are for UK small or medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) that want to scale up and grow through innovation, developing new or improved products, processes or services. They can be used for late-stage research and development (R&D) projects, which have not yet reached the point of commercialisation. For more information please visit https://ktn-uk.co.uk/news/briefing-dates-announced-for-10m-open-innovation-loans%20competition?utm_campaign=1162378_April%202018%20Events%20Alert&utm_medium=email&utm_source=dotmailer&dm_i=2VFU,OWWA,1J3MTK,2JT5B,1

Consortia Building Workshop: EU Funding for the Bio-Based Industries (BBI) 10 May, Glasgow

for anyone with an interest in participating in European projects in the forthcoming 2018 topics under the Bio-based Industries Joint Undertaking <https://www.bbi-europe.eu/participate/call-proposals-2018>
For more information and free registration please visit https://ktn-uk.co.uk/events/european-support-for-bio-based-industries-event?utm_campaign=1162378_April%202018%20Events%20Alert&utm_medium=email&utm_source=dotmailer&dm_i=2VFU,OWWA,1J3MTK,2JT5B,1

EFIB 2018- Call for Abstracts open- Deadline 1 May

EuropaBio has announced the opening of its call for abstracts for the cutting-edge Industrial Biotech Innovation tracks, at EFIB 2018 in October
http://www.europabio.org/sites/default/files/Call%20for%20abstracts%20EFIB%20Innovation%20Track%202018_1.pdf?utm_source=EFIB+2018+contacts+database&utm_campaign=f4266ab309-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2018_02_05&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_b07c26fbab-f4266ab309-311675033

We hope that you find this newsletter interesting and useful. Feel free to submit news items for our next edition.

BioMarine 2018- Call for Abstracts for PhD students

Deadline 1 May

For more information please visit

<https://biomarine.org/networks/biomarine/news/38880>

Other news

UK Research and Innovation

From 1 April 2018, operating across the whole of the UK with a combined budget of more than £6 billion, UK Research and Innovation brings together the seven Research Councils, Innovate UK and a new organisation, Research England.

<https://www.ukri.org>

EMBRC

THE EUROPEAN MARINE BIOLOGICAL RESOURCE CENTRE

EMBRC-ERIC is established : a pan-European Research Infrastructure (RI) for marine biology and ecology research

<http://www.embrc.eu/newsroom/embrc-eric-established-20th-february-2018>

PHYCONET

Latest news and newsletter available at <http://www.phyconet.org.uk/news>

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https://scholar.google.com/citations?hl=en&user=jwLpTAAAAAJ&view_op=list_works&sortby=pubdate

PILOTS4U survey

Your help is sought in participating in a short survey designed to gather information about the type of equipment and services that organisations like yours require, or are looking for, when bringing an innovative process towards commercialisation.

<https://www.biopilots4u.eu/survey>

US Algae Agriculture Act of 2018

Introduced to support algae farming across the US <https://www.govtrack.us/congress/bills/115/hr5373>

Dates for your diary

- **EMBRC workshop** “Practical steps for facilitating the use of marine biological resources for commercial R&D in the context of new Access & Benefit Sharing Legal Framework” **16 May** Plouzane, France . For information please contact justine.pittera@polemer-ba.com
- **European Maritime Day 31 May – 1 June Burgas, Bulgaria**
<https://ec.europa.eu/maritimeaffairs/maritimeday/en/burgas-2018>
- **Marine Tech Expo 21 June 2018 Plymouth** <https://www.marinetechexpo.co.uk/>
- **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
- **BioMarine Business Convention 2-4 October Cascais**
<https://biomarine.org/networks/biomarine/events/6272>
- **EFIB 2018 16-18 October Toulouse** <http://www.europabio.org/events/european-forum-industrial-biotechnology-and-bioeconomy-efib-0>

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