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BIEA 2020 STEM Conference STEM (Stop) the Tide of Plastic Pollution

Technological solutions and their impact on STEM education

Huxley Centre, Imperial
College London

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The conference is a showcase of the latest technological research on a pressing humanitarian or ecological issue and the future impact on **STEM education**.

Each year the conference brings together a diverse and vibrant community of educators, researchers, entrepreneurs, philanthropists, policymakers and partners from industry, providing opportunities for STEM contributors to connect, collaborate, share best practice and innovate for the future.



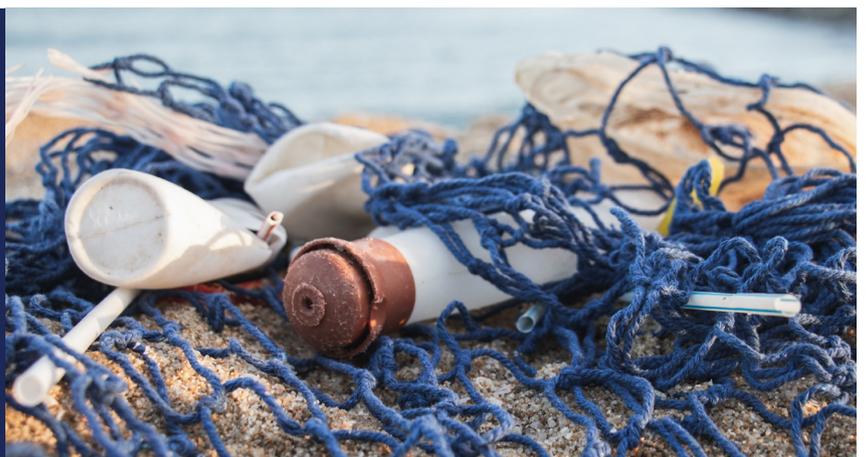
Plastic pollution has become one of the most pressing environmental issues, as rapidly increasing production of disposable plastic products overwhelms the world's ability to deal with them.

Much of the plastic waste in the oceans, 'Earth's last sink', flows from land. Waste is also carried by major rivers, acting as conveyor belts, picking up more and more waste as they move downstream and carry waste out to sea. Most of this plastic waste remains on the shorelines and in coastal waters.

We must act now to save our shores from devastating plastic pollution. We will hear from leading scientists on the latest **technological innovations** to tackle the plastic problem. We aim to create a dialogue around how to embrace the global problem and inspire young people to develop solutions through STEM education.



Each one of us can
make a difference.
Together we can make a
change.



Why you should attend...

- Meet a unique cross-section of influencers and thoughtful leaders from higher education, professional services, media agencies and government bodies
- Discover opportunities to improve and grow alongside other like-minded leaders committed to achieving widespread, meaningful change in STEM education

Feedback received from our 2019 STEM Conference



Lewis Bedford
Youth Ambassador
Born Free Foundation

“ It’s really important a conference like this happens today. It gives everybody the opportunity to get involved in STEM. ”



Ajay Sharman
STEM Learning

“ It’s been fantastic to be at the conference; our remit is everything that’s been spoken about today. ”



Howard Jones
CEO
Born Free Foundation

“ This conference, this idea and this scheme with BIEA STEM is absolutely of the moment. ”



About the British International Education Association

The British International Education Association is a not for profit organisation, which works to promote best practice in STEM and British early years education overseas. BIEA is the organiser of the annual STEM Conference and International STEM Youth Innovation Competition, which aims to improve STEM education and career prospects for young people all over the world.

Registration or submission of an abstract

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