

CONFERENCE ON CAMPUS –PROGRAM –APRIL 28, 2022 at 11:30am

The University is co-organising, with the Consulate of Portugal in Manchester, a one-day 'Ocean Conference' to promote UNOC on **Thursday 28 April at 11:30am**.

This event will take place at the University's **Social Learning Zone** and will include presentations on the importance of the ocean to Earth.

The two winning students will also present their essays for three minutes each at the Bolton event in advance of the UNOC.

PROGRAMME Starting 11:30 am

Save our Ocean, Protect our Future

- ***Opening Remarks***
 - Professor George E. Holmes DL, President & Vice Chancellor.
- ***Keynote Speaker – Topic: The Road to Lisbon: Why the Ocean?***
 - Mr. Duarte Bué Alves, Consul-General of Portugal in Manchester.
- ***Second Speaker – Topic: Sustainable Futures***
 - Mrs Reena Bhogal-Welsh, Director without Portfolio.
- ***Announcement of the winners of the competition***
 - The Judges
- ***Presentation of the best two submissions***
 - The two winning students' submissions
- ***Q&As***
- ***Presentation of Certificates of Participation***
 - All students who submitted entries
- ***Buffet lunch & refreshments offered by the University & Professor George E Holmes DL***

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 - *Everyone is invited.*