and molluscs and key species in marine food webs in polar, temperate and tropical waters. These laboratory-based technologies are now being transferred to developing Member States to support their national assessments of ocean acidification impacts and adaptation strategies.

In collaboration with the major national and multi-national projects and programmes on ocean acidification, and with the support of several IAEA Member States through the IAEA Peaceful Uses Initiative (PUI), EL has launched during summer 2012 the project "Ocean Acidification International Coordination Center (OA-ICC)". The project aims at communicating, facilitating, and promoting international collaboration on ocean acidification. It constitutes a platform that serves all actors (scientific community, science users, decision makers, general public and media) in this field. It also intends to promote multidisciplinarity, bridge scientific communities from developed and developing Member States and promote transfer of knowledge among them.