

What the Network offers to its members

Periodic members meetings on selected topics

with the participation of top-tier experts
or innovative case from industrial players

Presentations of possible calls for EU funding

Yearly physical meetings

to define ports innovation priorities

News on best practices and industry insights

via a set of digital channels such as a web portal
(www.docksthefuture.eu) and the related social networks

Business to Business facilitation

Find an expert service

What the Network asks to its members

Appoint a contact person in the organisation

to be in touch with the Network

Exchange information and best practices

Take part on regular basis in the activities organised by the Network

Share promotional opportunities and events

with the Network Members

Commit its organisation

to develop collaborative projects with other Members

Promote the membership

*displaying the Network of Excellence logo
on website and promotional materials*

Send out a press release

*announcing the membership, to be shared also on
docksthefuture.eu*

How to join the Network

Ports and transport related organisations (NoE Friends)

can become members of the DocksTheFuture Network of Excellence by endorsing the declaration downloadable at www.docksthefuture.eu and committing to its principles.

DOCKSTHEFUTURE MEMBERSHIP is free of charge

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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Towards the Port of Tomorrow

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Who we are

DocksTheFuture Network of Excellence (NoE) is a voluntary cooperative Network **gathering the most innovative ports** willing to team up and take actions to support the maritime community **achieving the UN 2030 Sustainable Development Goals**, using the opportunity given by international funding pro-programmes such as the ones set by the EU Green Deal.

There are essential contributions required from the port and shipping sector to achieve the UN and EU environmental targets. **Despite being a challenging path, it also provides promising benefits** for the whole society and important business opportunities for the sector.

Discover the

DOCKSTHEFUTURE
NETWORK OF EXCELLENCE

members here



Our objectives

- ✓ **To promote ideas for the Port of the Future**, inspired by ongoing initiatives and proposals
- ✓ **To have a leading and proactive role in the process of overcoming the industry challenges** of today and tomorrow, also in order to implement co-funded projects and support policy changes;
- ✓ **To speed up** the distribution of practical innovative ideas, fostering the spread of best practices, promoting **new technologies to innovate the business** and the whole port industry;
- ✓ **To enrich the dialogue with and among other organisations** such as the European Technology Platforms, international associations and maritime clusters

Core topics

ENERGY TRANSITION

(e.g. cold ironing, off shore wind production)

ALTERNATIVE FUELS

(e.g. bio-fuels, hydrogen)

SUSTAINABLE AND RESILIENT TRANSPORT INFRASTRUCTURE

EMERGING TECHNOLOGIES AND DIGITALISATION

CYBER SECURITY

INNOVATIVE FUNDING TOOLS

PORT-CITY RELATION

CIRCULAR ECONOMY