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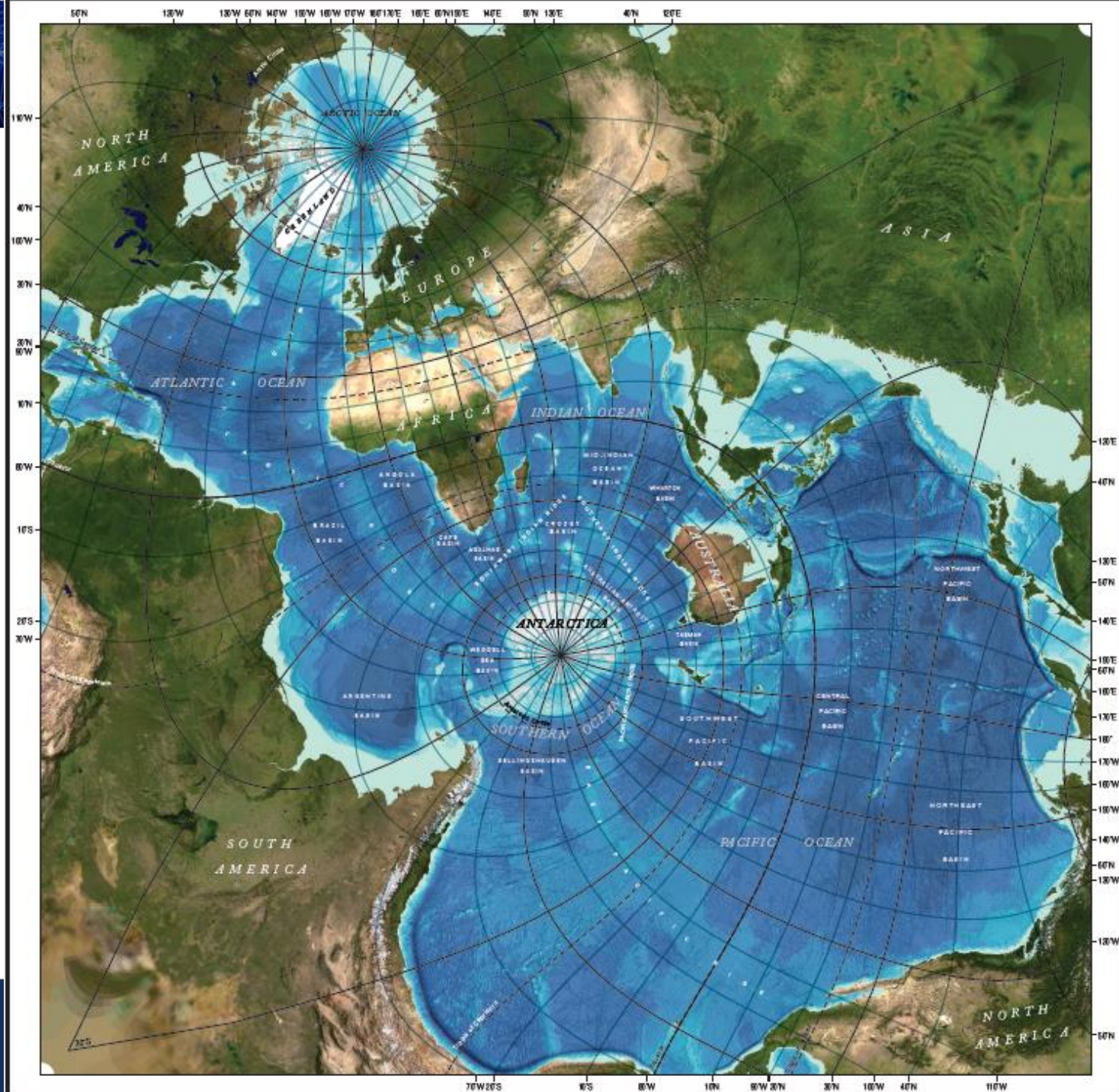
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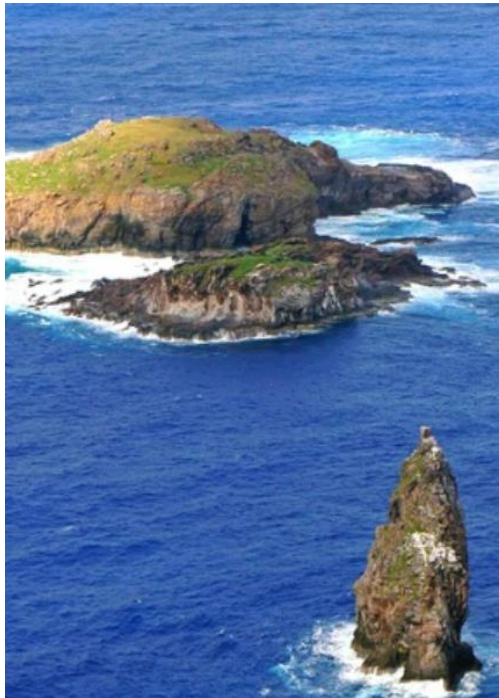


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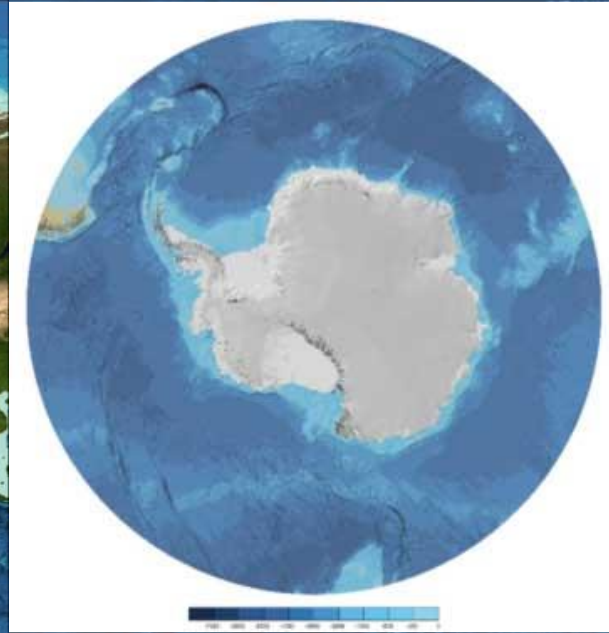
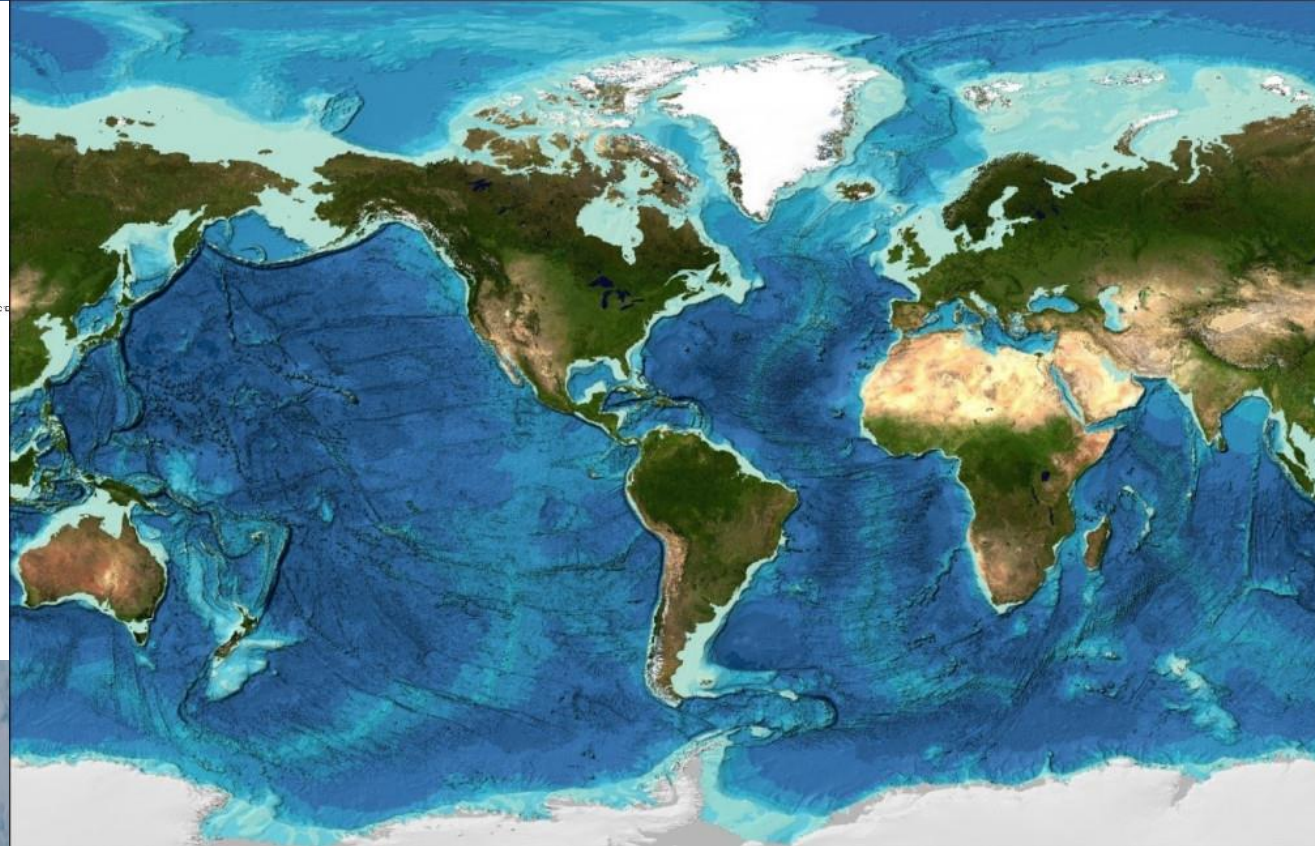
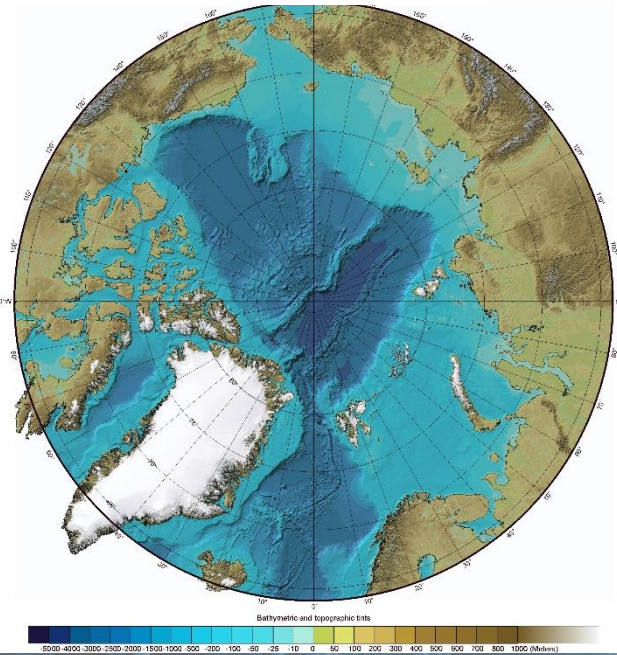
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From niche to ...



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Protecting the High Seas

A new United Nations treaty creates a framework for collaborative international management and conservation of open-ocean areas outside national jurisdictions. Marine scientists have identified at least nine high-priority areas to protect ocean ecosystems that are important for biodiversity and for capturing carbon dioxide from the atmosphere.



SOURCES: Kristina Gjerde et al., Research Gate; High Seas Alliance

PAUL HORN / Inside Climate News

A vertical sidebar on the right side of the page contains several icons and logos related to climate and sustainability. From top to bottom, it includes:

- Logo for Paris 2015 COP21-CMP11.
- SDG icons for Sustainable Cities and Communities (11) and Climate Action (13).
- Logo for the UN World Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction 2015.
- SDG icons for Zero Hunger (2), Decent Work and Economic Growth (8), Climate Action (13), and Life Below Water (14).
- SDG icons for Quality Education (4), Gender Equality (5), and Reduced Inequalities (10).
- Logo for the Island Voices Global Choices initiative.
- SDG icons for Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions (16) and Life Below Water (14).

On the left side of the page, there is a logo for the Sustainable Blue Economy Conference, which took place in Nairobi, Kenya, from 20th to 22nd November 2018. Below this is the logo for the General Bathymetric Chart of the Oceans (GBCO), established in 1903.

At the bottom right of the page, there are logos for the International Hydrographic Organization and the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization.

THE NIPPON FOUNDATION-GEBCO

SEABED 2030

Seabed 2030 is a global initiative relentless in the pursuit of achieving a complete map of the ocean floor by 2030.

Our mission is to inspire ocean mapping by humanity, for humanity.

Formed by **The Nippon Foundation** and the **General Bathymetric Chart of the Oceans (GEBCO)**, Seabed 2030 is a global initiative where **industry, governments, philanthropists, NGOs, researchers, and civil society** come together to help us achieve our mission of mapping the entire ocean floor.



#UnitedWeDiscover



LARGEST TO SMALLEST BY LAND AREA

2. 30,375,489 (km²)
11,728,037 (mi²)
20.32% of
Earth's Land Mass



4. 17,844,711 (km²)
6,889,879 (mi²)
11.94% of
Earth's Land Mass



6. 10,189,745 (km²)
3,934,281 (mi²)
6.82% of
Earth's Land Mass



1. 43,826,647 (km²)
16,921,556 (mi²)
29.32% of
Earth's Land Mass



3. 24,496,933 (km²)
9,458,315 (mi²)
16.39% of
Earth's Land Mass



5. 13,729,854 (km²)
5,301,124 (mi²)
9.19% of
Earth's Land Mass



7. 9,008,598 (km²)
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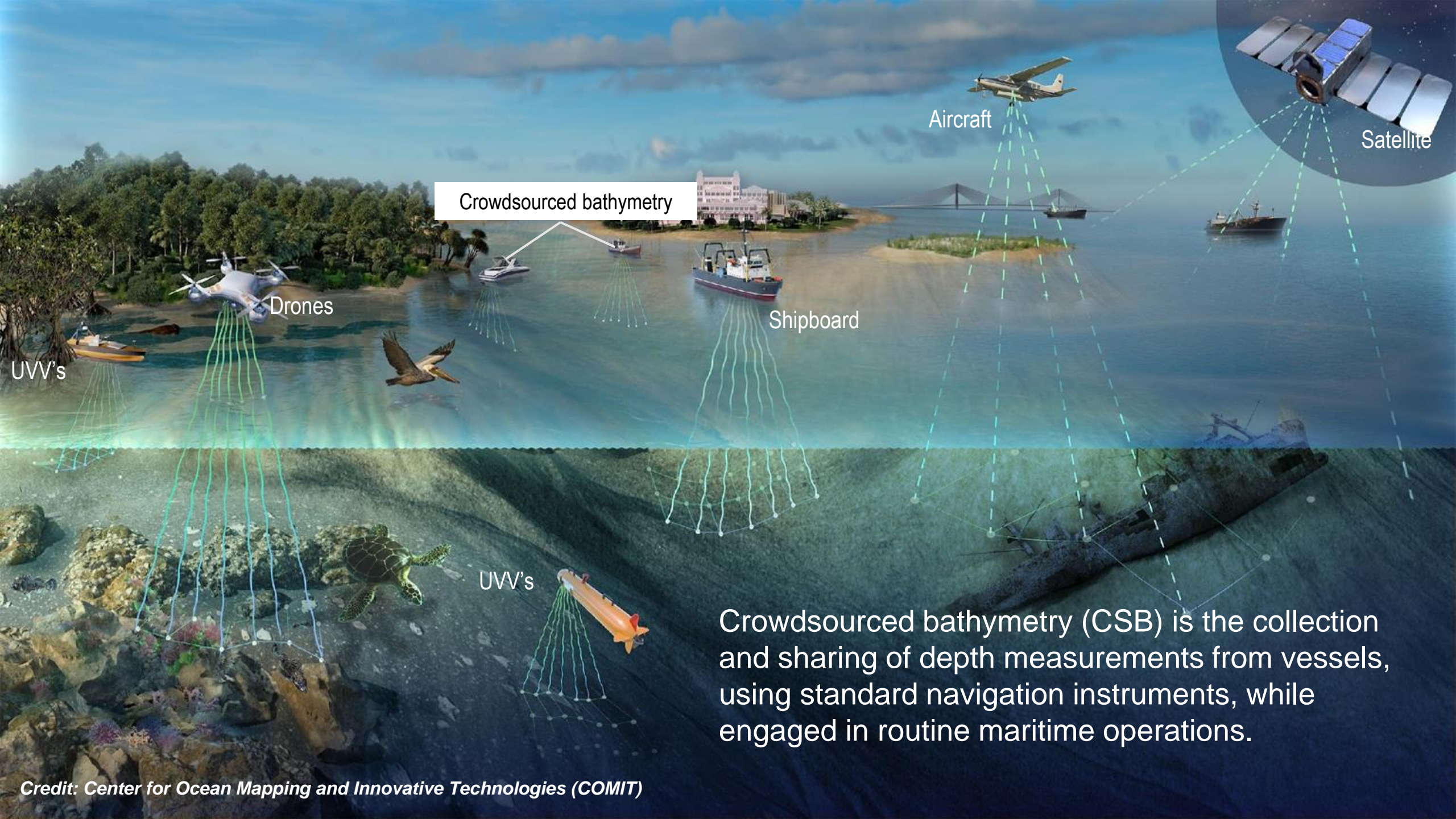
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International Oceanographic Commission



Crowdsourced bathymetry

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Crowdsourced bathymetry (CSB) is the collection and sharing of depth measurements from vessels, using standard navigation instruments, while engaged in routine maritime operations.



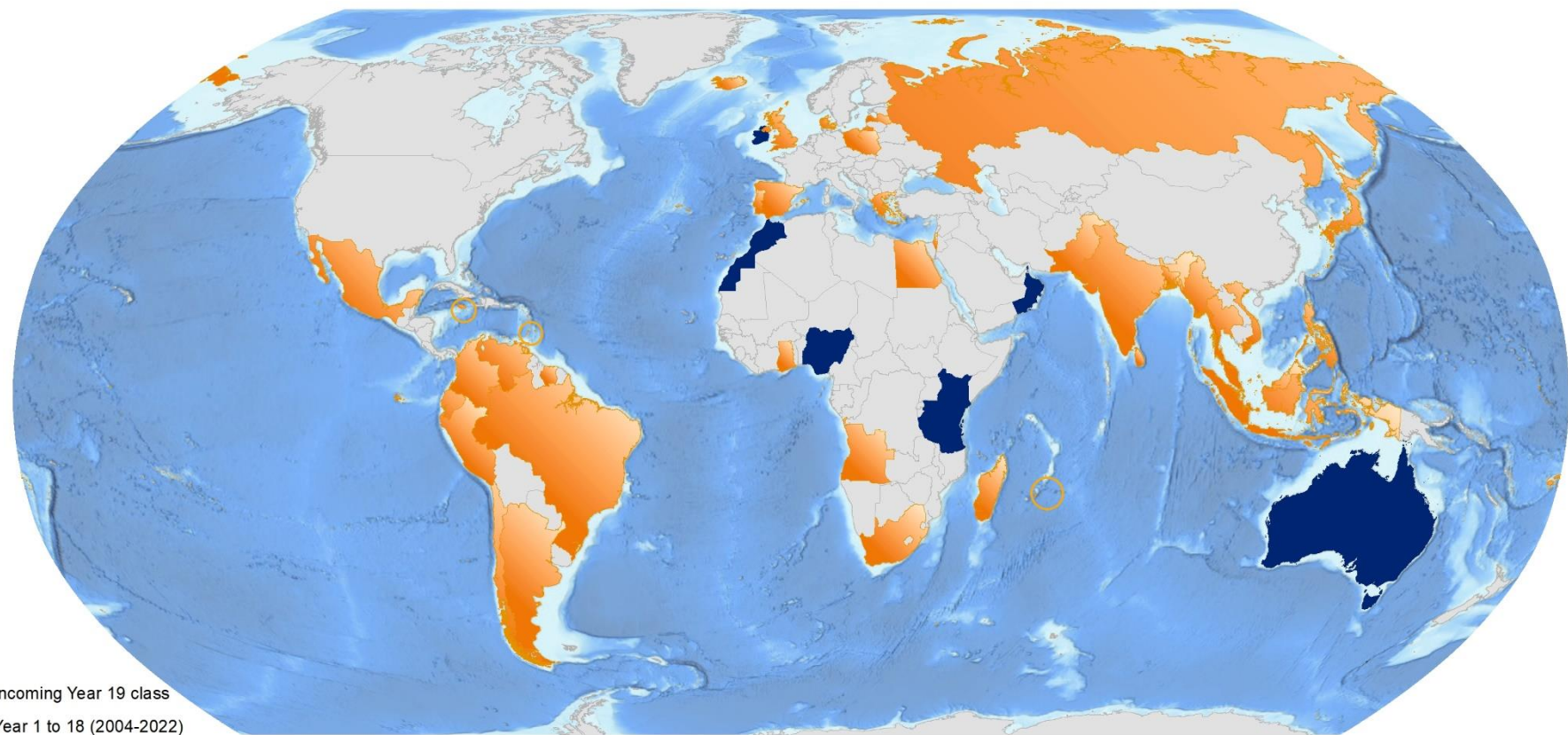
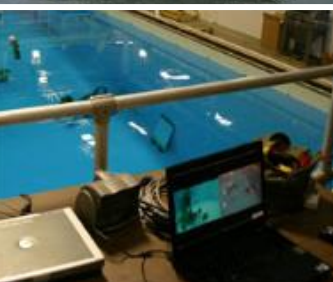
EXPLORATION

IT'S WHAT WE DO





Capacity-Development initiative: Nippon Foundation / GEBCO Training Program



■ Incoming Year 19 class
■ Year 1 to 18 (2004-2022)

113 scholars from 46 coastal states over last 19 years

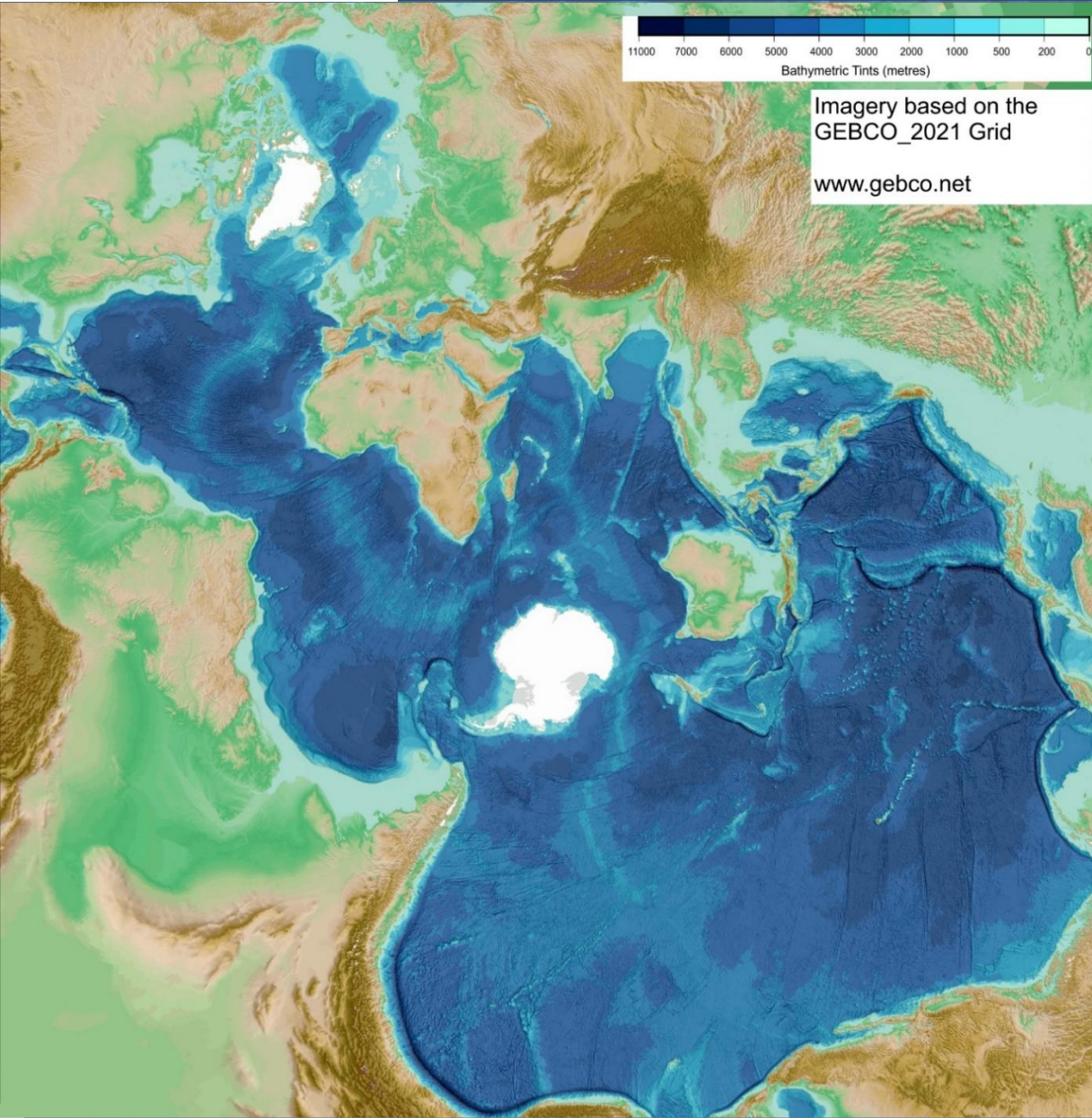




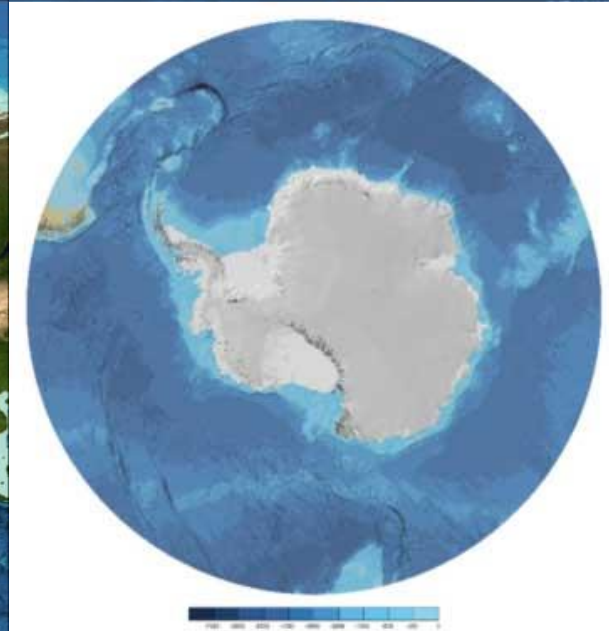
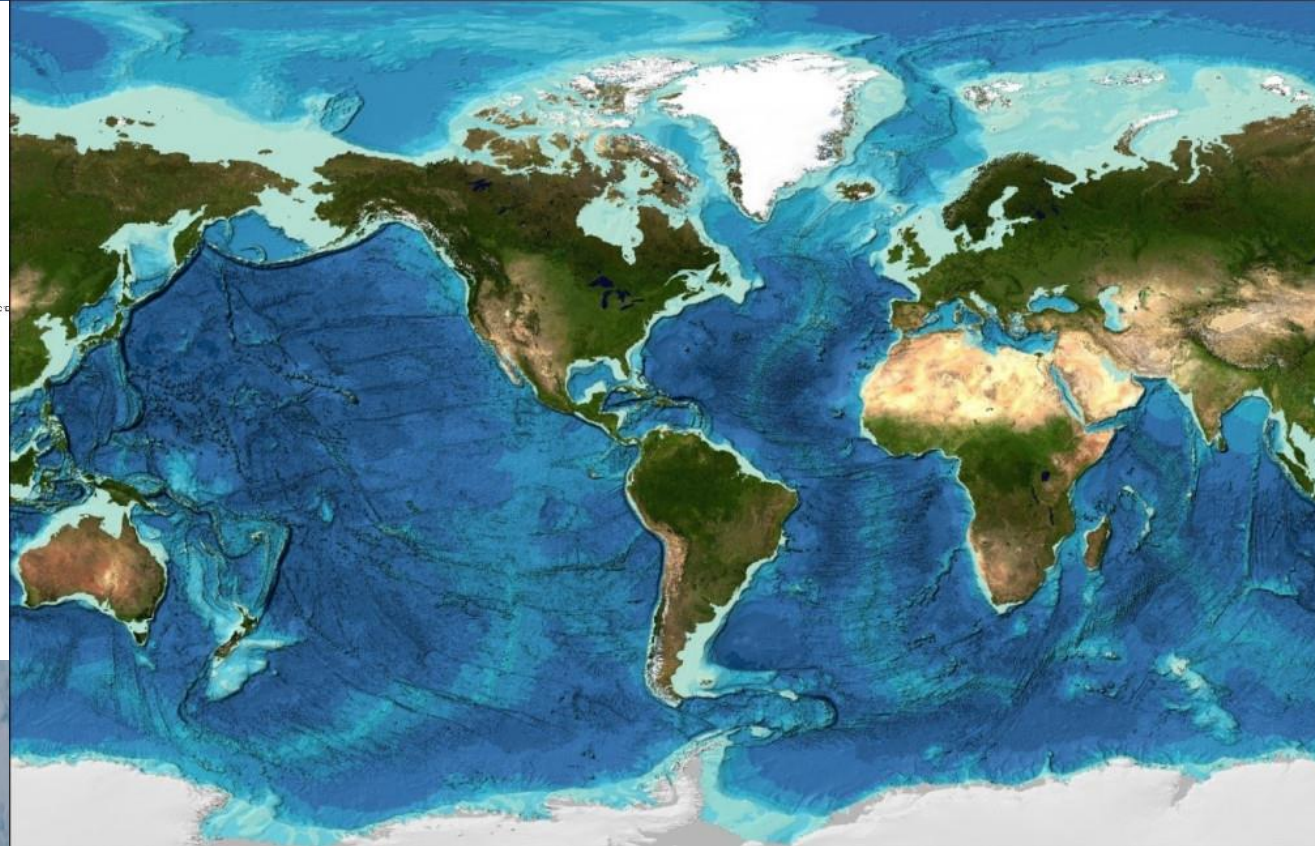
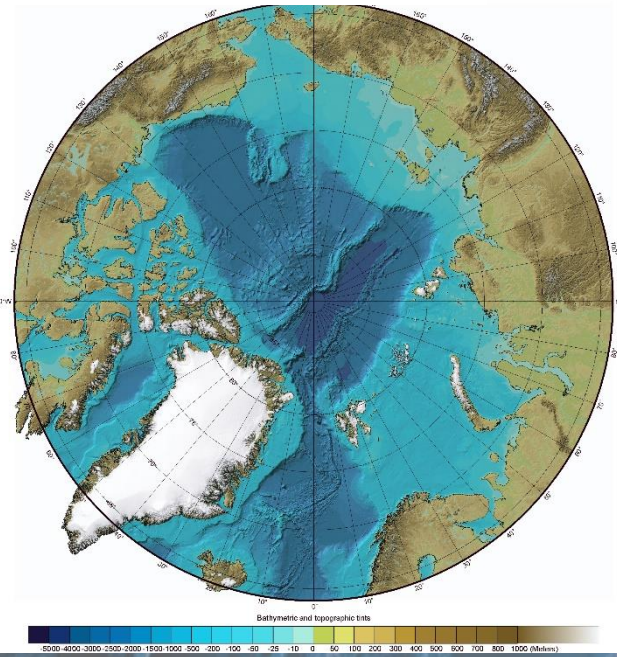
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of the Digital
Twin of the
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The last great mapping endeavor of our planet