

OCEAN

DIVING INTO THE UNKNOWN

AN IMMERSIVE EXHIBITION TO DISCOVER UNSUSPECTED BIODIVERSITY.

Largely inaccessible and mostly unknown, the ocean is home to fascinating forms of life. The exhibition offers a journey to the heart of this incredible biodiversity, far from the shore and its familiar species, and raises awareness of the dangers threatening the environment.



Xanthistes maculata © MNHN - T.Y. Chen



A WORLD TO EXPLORE

Although it occupies the greatest portion of our planet, the ocean remains largely unexplored! Large friezes of pictures, interactive devices and models demonstrate the constraints of the marine environment for humans and the incredible challenge represented by its exploration.



DRIFT WITH THE CURRENT

Interactive devices and a vast 360° audiovisual display reveal unsuspected forms of life invisible to the naked eye: the world of microscopic plankton. The exhibition highlights the beauty of these organisms and the essential role they play for the planet.



A DIVE INTO EXTREME ENVIRONMENTS

Immersive projections and natural specimens invite visitors to plunge into unusual, largely inaccessible environments: undersea and polar regions. Here we find remarkable forms of life, adapted to extreme living conditions.



AN OCEAN OF PROMISES

Taking as a starting point the marine organism in its surroundings, here the exhibition presents the ocean's little known resources, while promoting a respectful approach to nature, no longer based on what we can extract from it but what we can learn from it.



BETWEEN MYTHS AND REALITY

Coelacanths, giant oarfish and giant squids unveil part of their mystery. Through myths and large projections, visitors discover a host of creatures, navigating between fantastic bestiaries and natural history treatises.

An exhibition produced in 2019 by the Muséum national d'Histoire naturelle on an original surface area of 1,000 m²



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HOW YOU CAN HOST THE OCEAN EXHIBITION

HOST A CUSTOMIZED ADAPTATION

100 – 1 000 M²

This is a scenographic or graphic adaptation of the original exhibition consisting of:

- The grant of use for the museographic and scientific concept
- Content in the form of digital files (museographic programme, texts in French and English, audiovisual and multimedia resources)
- Additional objects and devices to be handled
- Museographic assistance for project adaptation
- Mediation tools for the exhibition: educational materials and files
- Scientific and cultural programming resources around the exhibition

HOST THE LIGHT VERSION

80 – 100 M²

The Light Version is a synthesis of the original exhibition in the form of 15 graphic panels. It allows you to present a high-quality support for mediation on an original theme. It includes:

- Graphic panels in the form of digital files, ready for printing
- Mediation tools for the exhibition: educational materials and files
- Audiovisuals and multimedia for projection on your screens (optional)

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THE EXHIBITION AT A GLIMPSE

- Devices to be handled
- Interactive multimedia
- Audiovisuals and soundtracks
- Vast immersive projections

FURTHER INFORMATION

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