

# Markku Viitasalo

List of publications 12.10.2023

## 1. Peer-reviewed scientific articles

1. Kuismanen, L., Virtanen, E.A., Lappalainen, J., Kurvinen, L., Blankett, P., Viitasalo, M. (2023). Identifying ecologically valuable marine areas to support conservation and spatial planning at scales relevant for decision making. *Marine Policy*. Accepted for publication.
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## 2. Non-refereed scientific articles

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## 3. Scientific books (monographs)

1. Viitasalo, M., Kostamo, K., Hallanaro, E.-L., Viljanmaa, W., Kiviluoto, S., Salovius-Laurén, S., Ekebom, J., Blankett, P. (eds.) (2021). *Havets skattkammare – En upptacktsresa I Finlands marina undervattensnatur* (Treasures of the Sea –Expedition to the Underwater Marine Environment of Finland; in Swedish). Gaudeamus, Helsinki. 535 pp.
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## 4. Publications intended for professional communities

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