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Name: Sylvia Earle

Birth Date: August 30th 1935

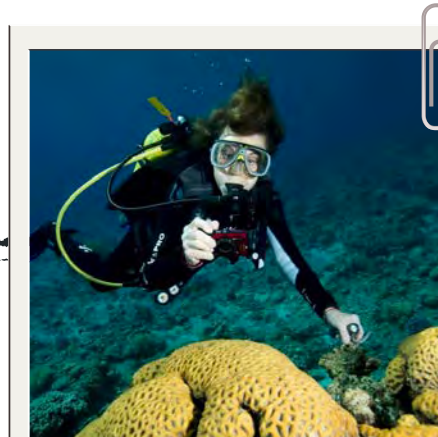
Birth Place: Gibbstown, New Jersey, USA

Education



- Florida State University - Bachelor in Botany
- Duke University - PHD in Marine Plant Biology

Famous for...



Sylvia Earle is a world-leading marine biologist, ocean explorer, and conservationist. She is famous for record breaking deep-sea dives, leading pioneering underwater research missions, and working to protect marine ecosystems around the world through her Non-Profit Mission Blue. She has become an important role model for women in science and inspiring future generations of ocean scientists.

Impact Factor...

Sylvia Earle founded Mission Blue, a non-profit organization dedicated to protecting marine areas. Mission Blue's "Hope Spots" have directly contributed to new marine protected areas around the world. Within these protected areas, harmful activities are limited to help preserve marine life.

Her deep sea explorations and research has greatly improved our understanding of deep ocean ecosystems, coral reefs, kelp forests and other marine ecosystems. Showing their vital role they play in the wider world's climate.

Through documentaries and talks she has helped millions of people understand why healthy oceans are essential for life on earth.

Time Magazine - Hero of the planet - Awarded for her major Global Impact on environmental conservation

National Geographic Explorer-in-Residence - One of the highest honours from national geographic, recognising a lifetime of exploration and scientific leadership

TED Prize Winner - Awarded to support her global mission of protecting oceans

Inducted into the **U.S. National Woman's hall of fame**, for breaking barriers for women in science

Awards and Recognitions