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A WORD FROM THE RECTOR



The oceans contain 97% of the planet's water, absorb about 30% of the carbon dioxide produced, are the largest source of protein in the world and are estimated to be able to provide 10% of the European Union's energy needs by 2050. The Sea sector is absolutely crucial for sustainable development and a resource with enormous economic and social potential.

For some decades now, marine sciences and technologies have been a priority for the University of Aveiro. With an internationally recognized multidisciplinary profile, the University of Aveiro has been investing in the integrated study of maritime systems, in the technological development of the sector and in the sustainable exploitation of marine resources, seeking to transfer this knowledge to society, through close collaboration with various local, regional, national and international entities. Investing in the conservation and sustainable use of the Sea is investing in the future.