

COOPERATION SALLIANCE BETWEEN MARITIME UNIVERSITIES







History

- 3000 year history of training
- "Learning the Ropes"









Recent Years

- Focus on Education
- 50 years of degree studies
- Graduate studies
- Research









Our Sector

- Growing rapidly
- 90% of world trade
- Global in nature









The Present

Our Graduates:

- Move the largest man-made objects on the planet
- Ships worth a billion dollars plus
- Responsible for thousands of lives

- Cargoes worth up to a billion dollars
- Environmental liabilities up to a trillion dollars









The Present

Our Graduates:

They are a critical piece of the sector!

















... or is it Education **VS.** Training? "The Skills Debate"







International Association of Maritime Universities



Founded in November 1999

- Arab Academy for Science & Technology and Maritime Transport
- Australian Maritime College
- Cardiff University, Department of Maritime Study
- Istanbul Technical University, Maritime Faculty
- Kobe University of Mercantile Marine
- Maine Maritime Academy
- World Maritime University







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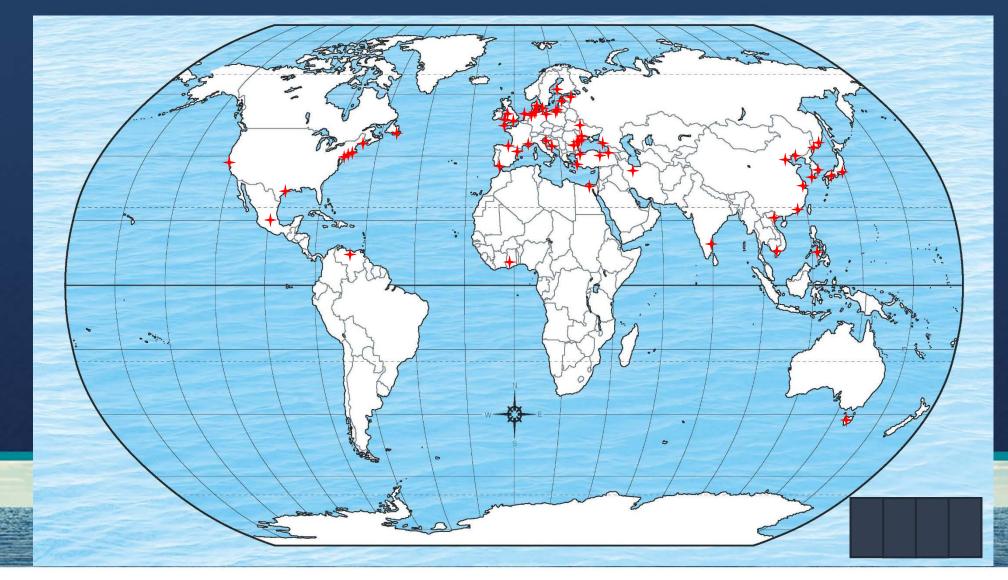
- Financial background
 - The grant from the Nippon Foundation
 - Membership fee







Member Universities









Structure of IAMU

Honorary chair: Mr. Yohei Sasakawa

Chair:

Mr. Glenn Blackwood
Fisheries and Marine Institute of Memorial University
Newfoundland and Labrador, Canada

Executive Director: Mr. Takeshi Nakazawa







Structure of IAMU

Members:

- 33 members in Europe and Africa
- 14 members in Asia, Pacific and Oceania
- 9 members in Americas
- 56 members from 31 countries

Secretary's office:

Ocean Policy Research Foundation in Tokyo







International Executive Board

10 members + the Nippon Foundation + Executive Director:

- Regional representatives
- Representatives nominated by IEB
- Ex-officio members (host universities of AGA)
- World Maritime University







International Executive Board

Standing Committees:

- Policy and Planning Committee
- Academic Affairs Committee
- Liaison Committee
- Finance Committee







Our Vision

The IAMU aims to be the global leader in maritime capacity building through networking and excellence in MET. (Article II, Basic Agreement)







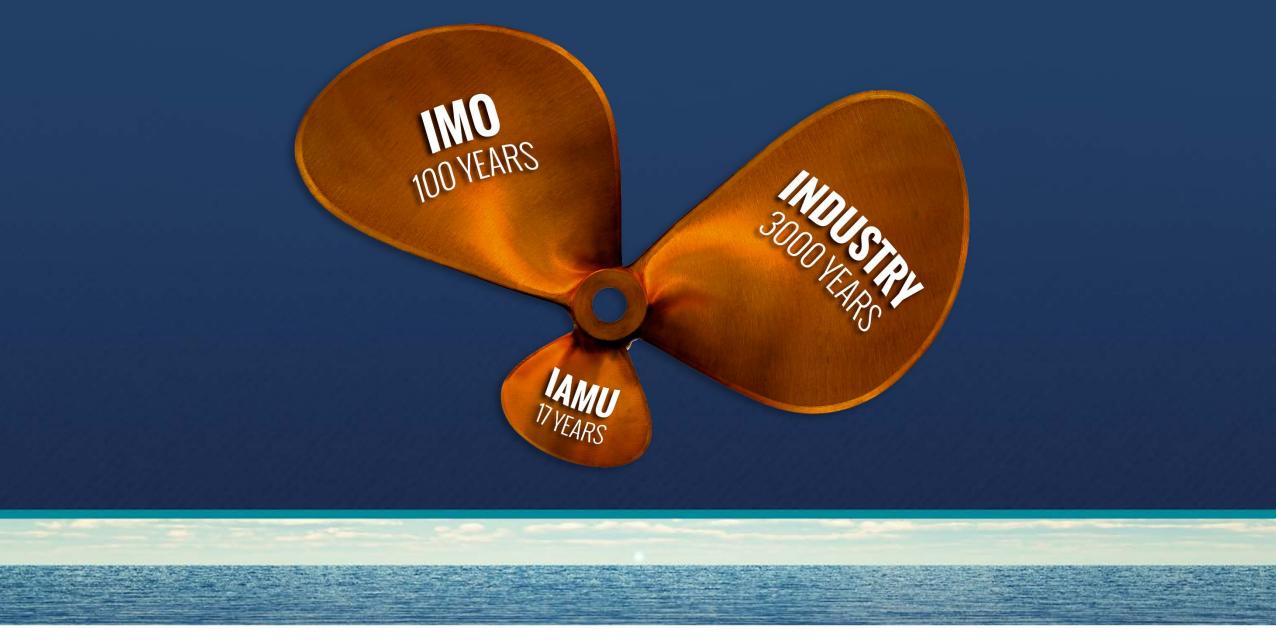
Recent Activities

- 1. IAMU Research Project System (2010)
- 2. Establishment of IAMU Section in WMU JoMA (2014)
- 3. Exchange Views with Industry & Marine Administration (2014)
- 4. Create a New Basic Agreement
- 5. Collaboration with MARINA, the Phillipines (2015)
- 6. Promotion of Students Activities (2015)





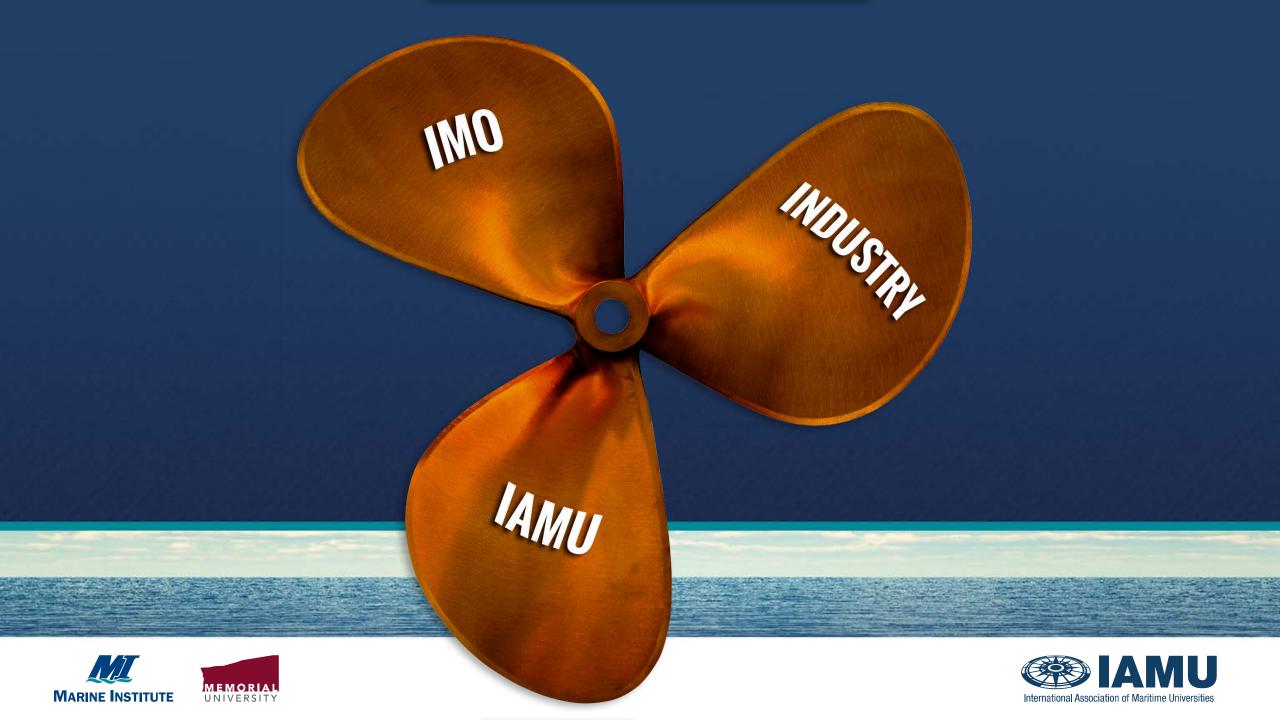














Future Opportunities and Challenges

Challenges

- Challenging ocean environment
- Global economic slowdown
- Changing demographics

Opportunities

- Strength in working together
- Produce highly skilled and well-educated graduates
- Research to advance our industry



"Smooth seas do not make skillful sailors."

- African Proverb









ありがとうございます。





