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A SERIES ABOUT THE FUTURE OF OUR OCEANS

OCEAN INNOVATORS



Welcome to OCEAN INNOVATORS®

Commonwealth Blue Charter & Rotary Mangrove restoration projects

Ocean Innovators® is a unique opportunity to **showcase the work of innovators and ask the community some support.**

We will promote projects on social media.

Below is a brief itinerary for OCEAN INNOVATORS® and an outline of information about what to expect on the show.

INNOVATIONS-
ALL AROUND THE WORLD

INNOVATIONS TO HELP OUR OCEANS

INNOVATIONS
WORTH
SHARING

Our Mangrove episodes

Season 2: The importance of Mangroves

Episodes Synopsis

According to the Food and Agriculture Organisation (FAO) of the United Nations, Mangrove forests are in decline, but the rate of loss is slowing. Mangroves are tropical species found on sheltered coastlines and estuaries in the tropical and subtropical area of the world. The plant covering less than 1% of all tropical forests worldwide.

The main threat for mangroves is the conversion of land for other use such as agriculture, aquaculture, urban development and infrastructure. Between 1980 and 2005, an alarming 20% of mangrove area was lost.

- How to protect what is left of mangroves?
- How to reverse human-driven losses of mangroves?
- What are the consequences of mangrove loss?

Publications

All Mangrove Restoration Projects undertaken by Rotary and Rotaract will be featured on the following page:

- <https://oceaninnovators.org/tag/mangrove/>

Each article will be promoted on social media over a period of 2 weeks. ESRAG will promote each via their social media and Newsletter.

Contacts

- If you have any questions, please email or call our team members anytime. They are listed below:

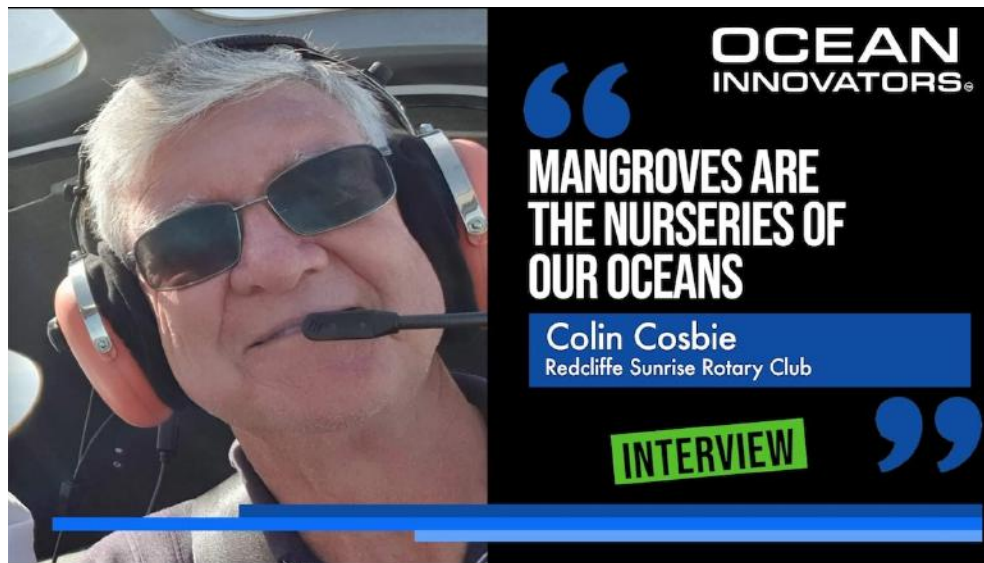
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Example of Articles & Videos



- <https://oceaninnovators.org/sdgs/goal-15-life-on-land/redcliffe-sunrise-rotary-club/>
- https://youtu.be/Vwpr-N_TleU

Presentation of Rotary Club of Redcliffe Sunrise Rotary Club - undertaking mangrove awareness projects during World Mangrove Day to bring attention to the importance of mangroves..



- <https://oceaninnovators.org/ocean-expert/colin-cosbie/>
- https://youtu.be/Unl_dgE54_w

Interview of Colin Cosbie - Rotarian at the Redcliffe Sunrise Rotary Club in the Moreton Bay, Australia.

Example of Articles & Videos



- <https://oceaninnovators.org/sdgs/goal-15-life-on-land/mangrove-restoration-by-rotaract-club-of-malindi/>
- <https://youtu.be/vFYwv898WNQ>

Presentation of the Rotaract Club of Malindi - The club was chartered back in May 2003 and had 20 members actively participating in club Mangrove restoration activities. Since 2017, this exceptionally experienced club has planted more than 80,000 propagules and more than 50,000 seedlings with the help of the community.



- <https://oceaninnovators.org/ocean-expert/erick-weje/>
- https://youtu.be/oQ_pkCj8rs8

Interview of Erick Weje - Rotarian and a Rotaractor at the Rotaract Club of Malindi in Kenya.

Example of Articles & Videos



- <https://oceaninnovators.org/sdgs/goal-15-life-on-land/mangrove-restoration-by-rotaract-phoenix/>
- <https://youtu.be/wtzipvVq2gM>

Presentation of Rotaract Phoenix - a fun and dynamic team of around 20 members working together on projects based on the areas of focus of Rotary International.



- <https://oceaninnovators.org/ocean-expert/shama-bisnauthsing/>
- https://youtu.be/m_E_MbV_UXg

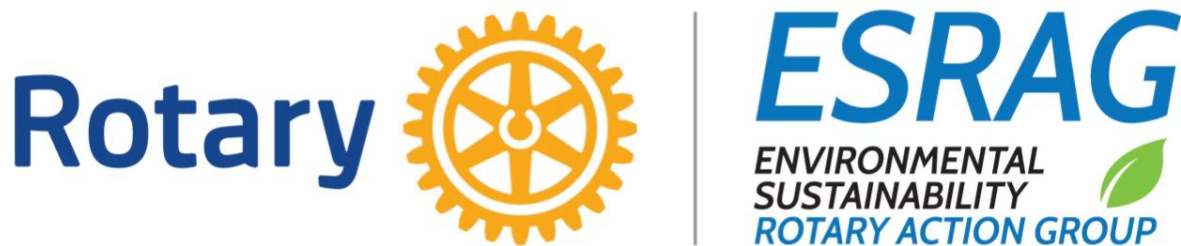
Interview of Shama Bisnauthsing - President of Rotaract Phoenix in Mauritius.

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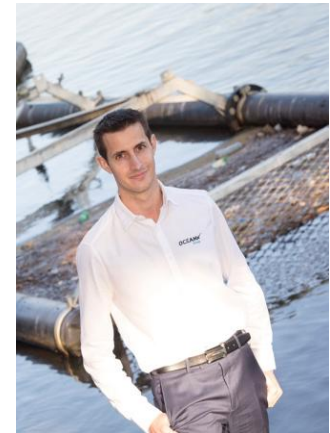
Introducing [OCEAN INNOVATORS®](#), an online video/podcast series, connecting and empowering social and technological innovators dedicated to exploring sustainable solutions to save our oceans. Ocean Innovator, Vic Grosjean, takes us on a journey into the smart tech and social advances acting to support ocean-related SDGs (Sustainable Development Goals). How do we maintain life below water, how to provide clean water for world population, how to adopt responsible consumption and production in an environment increasingly impacted by humans?

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Your Host - Vic Grosjean

Vic Grosjean is a Franco-Australian Engineer & Oceanographer. Vic began his career in designing systems for Environmental Monitoring and worked in France, New-Zealand, Singapore - and has since gone on to run his own Engineering Consultancy in Melbourne, Australia. Vic is a regular keynote speaker at worldwide events surrounding tech, environment and social community actions. He was awarded as 1 of 6 Rotary People of Action, **Young Innovators at the United Nations** for his unique approach to empower the community with technology. He was also recognised as one of **Australian's most innovative Engineers** in 2019. Vic has always been heavily immersed in all aspects of Ocean Conservation and Technology.



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SET UP
PLASTIC REPROCESSING FACILITY

RECYCLING

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REPLACE
PLASTIC STRAWS

INNOVATION

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PICKING
COVID-19 EQUIPMENT DEBRIS
AT THE BOTTOM OF THE SEAS

ACTIVITIES

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“
BE RESPONSIBLE
ADOPT AN ETHICAL BEHAVIOR
”

Michele Barbier
Institute for Science & Ethics

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“
KNOWLEDGE - CARING - CHANGE
ARE THE MAJOR WORDS
PEOPLE NEED TO DIGEST
”

Kai Khalid Mierthig
Founder of "W-AJ-STE"

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TERRACYCLE
GLOBAL FOUNDATION

RECYCLE
WHAT IS NOT RECYCLED

PARTNERSHIP

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“
WAKASHIO WILL NOT
PUT US DOWN,
WE WILL OVERCOME THIS
”

Dr Vikash Tatayah
Mauritius Wildlife Foundation

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“
THIS IS OUR ONE & ONLY PLANET
AND WE NEED TO TAKE
RESPONSIBILITY FOR IT RIGHT NOW
”

Darren Lomman
Greenbrock Foundation

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“
IF ALL WE DO IS CLEAN-UP,
THAT'S ALL WE'LL EVER DO
”

Heidi Tait
The Australian Marine Debris Initiative (AMD)

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“
ALWAYS LOOK BEHIND
WHAT YOU BUY
”

Marion Vigot
Mister EYE

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“
YOU VOTE FOR THE FUTURE
WHERE YOU WANT TO LIVE IN
WITH WHAT YOU BUY
”

Tom Szaky
TerraCycle Global Foundation

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“
IF YOU WANT TO ACT
GO FOR IT
”

Baptiste de La Gournerie
Founder of Utopia - A sea named Plastics

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