





EUROPEAN MARITIME DAY 2010 MARITIME EVENTS ACROSS EUROPE

International Symposium: Structural measures and policies for the outlining of new maritime career paths AND PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

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Maritime Economy has undergone profound, comprehensive transformations over the last decade, affecting production and commercialization strategies in the sector. The current scenario – showing **an increasingly high level of specialization** in some of the competitors while new producers are entering the scene, typically from South-East Asia – requires **customized**, **targeted training** of human resources operating in the field, **with a multiregional and transnational scope**, involving not only management, but also those with more operative positions and working for maritime agents, brokers, shipping companies, shipyards, insurance companies, Port Authorities and port-based transportation and logistics companies, etc.

Such context led to the idea of **an international maritime symposium** entitled 'Structural measures and policies for the outlining of new maritime career paths and professional skills'. The event, developed within the framework of the 'Maritime Day 2010' European Commission's initiative, is a unique opportunity to meet the most significant stakeholders in Shipbuilding and Yachting at a European level and aims at letting **new career paths and professional skills** emerge, in the light of the current development trends in the sector (http://ec.europa.eu/maritimeaffairs/maritimeday). The event is also the ideal opportunity for the official presentation of the **Maritime Economy Development Training Cluster**, funded by the Friuli Venezia Giulia Region.

Programme of the day

9.45 - Registration of participants

10.00 - Opening speech

'Regional policies addressed to the development of Maritime Economy and the Technological Shipbuilding and Yachting Cluster in Friuli Venezia Giulia', by the President of the FVG Region, Mr Renzo Tondo

- 10.15 `A Training Cluster for the development of Maritime Economy', by the Director of ENAIP FVG Training Centre, Ms Paola Stuparich
- 10.30 Round table 'New career paths and professional skills in Shipbuilding and Yachting sectors: comparing European experiences', debate moderated by Massimo Bernardo, Vice President of International Propeller Clubs
- 12.30 EU strategies in the framework of the Integrated Maritime Policy, by the European Commission officer Mr Giorgio Gallizioli, Adviser for social matters and simplification (DG MARE)
- 13.00 End of activities, followed by a buffet lunch

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