

9th International Temperate Reefs Symposium

26th June- 1st July 2011

University of Plymouth, United Kingdom

Hosted by the University of Plymouth and the Marine Biological Association of the United Kingdom

We are now inviting *oral and poster presentations* for the symposium.

In addition to open sessions on all aspects of temperate reefs, the following provisional themes are being considered:

- Propagules to production,
- Biodiversity and ecosystem functioning,
- Management and conservation,
- Contribution of reef research to general ecological theory,
- Coldwater coral reefs,
- Macro-ecology and modelling,
- Phylogeography and biogeography.

Subject to demand *workshops* will be organised on the afternoon of 29th June focussing on current methodological and conservation challenges. Other suggestions are welcomed.

Excursions: We are currently preparing details of excursions for Friday 1st July. Excursions include: visits to historical shorelines frequented by Darwin and Gosse, boat excursion along the River Dart from Dartmouth to Totnes, local wine, gin, beer and cheese tasting. Please register for this excursion when you complete your ITRS registration.

Diving and Fishing: If you are interested in finding out about opportunities for recreational SCUBA diving or boat fishing near to Plymouth please contact admin@itrs2011.org

We have also arranged a satellite advanced statistical course after ITRS 2011. **5 day PERMANOVA+ course 4-8th July 2011, Plymouth, UK** for details of a special 25% discount for ITRS participants download the [programme](#) and [workshop information](#).

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