

NGO Committee on Sustainable Development-NY, hiTechMODA,
ReGen Runway, Visual Conductor, & SDG Impact Awards

Invitation

UN Friends of World Oceans Day 2020

Making Waves: Fashion + Art Impacting Our Oceans

Friday, June 5, 2020

6PM – 8:30PM

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In observance of World Environment Day and UN Friends of World Oceans Day 2020 – we invite you to our program bringing together Artists, Photographers, Filmmakers, Advocates, Explorers, Graphic and Fashion Designers, Inventors, Producers, and Music with Song & Dance performances in collaboration with Civil Society, Academia and Private Sector. We hope our creative messages focused on raising awareness will inspire and empower all stakeholders to take action with their own sustainable initiatives to support protecting our oceans and the global environment today and everyday beyond this pandemic.

Making Waves Program:

~ Performance by Gabriel Forestieri, Co-Founder of projectLIMB: Golden Trees, Underwater Dance ~

Welcome & Moderator:

- Margo LaZaro, President & Chair, NGO Committee on Sustainable Development-NY & Co-Founder/CSO, SDG Impact Awards

Keynote:

- Dr. Francois Baillet, Senior Legal Officer, Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, Office of Legal Affairs of the United Nations

Panel: Ocean + Art

- Lea d'Auriol, Founder of the Oceanic Global Foundation
- Mara G. Haseltine, International Artist and a Pioneer in the field of SciArt
- Gaelin Rosenwaks, Founder of Global Ocean Exploration
- Jeremy McKane, Founder of OCEAN™ and Co-Host of UltraMarine

~ Performance by Alex Boye, British-Nigerian Song Writer/Performer: Amazing Grace, 5 Strings ~

Moderator:

- Catherine Schuller, Co-Founder & Curator of hiTechMODA & Producer of ReGen Runway

Panel: Ocean + Fashion

- Derrick Shawn Grant, Founder of DKDesignFineArt, DKdesignfashion & Next Level World, LLC
- la Faraoni, Founder & Designer of la's Threads
- Latiya Gholar, Founder & Designer of American Umma
- Runa Ray, Founder & Designer of Runa Ray Designs
- Elinor Nathaniel, CEO of REMEANT
- Rachael Zoe Miller, Founder of Rozalia Project for a Clean Ocean & Co-Inventor of the Cora Ball
- Bridgett Artise, Founder of Born Again Vintage & Founder of Sustainable Fashion Week

Featuring Runway Shows: Dr. Grant, la's Threads, American Umma, Runa Ray Designs

"Turn Your Passions into Actions for Change"