

Participation in scientific meetings:

- 1- Irene Martins, Joana Patrício. Variations on the energy flow along estuarine food webs caused by seasonal fluctuations of opportunistic green macroalgae. SIEBM 12, Donostia (Spain): 11-14 September 2012.
- 2- Nuno Leite, Emanuel Constantino, Irene Martins. Feeding and sheltering preference of *Echinogammarus marinus*: *Fucus* sp. versus *Ulva* sp. SIEBM 12, Donostia (Spain): 11-14 September 2012.
- 3- Emanuel Constantino, Nuno Leite, Alexandra Guerra, Irene Martins. Differences on population structure, dynamics and production of *E. marinus* populations from 3 different estuaries presenting a gradient of environmental pressure: Minho (low-impacted), Mondego (medium-impacted) and Ave (highly-impacted). SIEBM 12, Donostia (Spain): 11-14 September 2012.
- 4- Alexandra Guerra, Nuno Leite, João Carlos Marques, Irene Martins. Sex-ratio fluctuations acting as resilience mechanisms of amphipod populations. SIEBM 12, Donostia (Spain): 11-14 September 2012.
- 5- Irene Martins, Aránzazu Marcotegui, Ricardo J. Lopes. Long-term predictions of global warming scenarios in mesotidal estuaries. The case of opportunistic macroalgae versus nutrient loading. ECCLima- Estuaries in a Changing Climate, Porto (Portugal): 5-8 April 2011.
- 6- Souza, A. T., Dias, E., Campos, J., Marques, J. C., Martins, I. Population dynamics of the common goby *Pomatoschistus microps* (Actinopterygii: Gobiidae) in Minho estuary, NW Iberian Peninsula. 2011. ECCLima- Estuaries in a Changing Climate, Porto (Portugal): 5-8 April 2011.
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