

Marine Biology Courses



The **AquaBioTech Group** is an international consulting company strategically located in the centre of the Mediterranean on the island of Malta, although operating globally with clients and projects in over fifty-five countries.

The **AquaBioTech Group** undertakes a variety of aquaculture, fisheries, marine surveying, aquarium and aquatic environmental projects through its regional offices and selected partners throughout the world.

As part of its sustained commitment to increase training and educational opportunities in themes related to marine biology and ecology, the **AquaBioTech Group** also offers a number of short, intensive, hands-on courses in the marine sciences.



A HANDS-ON INTRODUCTION TO MARINE BIOLOGY

A stimulating three (3) day course organised by the **AquaBioTech Group** in Malta, including lectures on marine biology, the underwater life and the formation of the Mediterranean Sea led by Prof. Alan Deidun. SCUBA diving and snorkeling sessions with PADI certified instructors and marine biologists.

COURSE SCHEDULE

Day 1 - 1st & 2nd Lecture (Duration: 4.5 Hours)

- 2.00pm – The coastal environment, habitats, vertical and horizontal zonation, species adaptations
- 4.30pm – Overview of the major marine habitats and species within the Mediterranean

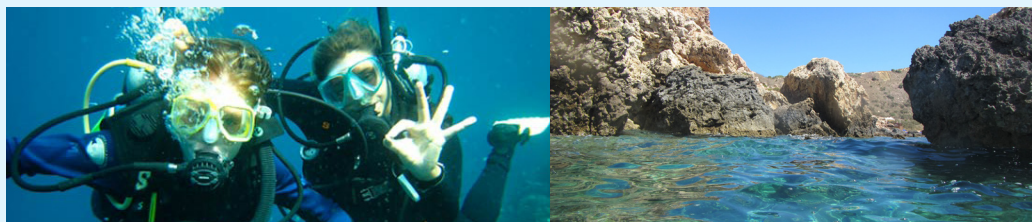
Day 2 - 3rd & 4th Lecture (Duration: 4.5 Hours)

- 2.00pm – Plankton and major physical phenomena in the sea
- 4.30pm – Introduction to impact ecology – overview of human impacts on the marine environment

Day 3 - Field Activity

Participants can choose one of the following activities

- Snorkeling session
- Discover SCUBA diving (includes two (2) dives - PADI certified course)
- Open-water SCUBA dive using underwater communication equipment



Language: English

Participation: A maximum number of twenty (20) people will be able to attend each course

Location: The course will take place in Mosta, Malta at the **AquaBioTech's** premises
The dive and snorkelling activities will take place in open water.

Available Dates: 26th to 28th June,
11th to 13th July,
23rd to 25th August 2017

The deadline for registration to each course is ninety (90) days prior to the course starting date.

Group bookings: Tailor-made programmes can be delivered for groups and institutes

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