



Beyond tipping points: safeguarding biodiversity in a changing ocean

Join us for an interactive lunch session to challenge your understanding of biodiversity and ocean change!

DATE: 11 June 2025

TIME: 13:15 – 14:45

LOCATION: Mama Shelter, Nice

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Marine biodiversity is threatened by global and local pressures such as ocean warming, acidification, overfishing, and pollution. Scientists are often asked to determine tipping points for environmental stressors - critical thresholds beyond which a significant ecological change will take place. While it is tempting to explore the concept of tipping points to inform concrete management actions, it is challenging and complex, especially in the context of multiple environmental threats. Scientists, policy makers and managers will gather to debate common misconceptions around tipping points and discuss alternative concepts.