

Le strategie dell'Unione Europea nell'ambito dell'Integrated Maritime **Policy**

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The Integrated Maritime Policy a engine for growth and employment





WHY EU LAUNCHED A IMP

Importance of seas and oceans
Potential growth
Possible synergies
Organisational set-up

From the « green paper » to Europe 2020 strategy

- 2006 towards a future maritime policy for the Union : a vision for the oceans and seas
- 2007 : the « Blue paper » , an Action plan and the European Council conclusions
- 2009 : Report on the Implementation of IMP

European Maritime Day (2008, 2009, 2010)

Action Plan : 65 initiatives. Today we focus on jobs and education

SEA RELATED SECTORS

- Shipbuilding
- Shipping
- Seaports
- Inland navigation
- Marine equipments
- Maritime works
- Recreational boating
- Costal tourism
- Fisheries and aquaculture

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Employment in the sea-sustained sectors

- How many jobs today?
- How many jobs in 10 year and further ahead?
- What skills are/will be required?
 Is the profession in a sea-related sector attractive in the EU?

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PRIORITIES:

- Smart growth: economy based on knowledge and innovation
- Sustainable growth: low carbon, resource efficient and competitive economy
- Inclusive growth: high employment economy, social and territorial cohesion

COMMON TARGETS:

- 1. 20-64 people, 75% employed;
- EU GDP to R&D = 3%;
- 3. 20/20/20 climate/energy targets
- 4. 40% younger generation having a tertiary degree, <10% early school leavers
- 5. <20.M people at risk of poverty</p>
- European/national targets and continuous monitoring

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Flagships initiatives:

- I. innovation Union
- 2. youth on the move
- 3. a digital agenda for Europe
- 4. resource efficient Europe
- 5. an industrial policy for the globalisation era
- 6. an agenda for new skills and new jobs
- 7. European platform against poverty

A survey on employment

Shortage of workforce in the sea-sustained sectors

- No more life-long career commitment
- Ageing working population
- Scarce availability of highly qualified workers

Jobseeker looks for a safe workplace, career opportunity and attractive working conditions

Match skills with jobs : responsibility of social partners and educational centres

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What is new in the vocational education

Initiatives:
Youth on the move
New skills for new jobs

New tools:

 The European Qualifications Framework for long life learning and the European credit system for vocational education and training

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Avenues to explore

Sea-sustained sectors are facing specific difficulties

What can we do :

 Explore new fields : a green shipping industry, blue growth, marine biotechnology, offshore energy, ...;

Create a level playing field (role of IMO and ILO);

Get a highly qualified and skilled workforce;

Grazie per la vostra attenzione

Sito DG MARE : <u>http://ec.europa.eu/maritimeaffairs/index_en.html</u>

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