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# Ocean EDGE:

The European Database of Good Examples in ocean education & outreach



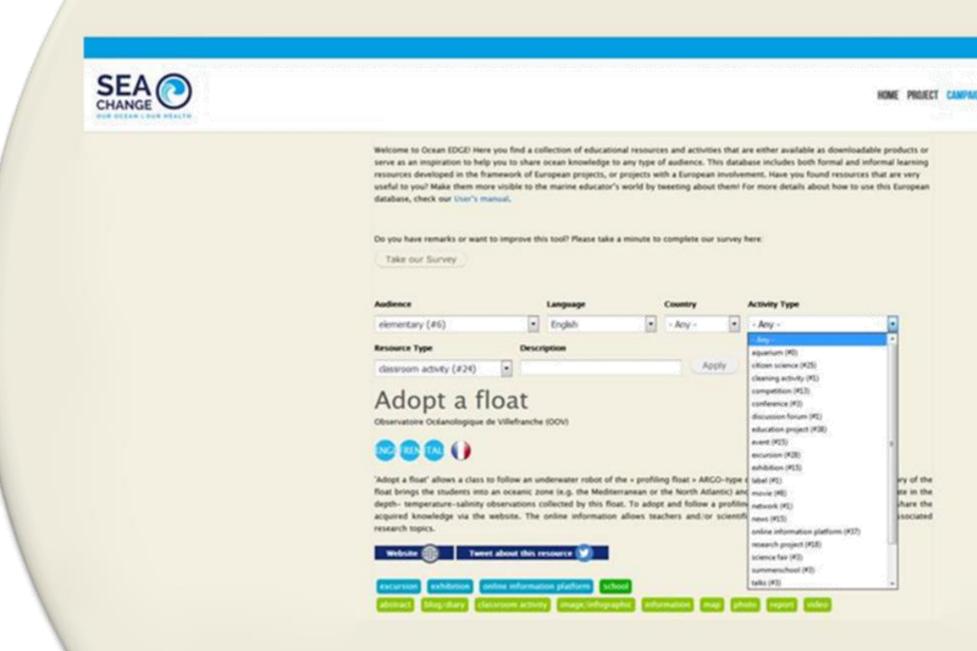
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## European



Resources are from **European** projects or projects with a strong European leg.

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# Next steps?

#### 1. Spread the word!

Spread the word & use it!

#### 2. Continuous evaluation

An online users survey is linked to the database for evaluation

#### 3. Feeding & growth of the database

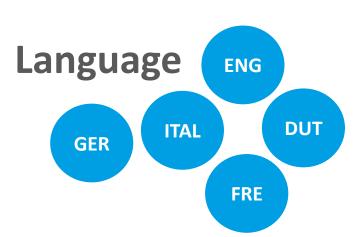
Users can send suggestions for additions to one of the Sea Change project partners, who will evaluate the quality of the resource before it gets added to the system.

This system of feeding & evaluation will be assessed regularly as the database grows.

### Database

You can **search** the database by **combining filters**:







#### **Activity Type**

What type of project is it? e.g. excursion, art project, citizen science initiative,...

#### Resource Type

What can you download? e.g. videos, photos, texts,...

# **Good Examples**

All records in the database must:

- contain scientifically correct information
- Provide directly downloadable materials

  OR provide an abstract detailed enough to serve as a true inspiration for other activities.

Ocean EDGE started with the careful selection of 133 good practices out of lists & abstract books from marine E&O experts & conferences

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They were tagged & grouped, in order to create the final database structure.

## Ocean Education & Outreach

Resources are suitable for **both** formal & informal learning.