

Do you care about **marine pollution**? Apply now!
Registrations open until May 10th 2021

blueMed HACKATHON

Ideas and solutions for a Healthy Plastic Free Mediterranean Sea

In the frame of the Pilot Action on marine litter, BlueMed launches an **Hackathon team challenge** to develop ideas and solutions for a Healthy Plastic Free Mediterranean Sea, to promote sustainable blue growth and circular bioeconomy in the Mediterranean.

- **Beneficiaries:** the competition is dedicated to **18-30 year-old MSc and PhD candidates or graduates in STEM disciplines, designers/creatives and marine sciences young professionals**, with no restriction on geographical origin.
- **Award:** Winners will receive the unique opportunity to be **trained by a pool of experts** in developing a **business plan**, and **present it to investors** at **ECOMONDO Exhibition** in October 2021, the most important event in Europe for technological and industrial innovation for circular economy.



How to participate?

Go to
<https://semed.eu/search?q=bluemed>
and fill out the form.

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Schedule

May 18th

Start of the competition and team creation



Remote team work and mentoring meetings



May 31st

Video Pitch submission



June

The Final Event



Join the BlueMed Hackathon, don't miss the chance to:

Work in a team with people from different backgrounds, in a stimulating environment

Share your innovative idea to prevent and reduce marine plastic pollution

Enlarge your vision

Work with an experienced group of experts

Network Universities and citizens

Be part of the international Blue and Circular Bioeconomy community

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For more information on the rules and conduct of the BlueMed Hackathon 2021 please visit:

- <https://semed.eu/search?q=bluemed>
- <http://www.bluemed-initiative.eu/bluemed-hackathon/>

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