

# Topic 6 Symposium 2026

HIFMB  
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Wednesday, 30 September 2026



T6

Marine and Polar Life: Sustaining  
Biodiversity, Biotic Interactions,  
Biogeochemical Functions

## Programme

09:00 – 10:00 Arrival and registration (with coffee)

10:00 – 10:30 Welcome

10:30 – 11:15

**Marine Ecosystem Futures:  
Biodiversity & Society – PART I\***

\*3 talks, 10+5 min each

11:15 – 11:45 Coffee

11:45 – 12:30

**Adaptation in Marine Organisms – PART I\***

12:30 – 12:45 Group picture

12:45 – 13:45 Lunch

13:45 – 14:30

**Marine Carbon & Element Cycles Ahead –  
PART I\***

14:30 – 15:00 **Poster flash talks PART I (up to 25x 1 min)**

15:00 – 16:30 **Poster session PART I with coffee**

16:30 – 17:15

**Ocean Pressures & Policy – PART I\***

17:15 – 18:00 Correspondence time

18:00 – 20:00 SYMPOSIUMS DINNER, buffet-style

More information and registration:

<https://events.geomar.de/e/Topic6Symposium2026>

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Thursday, 1 October 2026



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## Programme

09:00 – 09:45

**Marine Ecosystem Futures:**

**Biodiversity & Society – PART II\***

\*3 talks, 10+5 min each

09:45 – 10:15

**Poster flash talks PART II (up to 25x 1 min)**

10:15 – 11:15

**Poster session PART II**

11:15 – 12:00

**Adaptation in Marine Organisms – PART II\***

12:00 – 13:00

Lunch

13:00 – 13:45

**Marine Carbon & Element Cycles Ahead –  
PART II\***

13:45 – 14:15

Coffee

14:15 – 15:00

**Ocean Pressures & Policy – PART II\***

15:00 – 15:45

From Topic 6 to Topic C

15:45 – 16:00

Wrap-up and Farewell

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