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Bio 207 FL Human-Coast Interactions in Brittany

LESSON Eight. Human-Coast Interactions in Bretagne; C.E.V.A.

Friday

On our last day in Brittany, we headed out to CEVA, the Center for Algal Research and Valorization, to learn about the many uses of algae. You may not know it, but seaweeds are found in many everyday products such as food, cosmetics, health products, and technology. We toured CEVA's research labs and pilot development plant.

After our time with M. Lerat, we traveled west to see the pink granite coast followed by a tour of Roscoff's wet lab. At the lab we looked at local marine life.

We have had a great week touring Brittany and are sad to be returning to the United States. Hopefully we will be able to return again. For the last time, Au Revoir from France!

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clockwise from top left: Yannick Lerat, Centre d'Etude de Valorisation des Algues (C.E.V.A.); tour of the C.E.V.A. industrial pilot plant; Roscoff Algoplus shop with all algal products; wet lab, Roscoff Marine Biological Laboratory.