

EUROPEAN MARITIME DAY 2010
MARITIME EVENTS ACROSS EUROPE
(AT MEMBER STATE, REGIONAL AND LOCAL LEVEL)

TEMPLATE FOR EVENT ORGANISERS

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Title of event	EU MARITIME DAY 2010: Towards an Integrated Maritime Policy for a better governance of the Mediterranean (<i>..the way from Piran to Piran..</i>)
Short programme description (max 300 characters)	The event will be chaired by Prof. Dr. Marko Pavliha, EU Maritime Ambassador and former Slovenian Minister of Transport and Vice- President of the Parliament who will highlight the main achievements and aims of the new EU Maritime Policy with particular regard to the Mediterranean and Adriatic. Particular regard will be paid to the EU strategy to improve the maritime governance of the Mediterranean sea . On the 11 th of September 2009 the EU Commission issued its Communication: <i>Towards an Integrated Maritime Policy for a better governance of the Mediterranean</i> , which has however its origin <i>inter- alia</i> in the Conference on Maritime Policy in the Mediterranean Sea, held on 10 June 2008 in Piran- Portorož (Slovenia) . The latter was the first ever international high level conference on maritime policy and governance in the Mediterranean and was organized by the <i>Slovenian Presidency of the EU, the European Commission and the University Centre for Euro-Mediterranean Studies (Center EMUNI) in co-operation with the Slovenian Maritime Law</i>

	<p>Association (MLAS).</p> <p>The main aim of the event in 2010 will be therefore to discuss the results of this efforts, the new EU strategy for the Mediterranean and its particular application on the Adriatic. Speakers will include representatives from the <i>Slovenian Maritime Law Association (MLAS), Maritime Law Association of Malta, Italian Maritime Law Association coupled by the French and Croatian Maritime Law Association (to be confirmed)</i>. The event will be held in English language and attended by representatives of the Slovenian Government (inc. <i>Ministry of Transport and Environment</i>). <u>The participation from a representative of the EU Commission would be most appreciated.</u></p>
<p>Event objectives and target audience (max 300 characters)</p>	<p>The main goal of the event is to advocate and introduce to a specialised audience and general public the salient features of the new EU Maritime Policy and particularly the new EU strategy for the Mediterranean. Target audience will include maritime lawyers from Slovenia and the region, government representatives, marine researches, shipping agents and ship owners, cargo owners, representatives from ports and yachts marinas, maritime universities and media.</p>
<p>Date (event should be held close in time to the European Maritime Day, i.e. around 20 May 2009)</p>	<p>20 May 2010 (or alternatively close to that date)</p>
<p>Location</p>	<p>Piran, Portorož, Slovenia</p>
<p>Cooperation with the Commission (please indicate what kind of support you require)</p>	<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> speaker (indicate the subject) EU MARITIME STRATEGY FOR THE MEDITERRANEAN (and possibly its application in the Adriatic).</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> visibility (publish information on the event on the European Maritime Day website)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> visibility (publish information on the event in the European Maritime Day conference programme)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> information and promotional material (separate order form will be sent to you)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> other (please specify) Possibly financial support for travelling arrangements for guest speakers from other Mediterranean states.</p>
<p>Comments</p>	<p>The aim of the event is <i>inter- alia</i> to advise the Slovenian Government on how to implement the new EU Strategy for a better governance of the Mediterranean into its internal legal order. The list of speakers with detailed subjects will be finalized by the beginning of the year 2010.</p>

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