



SEA-EU STAFF WEEK

Name of the session	SEA-EU Marine and Maritime Staff Week
Hosting Institution	University of Malta
Starting –ending date of the training	26 th – 28 th May 2020
Language	English
Profile of expected participants (at least precise if teaching staff, supporting staff, student) / prerequisite	Researchers in the Marine and Maritime research areas Academics/Teachers of Disciplines dealing with Marine and Maritime studies - including Biology, Engineering and Law Administration Staff are also welcome to shadow administrative team and join in with different activities
Maximum number of participants	10 academics/researchers + max. 5 administration staff (2 academics/researchers + 1 admin staff per partner) <i>First come first served; however, we will seek to have a range of participants from different universities</i>
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Application details:	Please use the following application form to apply for the Marine & Maritime Staff Week + Interdisciplinary workshop: https://forms.gle/tPKuNtngofWkxBY8
Application Deadline :	27th March 2020
General objectives of the week	Strengthening collaboration with SEA-EU universities and beyond. With different activities , such as round tables, workshops and talks, we will share good practices, ideas for implementation and universities' experiences. The Marine and Maritime Staff Week will be followed by the Interdisciplinary workshop on the future education and research agenda in the blue economy (WP5 Task 5.1).





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Programme details to be confirmed:

Tuesday 26 th May 2020 (Room 6, Valletta Campus, University of Malta)	
9:00	Registration
9:30	Welcome Address and Ice-Breaking Session <i>Prof. Godfrey Baldacchino, Pro-Rector (International Development & Quality Assurance)</i>
10:00	The University of Malta's Maritime Platform <i>Prof. Ing. Claire De Marco, Chair</i>
10:15	Teaching in Maritime Engineering <i>Prof. Ing. Duncan Camilleri, Head, Department of Mechanical Engineering</i> <i>Prof. Ing. Claire De Marco, Academic, Department of Mechanical Engineering</i>
10:35	Research in Maritime Engineering <i>Prof. Ing. Duncan Camilleri, Head, Department of Mechanical Engineering</i> <i>Prof. Ing. Claire De Marco, Academic, Department of Mechanical Engineering</i> <i>Prof. Tonio Sant, Academic, Department of Mechanical Engineering</i>
11:20	Discussion
12:30	Lunch
13:30	Physical Geography and Geomorphology <i>Dr Ritienne Gauci, Academic, Department of Geography</i>
15:00 – 16:00	Marine Biology <i>Dr Sandro Lanfranco, Head, Department of Biology</i>

Wednesday, 27 th May 2020 (Room 6, Valletta Campus, University of Malta)	
9:00	Registration
9:30	Has Maritime Search and Rescue Law failed us? <i>Prof. Patricia Vella de Fremeaux, Head, Department of International Law</i>
10:00	Is the Shipmaster's Duty to Render Assistance Absolute? <i>Dr Felicity Attard, Academic, Department of International Law</i>
10:30	Ocean Governance in an Era of Climate Change <i>Prof. Simone Borg, Head, Department of Environmental & Resources Law</i>
11:00	Sea Level Rise and the Stability of Maritime Boundaries <i>Dr Antoine Grima Academic, Department of Environmental & Resources Law</i>
11:30	Discussion
12:00	Introduction to the Faculty of Science <i>Prof. Emmanuel Sinagra, Dean</i>
12:30	Lunch
13:30	Physical Oceanography <i>Prof. Aldo Drago, Coordinator, Physical Oceanography Research Group</i>





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	<p><i>Prof. Alan Deidun, Academic, Physical Oceanography Research Group</i> <i>Dr Adam Gauci, Academic, Physical Oceanography Research Group</i> <i>Dr Anthony Galea, Academic, Physical Oceanography Research Group</i></p>
17:00	Off Site Visit: HF Radar Visit (Xghajra)

Thursday, 28 th May 2020 (Room 6, Valletta Campus, University of Malta)	
9:00	Registration
9:30	<p>The Potential of Offshore Solar <i>Prof. Luciano Mule Stagno, Director, Institute of Sustainable Energy</i></p>
10:30	<p>Geology and Geophysics from Coast to Sea: Hazards and Resources <i>Prof. Pauline Galea, Head, Department of Geosciences</i> <i>Dr Sebastiano Damico, Academic, Department of Geosciences</i> <i>Dr Daniele Spatola, Research Support Officer, Department of Geosciences</i></p>
12:30	Lunch
13:30 – 19:00	<p>Interdisciplinary Workshop: The education, research and outreach agenda in tomorrow's blue economy <i>Prof. Aldo Drago, Coordinator, Physical Oceanography Research Group</i> <i>Dr Lisa Pace, Academic, Edward de Bono Institute for the Design & Development of Thinking</i></p>
19:30	Social Event/ Dinner (at your own expense: approx. 30 euros per person)

Friday, 29 th May 2020 (Institute of Sustainable Energy, Marsaxlokk)	
9:30	Malta Aquaculture Research Centre (tbc)
11:00	<p>Interdisciplinary Workshop: The education, research and outreach agenda in tomorrow's blue economy <i>Dr Ritienne Gauci, Academic, Department of Geography</i></p>
12:30	Lunch
13:30	<p>Interdisciplinary Workshop: The education, research and outreach agenda in tomorrow's blue economy <i>Dr Sebastiano Damico, Academic, Department of Geosciences</i> <i>Dr Daniele Spatola, Research Support Officer, Department of Geosciences</i> <i>Prof. Anton Micallef, Academic, Institute of Earth Systems</i></p>
14:30 – 16:00	<p>Interdisciplinary Workshop: The education, research and outreach agenda in tomorrow's blue economy Reports of Working Groups and Recommendations for Further Action / Reflection <i>Prof. Alan Deidun, Academic, Physical Oceanography Research Group</i></p>





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Objectives of the mobility: -

We would like to meet and get to know our SEA-EU partners and explore the possibilities for cooperation including (but not limited to)

- Creation of joint degrees
- Research cooperation
- Teacher mobility
- Administration mobility
- Joint projects
- Ideas for Outreach events

If you are interested to join this staff week, please contact:

- the people in charge of the event in the Hosting Institution or fill the form
- the people in charge of mobility within your own institution in order to apply for an Erasmus mobility grant.

