

To: High schools of Croatia

Attention: Head teacher

Object: ASSESS Project - Training the Trainers Initiative / Objekt: ASSESS Project – Training the Trainers



Dear Head teacher,

we are glad to present you the **“Advanced Skills in Safety, Environment and Security at Sea-ASSESS”** project, approved and cofunded by the Call *Blue Careers in Europe* and activated by DG Mare. The project aims to realize three specific education and training paths, in English language, for human resources, both employed and young people, that will be able to manage **safety and security issues in the maritime sector**. ASSESS foresees the activation of these educational paths:

- *Advanced Master (AM)*, which aims to train graduated students and employees who are involved in the design and manufacturing phases of ships and/or offshore vessels/platforms;
- *Upskilling Programme (UP)*, which involves the training of workers currently employed in operations management of ships and offshore platforms;
- **Training the Trainers (TT): a refresher course for teachers of high schools with technical courses.**

The partnership strives for the courses to become an international reference on these topics that are becoming more and more relevant for the maritime sector in Europe as well as in the world.

In particular, we are writing you referring to the **“Training the Trainers (TT)”** initiative. This courses’ path, held in English, will confer teachers an updated knowledge about multidisciplinary themes on safety and security



Poštovani Ravnatelj,

drago nam je predstaviti Vam projekt “ASSESS – Advanced Skills in Safety, Environment and Security at Sea,” odobren i financiran na Call Blue Careers in Europe i aktiviran od strane Dg Mare. Projekt ima za cilj da realizuje tri specifične vrste obrazovanja i osposobljavanja ljudskih resursa na engleskom jeziku, kao što su nezaposleni ili mladi, koji će biti u stanju da se bave sigurnošću i zaštitom u pomorskom sektoru. Pritom, ASSESS predviđa da aktivira sledeće programe obrazovanja:

- *Advanced Master (AM)*, koji cilja osposobiti diplomirane studente i zaposlene, koji se bave projektovanjem i proizvodnjom brodova i/ili offshore brodova/struktura;
- *Upskilling Programme (UP)*, koji obuhvata obuku za zaposlene, koji trenutno rade u sektoru operacionog menadžmenta u vezi sa brodovima i offshore platformama;
- **Training the Trainers (TT): kurs namenjem profesorima srednjih škola sa tehničkom spremom.**

Partnerstvo nastoji kako bi kursevi postali internacionalno upućivanje u gore navedene sektore i teme, koje su sve više važne i aktuelne za pomorski sektor u Evropi kao i širom svijeta.

Posebno Vam pišemo u vezi “Training the Trainers (TT)” inicijative. Kurs će donjeti ažurirano znanje za učiteljice u multidiscipliniranim temama, kao što su sigurnost i zaštita u pomorskom sektoru.

issues related to maritime sector. The overall path foresees **16 hours of frontal lessons**, divided by topics in 4 independent blocks, each of them lasting 4 hours, **following the attached draft programme**. The courses will be held at the **University of Trieste (Italy) on 5th and 12th October and on 19th and 26th November 2018**. The paths will be open for teachers of second level higher technical institutes. Each teacher will be free to choose if attend one or more paths. If there aren't enough applications, courses won't be activated.

The aim of the TT initiative is to spread specific maritime issues to high schools' students through their teachers in order to anticipate their understanding of the most relevant practices in use in the sector. In this way, the project strives to have an orientation function and at the same time, take students closer to enterprises' world. In fact, among the market expressed needs there is a huge request of qualified human resources especially in the maritime technologies' sector.

At the end of the training the teachers will be evaluated with a final test that will prove the achievement of main assumptions provided by the course. Moreover, teachers will be requested to define the contents of at least 2 lessons addressed to their students and focused on the specific maritime topics learned during the TT initiative. It is expected that each teacher will be able to transfer to his students, year by year, "maritime Blue Growth" concepts during regular lessons.

Training the Trainers initiative will be free of charge for this first edition thanks to the contribution of the European Union.

We remain at your disposal for any further clarification.

Yours sincerely,
ASSESS Team

Svaki modul predviđa ukupno **16 sati lekcija**, podijeljene u 4 različite teme od 4 sata, više detalja u **priloženom programu**. Lekcije će se održati u **sveučilištu u Trstu (Italija)** od **05/07/18 do 05/07/18 i od 19/09/18 do 26/09/18**. Mogu prisustvovati učitelji srednjih tehničkih škola. Svaki učitelj može odlučiti da li prisustvovati jednoj ili više lekcija. Lekcije neće biti aktivirane ako nema dovoljni broj prijava.

Cilj TT inicijativa je širenje posebnog pomorskog znanja među studentima srednjih škola, putem njihovih profesora, koji će imati prilike da ih pripreme kako bi se obrazuju u ovom sektoru na visokom nivou. Na ovaj način, projekt teži imati orijentacionu ulogu i približiti studente poduzećima. Zapravo, u ovom tržištu, je iskazana velika potreba kvalificiranog osoblja, a posebno u sektoru pomorskih tehnologija.

Na kraju kursa, profesori će biti ocijenjeni putem završnog ispita, koji će dokazati njihova dostignuća i razumevanja obavljenog programa. Osim toga, profesori će morati da pripreme i obave najmanje 2 lekcije svojim studentima, koje će biti u relaciji tretiranih tematika za vrijeme TT kursa. Predviđeno je da na kraju kursa svaki profesor će biti u mogućnosti da prenesu svoje znanje vezano za "Maritime Blue Growth" svojim studentima u toku jedne školske godine za vrijeme regularnog odvijanja nastave.

Training the Trainers inicijativa će biti besplatna u ovom prvom izdanju zahvaljujući financiranju čitavog projekta od strane Evropske Unije.

Za sva dodatna pojašnjenja i informacije, ostajemo na raspolaganju.

S poštovanjem,
ASSESS Team