



ART4SEA

“Melting Art, Creativity and Marine Sciences to foster Ocean Literacy in the Mediterranean area”

ART4SEA officially endorsed by UNESCO’s Ocean Decade!

As we enter the final phase of the **ART4SEA project**, we’re proud to share this important recognition — and exciting updates on the upcoming Digital Exhibition launch in Vlora, the island exhibitions in Gozo, Alonissos, and Ustica, and the Grand Event that will close this incredible journey. From digital art to open-air installations, our artists are making waves for ocean awareness.

Read on for the latest updates from ART4SEA!



UNESCO Endorsement

We are proud to share that ART4SEA has been officially endorsed as a Decade Activity by the **United Nations Decade of Ocean Science for Sustainable Development (2021–2030)**. This recognition underscores our commitment to using art to promote ocean literacy and sustainability.

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Digital Exhibition Opening – A Virtual Journey

We are thrilled to announce the opening of the **ART4SEA Digital Exhibition** at the **Vision Multimedia Center in Vlora, Albania**. Experience digital artworks by our talented artists from residencies in **Alonissos, Gozo, and Ustica**, alongside digitized versions of their physical pieces created between June and September.

Join us to explore powerful messages on ocean conservation and sustainability through digital art!

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Physical Artworks – A Beacon for Ocean Conservation & Exhibitions Across the Three Islands

The physical artworks created by our artists will be permanently integrated into the **marine, natural, and architectural landscapes** of **Ustica, Alonissos, and Gozo**, transforming these islands into living open-air and underwater museums.

These artistic installations will serve as enduring symbols of ocean conservation, marking the islands as **lighthouses** for preserving marine ecosystems. The artworks will not only beautify these landscapes but will also inspire future generations to take action in protecting our oceans. These exhibitions will be inaugurated in **2025**, (Gozo and Alonissos in June, Ustica in September) creating lasting art spaces that intertwine

the beauty of the sea with the message of conservation. During the exhibitions, the physical artworks will be displayed and open to the public, as well as to the key authorities of the islands.



Final Grand Event – A Celebration in Ustica

To conclude the **ART4SEA** project, we invite you to the **Grand Event in Ustica** (12-13 September), where the island's **old town** will come alive with a series of **performances** staged in collaboration with the **local community**.

This grand finale will not only celebrate the artists and their incredible works but also the spirit of collaboration between art, science, and the local culture. The event will be a vibrant showcase of the positive impact of art in raising awareness for **ocean conservation** and sustainability.

Bringing the Art to Life

As we begin preparing for the exhibitions, the Art4Sea scientific, artistic and technological teams are assisting the artists in finalizing their works. With guidance from mentors and close collaboration with the ART4SEA team, the artists are ready to showcase their creations and messages that advocate for the preservation of our oceans.

Stay tuned for more updates on the exhibition openings and the **Grand Event** as we bring ART4SEA's artistic journey to life!

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