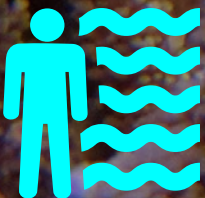




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CALL FOR  
**PROPOSALS**  
**FOR CORAL**  
**RESTORATION**  
**PROJECTS**





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## Call for Proposals for Coral Restoration Projects

OCEAN US is an international foundation founded with the mission to help return the ocean ecosystem to a state of completeness.

Recognizing the importance of coral reefs in supporting marine biodiversity and the particular challenges to meet the goals of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework to restore 30% of degraded habitats for shallow-water tropical corals, OCEAN US is looking at delivering projects at scale supporting communities in need whose livelihoods are linked to coral reefs that have degraded.

To this end, OCEAN US is launching a call for project owners, referring to those entitled to conduct the restoration project, to submit proposals for ready-to-implement coral reef restoration projects that will be considered for support. Priority will be given to proposals coming from Small Developing Island States. Pre-selected proposals will be required to provide additional documentation and will be invited to a meeting.

Interested parties can submit the forms, using the template below, to: [corals@oceanus.life](mailto:corals@oceanus.life)

This is an open call, but projects considered suitable may be addressed on a first comes-first serves basis.

Sincerely,

**Carlos M. Duarte**

Chief Scientist  
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# OCEAN US Coral Reef Initiative Project Proposal Form

To be submitted in pdf form to:

[corals@oceanus.life](mailto:corals@oceanus.life)

Maximum 3 pages.

Please add appendices as needed.

- 01. Project name:**
- 02. Project location** (describe the location, setting, socioeconomic context and size of the coral reef to be restored, attach a map):
- 03. Cause of reef degradation** (describe the understanding of the drivers of reef degradation):
- 04. Have the causes of reef degradation been removed?** (describe the actions undertaken to remove the pressures that led to reef degradation):
- 05. Project owner.** Who is entitled to authorize the project? Identify the project owner(s), the main contact persons, providing contact details, along with a list of relevant stakeholders that will participate, understanding that these have already agreed to participate and agree to them being named as stakeholders in this proposal. Are permits to conduct the restoration project secured?:
- 06. Justification for project selection.** Please justify the reasons that justify the selection of this as a suitable project:
- 07. Restoration methodology.** Please, if available, indicate if a restoration project has been already been designed, and provide details on the methodology to be used:
- 08. Restoration costs.** Please provide an itemized budget of the estimated costs of the restoration project, and the time span for the restoration project to be completed. Identify resources available, either financial or in-kind, and the financial gap that needs be met for the project to be conducted:
- 09. Benefits.** Please indicate what will be the benefits expected from the restoration project:
- 10. Readiness.** Please indicate the prior work that makes the project ready for investment:



**OCEAN US is an international foundation** that has set itself a very ambitious goal: rebuilding the world's oceans.



**OCEAN US has designed a unique working strategy** that unites in every global project the needs of the oceans with those of economy and society

# ABOUT OCEAN US



**Vision:** We want the ocean to return to its completeness for our global sustainable future.



**Mision:** We rebuild marine life through science and together with society.



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