

BATH OCEAN PLASTIC DAY

MONDAY 13th JANUARY 2020 - KOMEDIA | BATH

6:15 - 7:45pm

TRUTH ABOUT PLASTICS: THE GOOD, THE BAD AND THE UGLY

Join us for an inspirational evening with Emily Penn, the woman behind eXXpedition Round-the-World, the all-female voyage shifting their sails in search of answers to solve the ocean plastic crisis.

Emily will be joined by speakers from City to Sea and Naturbeads (a University of Bath spinout) to talk about the current state of our oceans, plastic waste, bioplastics myths as well as current research and innovation. Bath based businesses Wessex Water and Finisterre will also present, providing practical solutions and examples of corporate and individual resolution and action.

With a lively Q+A session to conclude, this evening promises to provide stimulating food for thought.

TICKETS £10

Available from <https://www.3sg.org.uk/events/bath-ocean> and Komedia box office

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SPEAKERS



Emily Penn - eXXpedition

Emily is a skipper, ocean advocate and artist dedicated to studying environmental challenges in the most remote parts of our planet.

An experienced public speaker, Emily has spoken around the world at TEDx conferences, universities and global companies. Last year she addressed Presidents, Prime Ministers, Fisheries & Climate Ministers from around the globe at the United Nations General Assembly 'Sustainable Oceans and the Blue Economy' event.



Deborah Luffman - Finisterre

Deborah works in textile development and sustainable innovation - setting and pushing the agenda on sustainable textiles used within the Finisterre range of outdoor apparel.



Livy Drake - City to Sea

Livy is a behaviour change consultant, with a background in sustainable events, marketing and public engagement campaigns.



Giovanna Laudisio, Naturbeads, (a University of Bath spinout)

Giovanna has more than 15 years of experience in R&D and technology commercialisation. She co-founded Naturbeads together with Profs Janet Scott and Davide Mattia of the University of Bath in 2018.



Matt Wheeldon - Wessex Water

Matt is a Chartered Civil Engineer with 20 years' experience working at Wessex Water where he is Director of Asset Strategy and Compliance. He is passionate about the environment, co-chairs a national working group tackling microplastics, and campaigns for legislative and cultural change against flushing plastic containing products.

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