## **Blue Economy Workshop Resources**



## **Potential Funding Opportunities**

This link provides a spreadsheet of potential **research funding opportunities** in a variety of Blue Economy topic areas. We encourage you to review as examples of opportunities for collaboration as well as potential research areas that may lead to advancing Texas A&M University at Galveston's current efforts in the blue economy

arena: <a href="https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/14j07t1LCiwDpsBBUW-3U0NY">https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/14j07t1LCiwDpsBBUW-3U0NY</a> BzhVZo4M4J4WWUX1nY0/edit?usp=sharing



## **Ocean Justice Strategy Press Release**

The Biden-Harris Administration Unveiled the first-ever strategy to advance environmental justice for communities that rely on the ocean and marine resources through the following three goals:

- 1. Embed Ocean Justice in Federal Activities (better incorporating equity into funding processes)
- 2. Develop a Diverse, Equitable, Inclusive, and Accessible Federal Ocean Workforce
- 3. Enhance Ocean Justice through Education, Data, and Knowledge

Read the full press release here: <a href="https://www.whitehouse.gov/ceq/news-updates/2023/12/08/biden-harris-administration-unveils-first-ever-strategy-to-advance-environmental-justice-for-communities-that-rely-on-the-ocean-and-marine-resources/">https://www.whitehouse.gov/ceq/news-updates/2023/12/08/biden-harris-administration-unveils-first-ever-strategy-to-advance-environmental-justice-for-communities-that-rely-on-the-ocean-and-marine-resources/</a>

See additional Ocean Justice Resources listed below:



Ocean Justice Strategy Policy Committee Report:

https://www.whitehouse.gov/wp-

content/uploads/2023/12/Oce an-Justice-

Strategy.pdf?cb=1701982354



Ocean Climate Action Plan:

https://www.whitehouse.gov/wp-content/uploads/2023/03/Ocean-Climate-Action-Plan Final.pdf

## **Other Helpful Links**



Circular Economy to be fully integrated in 'Port Economics, Management and Policy', a reference handbook: <a href="https://circularports.vlaanderen-circulair.be/circular-economy-to-be-fully-integrated-in-port-economics-management-and-policy-a-global-leading-reference-handbook/">https://circularports.vlaanderen-circulair.be/circular-economy-to-be-fully-integrated-in-port-economics-management-and-policy-a-global-leading-reference-handbook/</a>