Dear Editor,

CORRECTION: Nature Climate Change Editorial, *Ocean Wanderer*, Nature Climate Change, Vol. 5, Issue 1, pages 1, doi:10.1038/nclimate2489.

In the Editorial 'Ocean Wanderer' (Nature Clim. Change 5, 1; 2015), the image shown in this article is of freshwater (river/lake) algae and not from oceanic waters. Whilst the editorial highlights the importance of marine phytoplankton in the global cycling of nutrients, in generating almost half the Earth's oxygen, and their vital role in marine food webs, the inaccuracy of the image highlights the current status of marine phytoplankton, that is, they continue to remain underestimated, understudied and enigmatic organisms.

As the photographer of the image below, I give permission to Nature Climate Change to use the following marine phytoplankton image in the correction.

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Transmission electron microscopy of marine phytoplankton: Image Penelope Ajani



