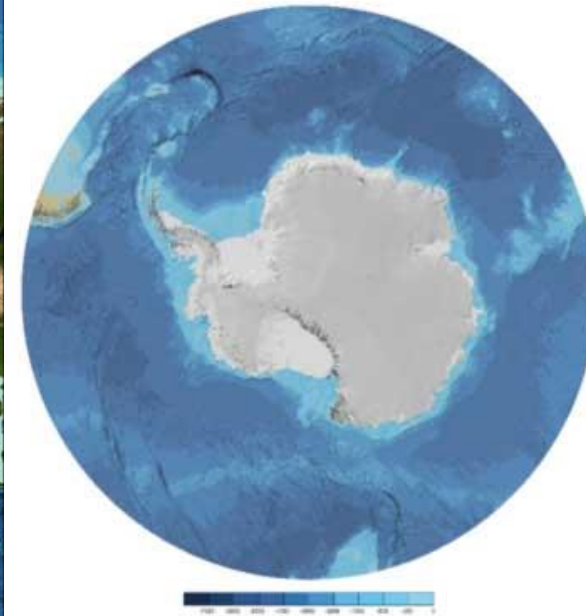
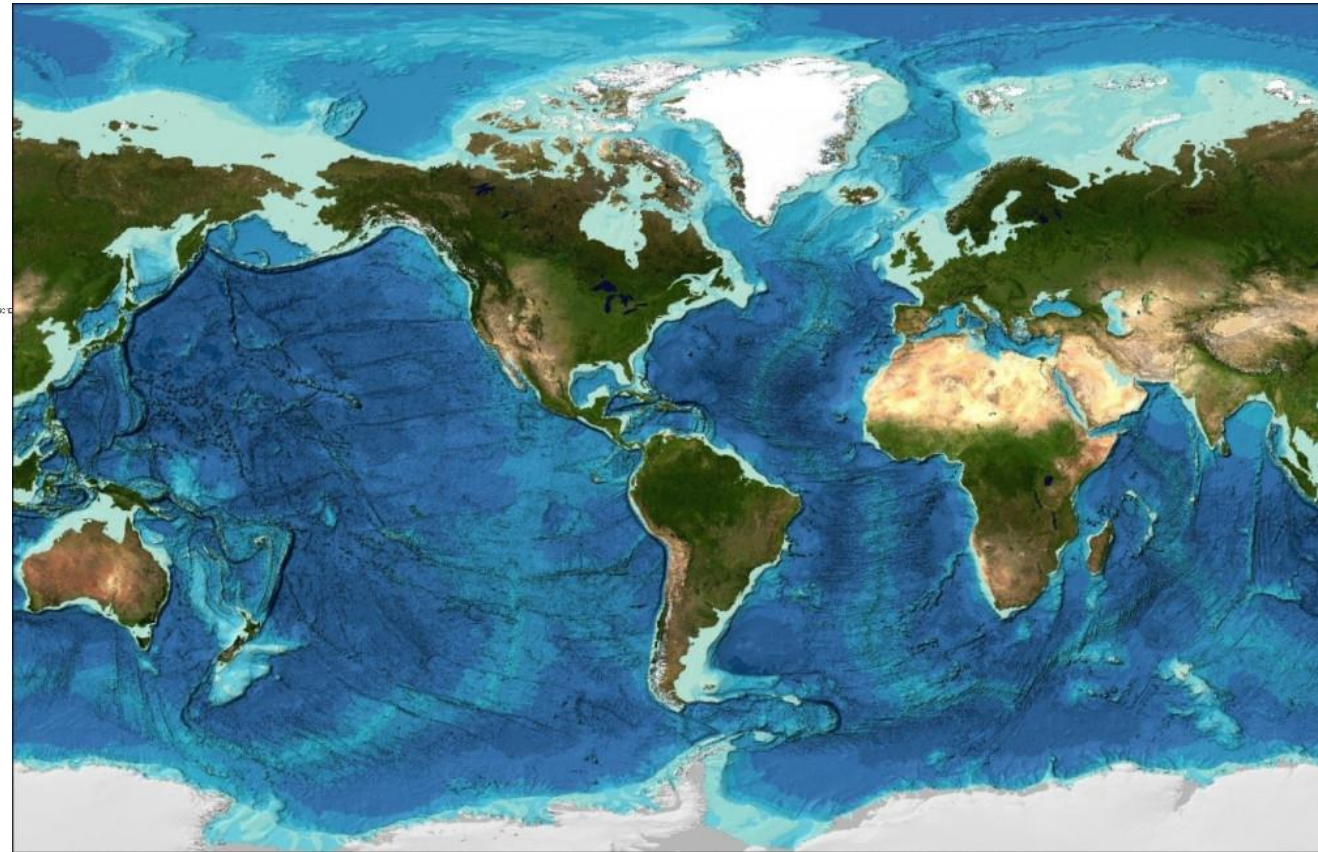
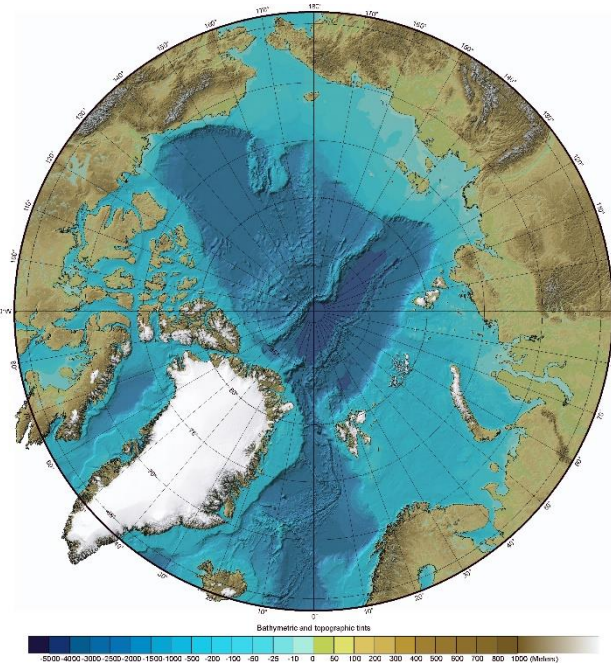


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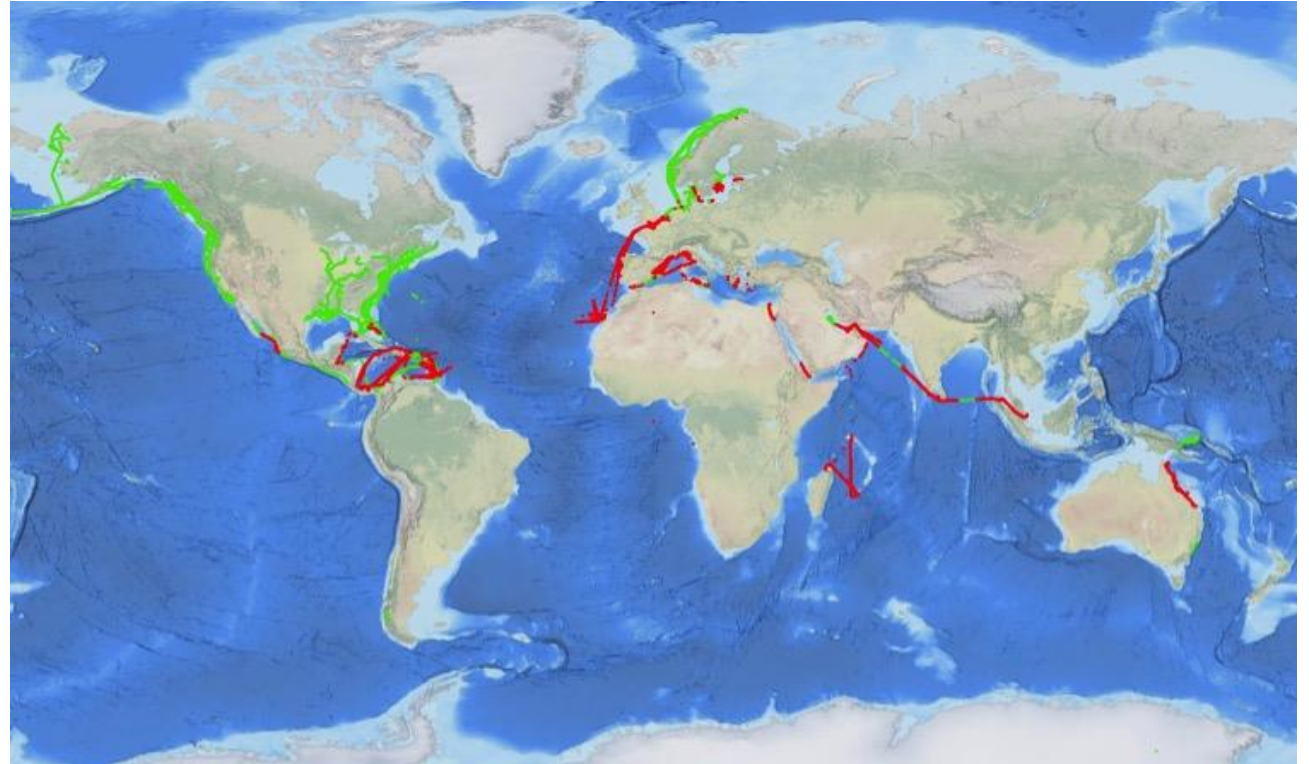
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GGC38

- Monaco + VTC, 20-22 April
- Strengthened GGC
- New leadership GEBCO Sub-Committees
- New Sub-Committee on Education and Training
- Started process of Governance Review
 - To increase / improve ties with parent org. IHO + IOC
 - To better align with SB2030
- Started GEBCO strategy process

How can HOs become involved?

- Offer a positive response to the IHO or IRCC Circular Letters
- Consider joining and/or attending the CSBWG - it is open to all!
- Encourage local participation in CSB collection and sharing.
- Volunteer to become the next Seabed 2030-funded CSB Program!



Thank you!

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