

## Marine Litter and Plastic Pollution – Legal Frameworks

## e-learning course

In the course begins with an introduction to marine litter and plastic poliution; the key facts and figures, the main sources and impacts (including in relation to human rights), and the applicable environmental law principles. It then outlines the relevant legal and policy frameworks at the global and regional levels, including the recent decision by UN member states to develop a legally binding treaty on plastic pollution. Finally, the course provides a detailed overview of the main regulatory approaches being taken at the national level, with example laws and case-studies from a wide range of countries.



