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A citizen science project that tracks the distribution of marine species has been shortlisted for an Australian Museum

and Antarctic Studies. Redmap encourages citizen scientists around the country to record sightings of marine species.

Dussumier Foundation Prize for Innovation in Citizen Science (Range)

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Redmap Australia IMAS said the project was an example of large-scale collaboration between over 80 scientists, numerous institutes around the country, and citizen scientists from fishers and divers to beachcombers.

"Identifying a reliable means of tracking marine species is critical to understand impacts of climate change on ecosystems and on our ability to plan appropriate responses." Dr Stuart-S

"This shortlisting is an important recognition of the significant contributions made by Australian citizen scientists."

The 2017 Dussumier Prize will be awarded to the project by the Dussumier Foundation.

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the Redmap team's work: <http://www.imas.utas.edu.au/community/citizen-science/citizen-science-her/imas/citizen-science/redmap>

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