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CENTRO PLURILINGÜE COLEGIO LABOR

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Introduction

Labor School and #EMDInMyCountry.

Labor School is located in Vigo town, where you can find the biggest fishing harbour of Europe. Thousands of students have passed through our doors since 1932.

We want to bring EMD In My Country 2022 to our school as we understand that a sustainable blue growth will contribute to mitigate climate change and it will benefit our coastal economy, therefore we want to be part of ocean awareness.

Besides Erasmus programs and EMD, this 2022 is, also, the European Year of Youth, so we find an special interest to encourage our students to become responsible citizens and positive change participants.

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"Labor omnia vincit" is a Latin phrase meaning "Work conquers all" and also is the motto adopted for our School. We want to draw inspiration from work and actions to achieve and build a better future.



Programme of Activities

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The goal is to provide an overview of the situation of our oceans and sustainable blue growth. As Vigo community belongs to a traditional fishing society, we also focus on the role of fishing.

The audience is a group of 100 pupils of 12 to 16 years old, and reservations are required for another group of up to 100 persons, between parents and general public.

The agenda includes two speeches that will be held in the meeting hall of our School.



The facilities are in: Av. das Camelias, 53; 36211 Vigo, Pontevedra, Spain, Europe. There is another entry in: Calle Romil 66, Phone: 986 41 45 29.

The meeting hall has a capacity for 200 persons with sound and light equipment and video and slide projector.

Speech on 24 May by Dr. Francisco Saborido-Rey.



Dr. Francisco Saborido-Rey is the Director of Institute of Marine Research (IIM-CSIC). One of the main marine research centers in the Iberian Peninsula, aiming to contribute to UN Sustainability Goals and to support society to overcome the huge challenges that stand in front of us.

Fran Saborido-Rey is B.S. and PhD in Biology by UAM (Autonomous University of Madrid). As a scientific, his research deals with the fishing ecology study of commercial species (cod, Greenland halibut, redfish, and hake), and coastal and tropical species, to advise on the state of the resources and the measures to achieve a sustainable fishery.

His speech will be on 24th May between 10:30 and 12:00 A.M.

Speech on XXXX by Dr. Susan Steele.



Dr Susan Steele is the executive Director of EFCA (European Fisheries Control Agency) in Vigo, Europe. She holds a PhD from the National University of Ireland, an MBA, a Masters in Education (M.Ed) and a Bachelor in Marine Biology.

She has been Executive Chair and CEO of the Sea Fisheries Protection Authority of Ireland and before that position she was Head of Innovation at the Seafood Development Centre and Head of Aquaculture and Business Training in Ireland's Seafood Development Board.

This event will be also promoted via the Directorate-General for Maritime Affairs and Fisheries' information channels and social media #EMDInMyCountry.

