

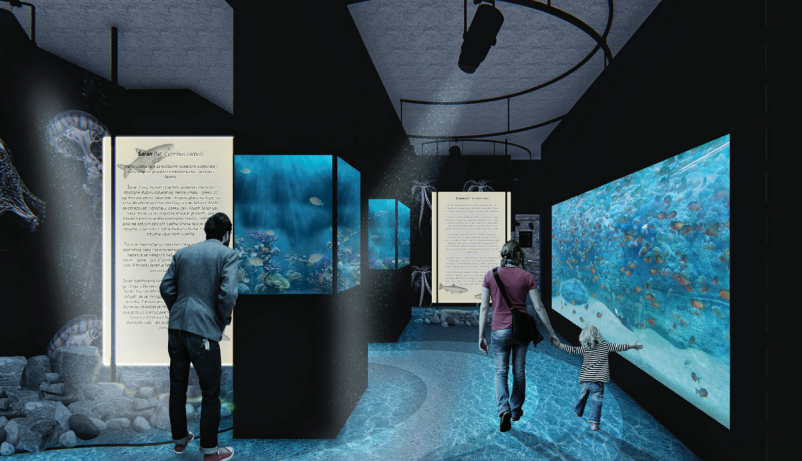


Marine Biodiversity  
Conservation Center  
**AQUARIUM BOKA**



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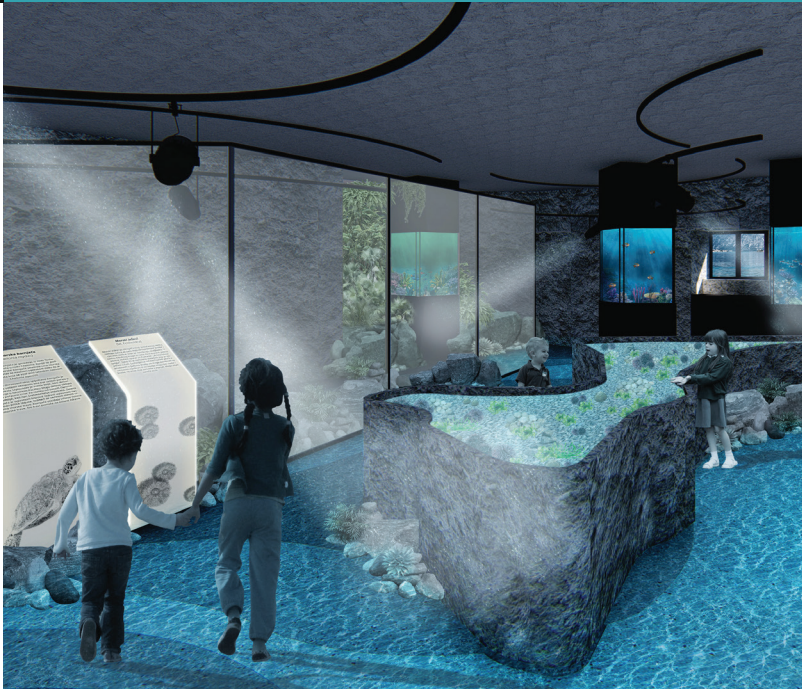
„Aquarium Boka“ will house numerous sea creatures. The flora and fauna in “Aquarium Boka” will be carefully selected to reflect the native biodiversity of the Mediterranean and Adriatic Seas, in their respective sections of the aquarium: (1) the World Sea and the Mediterranean with special splash tank, (2) the Adriatic Sea and (3) Boka Kotorska Bay with touch pool. In addition to the aquarium itself, “Aquarium Boka” will also feature an Open-Air Exhibition Area.

### Research

- Aquarium scientists will advise fishermen on methods to enhance the sustainability of commercial fisheries and trade.
- The Aquarium will host various research programmes on Adriatic wild flora and fauna.
- The Aquarium already collaborates with partners around the world to protect ocean ecosystems and establish sea protected areas.

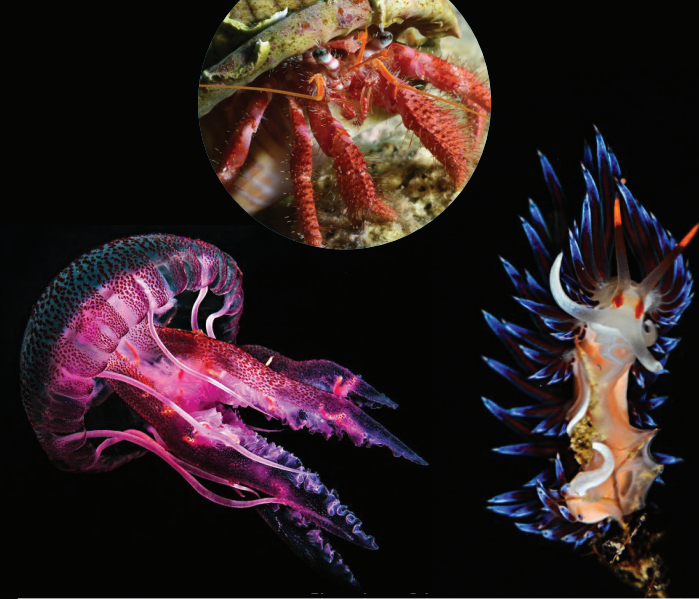
### Education

- “Aquarium Boka”, as a future part of community, will strive to give back to the community through exhibitions, lectures and presentations aiming at students, so they could learn about life under the sea and various environmental issues and challenges it faces in the modern world.
- The “Aquarium Boka” tanks will inspire visitors with the beauty and complexity of marine ecosystem through replication of various marine habitats.



### Conservation

- Sea Turtle Rescue Centre will be an important part of the Aquarium Boka. For the first time in Montenegro, injured or sick sea turtles will have a place where to recuperate before being released back to the wild.
- Sea Turtle Rescue Centre team will lead national and regional efforts to rehabilitate and release endangered species of sea turtles.



“Aquarium Boka” will build public awareness and action for protecting Adriatic Sea species and habitats, but will also actively contribute to various conservation solutions and serve as a role model.

The flora and fauna in Aquarium Boka will be carefully chosen to reflect the native biodiversity of the Mediterranean and Adriatic Seas, in their respective sections of the aquarium. Even though brightly coloured species are commonly tied to the tropical seas, many such species live in the Adriatic. In addition to experiencing the world under the surface, visitors will be able to enjoy the outdoor exhibitions organised in the open air exhibition area and park in front of the Aquarium.



## About us

The Marine Biodiversity Conservation Centre “Aquarium Boka”, with its two units: public Aquarium and Sea Turtle Rescue Centre, is a unique institution in Montenegro which integrates research and education for promoting and practicing effective conservation on behalf of marine wildlife.

## Where to find us?

**Just a 15-minute walk from the Kotor Old Town**

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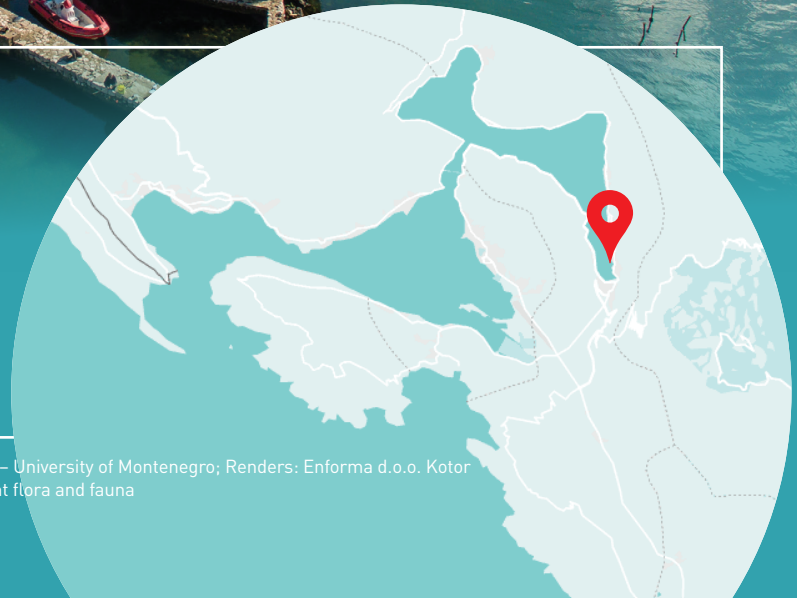


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