

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS



ABOUT THE STREET WHALE 2023

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treet Whale 2023 to be held from 07 to 10 June 2023 in Kribi. The Street Whale is an annual workshop whose aim is to promote the protection of our ocean and its marine wildlife in Cameroon, while developing strategies for the management of marine and coastal resources. Indeed, AMMCO encourages synergies between stakeholders acting on the coastal marine, improves scientific knowledge and raises awareness on its importance and the threats it faces. It is in this idea that AMMCO initiated the Street Whale event, in collaboration with local and international partners.

Now in its third edition, this workshop aims to improve the management of marine and coastal resources in Cameroon through :

- awareness of fishermen and the general public;
- capacity building of civil society;
- experience sharing/symposium;
- development of synergies/ networking;
- development of a five-year strategic management plan.



WE ARE ACCEPTING ABSTRACT FOR CONTRIBUTION TO THE SCIENTIFIC PART OF THE STREET WHALE



The event will combine science with art and sport and will be articulated around scientific workshops, sharing sessions with foreign actors, artistic performances (music, dance, and painting), beach volleyball sessions, construction of a monument as well as beach cleaning campaigns. We are accepting abstract for contribution to the scientific part of the Street whale.

[Submit your abstract here.](#)



Open Calls

The symposium is open for marine and coastal conservation scientists and professionals working in Cameroon, including researchers, students, agency personnel, educators, practitioners, CSOs and other marine and coastal stakeholders. Attendees gather for lively discussions and scientific presentations on the biodiversity conservation, marine/coastal ecology, fisheries, habitat, pollution, MPA's governance and more marine and coastal related issues.

Abstracts for Contributed Presentations (oral and speed talks and poster presentations) are due on **10 May 2023 at 11:59pm**. Abstracts for contributed presentations should be no more than 300 words. More information is available on the Abstract Submission Form, which is accessible from [this link](#).

Street Whale 2023 scientific activities schedule

- **15 April** : open call for abstracts and registration
- **10 May**: abstracts submission close
- **20 May**: Participants selected notified
- **30 May**: Registration close
- **07 June**: opening plenary session/ ceremony / keynote
- **07-09 June**: Main scientific program

[Click here to submit your abstract for Street Whale 2023 symposium](#)



STREET WHALE SESSION TYPES

- Roundtable Discussions
- capacity building
- Workshops
- Contributed Presentations/symposium
- Oral Talks
- Speed Talks
- Poster Presentations
- Art, dance, painting
- Sport
- Beach cleaning
- Field trip
- Gala



Contributed Presentations

Contributed presentations are grouped into sessions by topic and are scheduled in 120-minute sessions. Abstracts for contributed presentations should be no more than 300 words.

Oral Talks

Oral presentations share your research with participants in your contributed session and include an opportunity to interact with the audience. Oral presentations demonstrate why your research is valid and matters for conservation and explain the outcomes or expected outcomes of your research. Oral presentations are presented in 10-minutes in length, followed by a three-minute question and answer period with the audience.

Speed Talks

Like oral presentations, speed talks aim to inform and convey to the audience why your research matters for conservation. They provide a rapid and intense overview of your research. Speed presentations are conducted in 5-minutes or less and feature a brief audience Q&A.

Poster Presentations

Poster presentations are a visual and concise way to showcase conservation science and projects that provide opportunities to interact with a wide audience. Since a poster format is best when your material can easily be communicated visually, text should be limited to brief statements. Each presentation should make a unified, coherent statement. Poster will be presented at the venue during the entire symposium period and authors will have a session to interact with interested people in the audience.

 **Register here**

Registration fees :

Professionals: 20.000 XAF

Students: 10.000 XAF



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