



Marine Social Science Network Newsletter September 2020

Welcome to September's MarSocSci Newsletter!

Here you'll find recent publication updates from across the MarSocSci community, links to useful resources, including forthcoming sessions in both the MarSocSci Webinar Series and MarSocSciAus's seminars. You'll find our latest ocean read - and there's still *just* enough time if you want to join in with September's book - and the information about this month's MarSocSciBookClub chat. We'd also LOVE to hear from more of you and include more information about what #TeamMarSocSci is up to - so you'll find a info about our forthcoming blogpost section on MarSocSci.net in here too!

As ever, we encourage you to use the platforms created by #TeamMarSocSci to promote your projects, publications and calls for collaboration. If you want to contribute to the next newsletter, have anything you would like us to promote, or if you have any suggestions as to how we can further support the MarSocSci community, contact us on comms@marsocsci.net or through @MarSocSci on Twitter and Instagram. Remember to tag us and use the #MarSocSci and #TeamMarSocSci hashtags!



We have expanded our social media reach - you can now also find us on Instagram (@MarSocSci). We'd love to see your photos of your field work, and your depictions of people and the sea (or coast!). We will be choosing one photo each month to promote across the MarSocSci community. Send us in

your photos on the theme of 'people and the sea' to comms@marsocsci.net to be featured! Please include the photo, a brief blurb of where it was taken or how it relates to your #marsocsci research, and the credit you would like us to use!



MarSocSci's Webinar Series

MarSocSci Webinar - Wednesday 30th September - 12:00 BST

Join Glen Smith's webinar on 30th September, 1200-1300 BST to hear about efforts to adapt to climate change in Ireland's coastal and marine environments. Using two comparative case studies, the Maharees in County Kerry and the town of Youghal in County Cork, Glen will explore a range of risks and opportunities associated with climate change adaptation. Glen, from MaREI: the SFI Research Centre for Energy, Climate and Marine research and innovation, the Environmental Research Institute (ERI), University College Cork, is working on the BCOMAR project (Building Coastal and Marine Resilience), which is framed by the impacts of climate change. Research so far suggests that a situated understanding of adaptation must first be co-designed, and you can look forward to hearing more about that and learning through the contrasting case studies.

Register for the webinar [here](#)

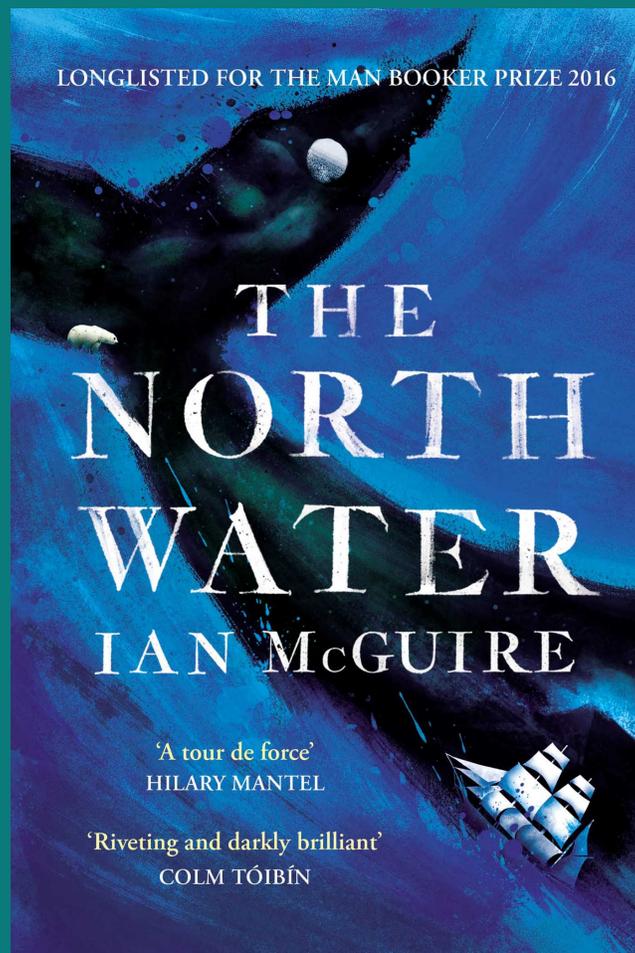
If you can't make the webinar, don't fear! We will be recording all of our webinars and making them available on the MarSocSci [YouTube Channel](#).

If you would like to put forward a topic for a future webinar, send us an email at info@marsocsci.net

Update from the MarSocSci Book Club!

Each month, we will choose a different book, and schedule a Zoom chat to discuss it. We'd love you to join in, and to come along to the chat - feel free to bring a cuppa or a vino! We will also alternate the times of the chats each month so that as many people as possible can take part.

This month we have selected *The North Water* by Ian McGuire



September's #MarSocSciBookClub chat is scheduled for 30 September 2020 at 1600 BST.

To join the chat, [email info@marsocsci.net](mailto:info@marsocsci.net) beforehand to be sent the joining details and access code.

If you're not able to make this due to your timezone, please drop us an email

at info@marsocsci.net to let us know where you are and we'll try to move the time for next month to accommodate more people.



Would you like an opportunity to introduce new readers to your work and build up your profile?

We're looking for guest bloggers for the brand new MarSocSci blog. Share your research or opinion and reach out to the whole MarSocSci community.

Interested? Please send 600-800 words plus a 100-word biography to info@marsocsci.net. Include 2 or 3 in-text photos plus an author photo to accompany the biography – and don't forget to provide photo credits.

Your blog post will feature on the MarSocSci website, be included in our newsletter and be promoted on our Twitter feed. Content written for the MarSocSci blog should be original and not published elsewhere.

We're looking forward to reading and sharing them!

Call for Participants Marine Conservation in the Irish Sea

A study conducted by Constance Schéré, a PhD candidate at King's College London studying marine conservation in the Irish Sea, is exploring the role equity (i.e. fairness and inclusion) plays in MPA effectiveness. Carlingford Lough is one of three case-study sites included in her research. In order to fully understand the state of equitable conservation in the Irish Sea, this study is looking to recruit participants in

the Carlingford Lough area to part in a short, fully anonymous online survey on their computer or smartphone. This survey is open to anyone with an interest in the conservation and protection of the lough. It should take about 15 minutes to complete and all participants who complete the survey can choose to be entered into a prize draw to win 1 of 3 Amazon gift cards, worth up to £/€100. Participants can also choose to be interviewed (by phone or by Skype) to elaborate on any issues or good practices they feel are most important regarding how Carlingford Lough is being managed and protected. Find more information on the study [here](#).

Access the survey [here](#)

MarSocSci Opportunities Jobs, Research, Tenders.....and more..

Jobs

Community Engagement Coordinator - Government of Canada - Canada - Closes 2 October - More information [here](#)

Associate Lecturer in Geography and Sustainable Development - University of st Andrews - England - Closes 29 September - More information [here](#)

PhDs

Venice and its Environments: Navigating Memory, Culture and Crisis - Coventry University - England - Closes 7 October - More information [here](#)

Law and Economics of Special Regimes for Transboundary Marine Energy Resources - University of Dundee - Scotland - Closes 31 October - More information [here](#)

Engaging Consumers in CSR Dialogue Through Social Media: The Power of "Plastic in the Oceans" Trend - University of Portsmouth - England - Applications accepted all year round - More information [here](#)

Post Docs, Research Positions and Funding

Marine Economist or Social Scientist - Wageningen University - Netherlands - Closes 22 September - More information [here](#)

Research Scientist (American Lobster) - Fisheries and Oceans Canada - Canada - Closes 24 September - More information [here](#)

Call for Proposals - European Commission - Marine Strategy Framework Directive:
Support to the preparation of the next 6 year cycle on implementation - Closes
30 September - More Information [here](#)

Post Doc Scholar - The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill - Making Oceans
Worlds: The Big Data Revolution and Oceans Governance - Closes 15th October -
More information [here](#)

MarSocSci in press - recent and interesting publications from across the community!

Flannery, W. et al. (2020). Special Issue: A critical turn in Marine Spatial Planning.
Maritime Studies. Available [here](#).

Gomez, S. and Maynou, F. (2020). Economic, sociocultural and ecological
dimensions of fishing capacity in NW Mediterranean fisheries. Ocean & Coastal
Management. Available [here](#).

Gruby, R. et al. (2020). Policy interactions in large-scale marine protected areas.
Society for Conservation Biology. Available [here](#).

Moon, K. et al. (2020). Coupling property rights with responsibilities to improve
conservation outcomes across land and seascapes. Available [here](#).

Niner, H. et al. (2020). The pandemic push: can COVID-19 reinvent conferences to
models rooted in sustainability, equitability and inclusion?. Socio-Ecological Practice
Research. Available [here](#).

Quinn, T. et al. (2020). Community Resilience and Well-Being: An Exploration of
Relationality and Belonging after Disasters. Available [here](#).

Stoll, J. et al. (2020). Alternative seafood networks during COVID-19: Implications for
resilience and sustainability. Preprint in EcoEvoRxiv. Available [here](#).

Stojanovic, T. and Gee, K. (2020). Governance as a framework to theorise and
evaluate marine planning. Available [here](#).

Wardropper, C. et al. (2020). Maintaining rigorous standards while collecting online



Updates from MarSocSci on Tour

Update from MarSocSci Australia



Lyn Goldsworthy

on

'Finding the 'conservation' in CCAMLR: Is CCAMLR a 'conservation' regime or just another fisheries body?'

Join the 3rd MarSocSci Australia Seminar on Sept. 23rd at 1pm AEST

Register [here](#)

The Convention on the Conservation of Antarctic Marine Living Resources (CCAMLR) was adopted in the 1980s amid concerns of a growth in unregulated fishing in the region. The Convention's objective – 'the conservation of Antarctic marine living resources' – reflects the negotiators' intention for CCAMLR's responsibilities to extend beyond fisheries responsibilities to

the conservation of all species and marine ecosystems in the Convention area. The intention of CCAMLR's objective has generated significant debate throughout CCAMLR's 39 years of operation and there appears to be no commonly agreed interpretation among CCAMLR signatories. A review of management measures adopted by the Commission illustrates that CCAMLR has made significant advances regarding the delivery of ecosystem-based and precautionary fisheries management but has struggled to deliver management measures that might stand independently of fisheries management or extend to species or habitats not directly impacted by fishing operations. The Southern Ocean is now experiencing rapid physical changes associated with climate change impacts which will have significant implications on CCAMLR's capacity to deliver on its objective, either as a conservation regime or as a regional fisheries body.

You can find out more about forthcoming speakers on the MarSocSci Australia [webpage](#).

If you want to join MarSocSci Australia, contact [Karen Alexander](#).



**Welcoming our newest MarSocSci Network Chapter - MARSSI is the all-island
Marine Social Sciences Network Ireland**

We welcome researchers, policy-makers and practitioners in the marine and coastal sector. If you are based on the island of Ireland and would like to make connections with people like you who are driving the field of marine social science on the island of Ireland, we would love to hear from you. MARSSI is a network for those just starting

out to those at the top of their careers and we want to create a national community, supporting articulation and communication of the complex and complicated relationship between society and the sea. To find out more, contact Ruth Brennan (Republic of Ireland co-lead) at ruth.brennan@tcd.ie and Heather Ritchie (Northern Ireland co-lead) at h.ritchie@ulster.ac.uk.

Don't forget - if you are arranging a regional or local MarSocSci meet up, let us know so we can promote it across the MarSocSci community and through the newsletter. Let us know by emailing info@marsocsci.net



Useful websites and other links

Targeted Consultation: What's next for the future of our ocean? - Consultation on international ocean governance - European Commission Maritime Forum -
Read [here](#)

MARE Marine Social Sciences Manifesto

Link to papers [here](#) and short video [here](#)

Ocean Frontiers Institute: Governance in a changing North Atlantic Ocean -
Webinar Recordings - Watch [here](#)

PERICLES Coastal and Marine Cultural Heritage - Webinar Recordings -
Watch [here](#)

Seafish: The Seafood Ethics Common Language Group - community interest -
Read [here](#)

Do celebrity endorsements really help environmental campaigns? - General Interest - Read [here](#)



Upcoming Events, Conferences and Training

Where possible, we have noted if events and conferences have been postponed or cancelled. When we hear of any changes, postponements or cancellations, we will do our best to let you know through the newsletter or on Twitter @MarSocSci

TRAINING

Human Nature - Introduction to Social Science for Conservation online course - 13-15 October 2020 - More information [here](#)

Learning for Nature - Communicating the Value of Biodiversity e-learning course - More information [here](#)

EVENTS & CONFERENCES

Sustainable Oceans Conference - 25-26 September 2020, Online - More information [here](#)

MASTS Annual Science Meeting 2020: "MASTS - A Decade of Innovation" - 5-9 October 2020, Online - More information [here](#)

Coastal Transitions: The Blue Economy - 4-8 November 2020, New Haven, Connecticut, USA - More information [here](#)

Human Health and the Ocean in a Changing World - 2-4 December 2020, Monaco

- More information [here](#)

ECSA 58 - EMECS 13: Estuaries and coastal seas in the Anthropocene – Structure, functions, services and management - 6-10 September 2021, Hull, UK - More information [here](#)

Our Coastal Futures 2020 - Future Earth Coast Open Science Conference - **POSTPONED**. 17-21 October 2021. More information [here](#)

CONSMARK 2021 - organised by SCB Conservation Marketing and Engagement Working Group - 28-30 October 2021, Florida, USA - More information [here](#)

2020 Regional Studies Association Annual Conference - Transformations: Relational spaces beyond urban and rural, Ljubljana, Slovenia - **POSTPONED to 2022** - More information [here](#)

*****If you would like to promote an event or training through MarSocSci, send the the information to us at comms@marsocsci.net*****

Get in touch!

To contact the Marine Social Sciences Network to submit to our Collection of Case Studies and Success Stories, for information about upcoming events, or to be added to our newsletter, email us on comms@marsocsci.net

Please send anything you would like us to consider for the next newsletter.

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