

Ocean Energy Forum



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The Ocean Energy Forum was created by the European Commission in 2014. It provides a meeting place for industry, the public sector and NGOs to discuss how to overcome the barriers to the development of the ocean energy sector and help it on the path to full-scale commercialisation. The Forum consists of three work-streams – Finance, Technology and Environment and Consenting, each with their own Steering Committees and Chair, as well as a supporting Secretariat.

The work of the Ocean Energy Forum will result in the production of a Strategic Roadmap setting out the challenges faced by the industry and the proposed solutions (key recommendations) to overcome these challenges, building on European leadership in ocean energy to develop technology for Europe's power demand over the next 35 years.

If you have an interest in the R&D priorities and policy recommendations for the Ocean Energy Sector, please register at the email address above to join our mailing list.

Registration and attendance at the Open Session conferences is free.

2015 Events

**1 JULY 2015 • Bilbao
OPEN SESSION CONFERENCE**

Steering Committee Chairs present Finance, Technology and Environment & Consenting Steering Committee topics (3 papers)

**18 SEPTEMBER 2015 • London
STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING**

Draft Strategic Roadmap sign-off
Signed-off contents for Draft Strategic Roadmap before first submission to the EU Commission 20 October 2015

Revised 2016 Events Programme

**23-24 FEBRUARY 2016 • Edinburgh
OPEN SESSION CONFERENCE**

Co-locating with the International Conference on Ocean Energy

Discussion on and input to the Draft Strategic Roadmap's evidence-base and key recommendations

**22 JUNE 2016 • Paris
FORUM MEETING**

Further details TBC numbers limited

Verification of the Draft Strategic Roadmap evidence-base and sign-off on the key recommendation proposals (implementation plans)

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**8 NOVEMBER 2016 • Brussels
OPEN SESSION CONFERENCE**

Presentation of Final Strategic Roadmap

A.M. session - further details tbc
Presentation of the Final Strategic Roadmap

Tidal Stream

Tidal Range

OTEC

Salinity Gradient

Wave