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Panel session 4: From MSCA impact towards the future challenges of young researchers

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European University of the Seas

- One of the 17 selected alliances in the 1st European Universities call





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WHO WE ARE

Uniting over...

122,832

STUDENTS

16,909

**STAFF, INCLUDING
10,427 ACADEMIC
STAFF/
RESEARCHERS**

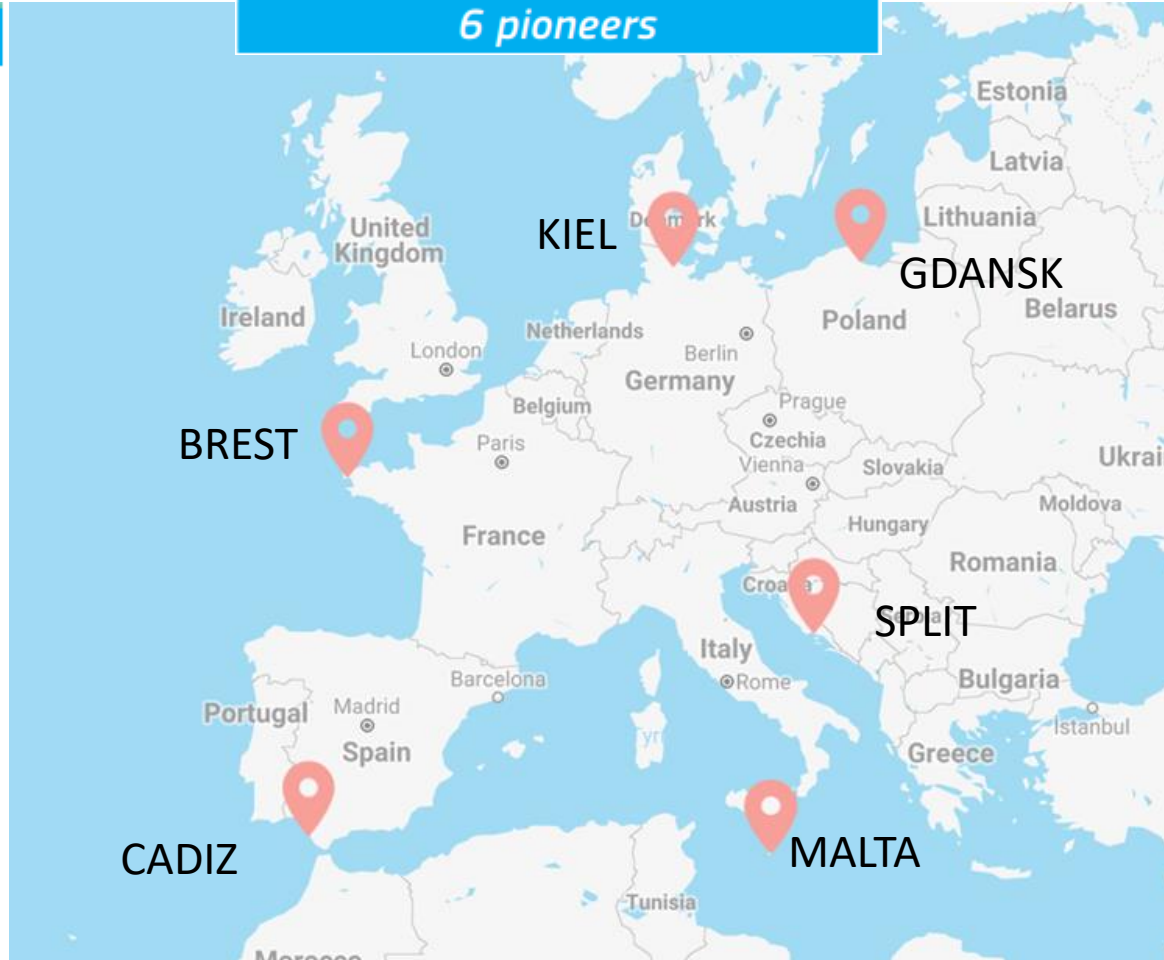
68

FACULTIES

117

**RESEARCH
GROUPS**

6 pioneers



32 associates

8

Research centres

5

Enterprises

5

Cities

1

Provincial authority

6

Public entities

4

NGOs

3

International clusters
of excellence



Kiel University
Christian-Albrechts-Universität zu Kiel



UNIWERSYTET GDAŃSKI



L-Università
ta' Malta



Université de Bretagne Occidentale



UCA

Universidad
de Cádiz

Ambition

- We wish to become a role model to other universities in particular in engaging students, academics, researchers and entrepreneurs in international teams for solving important social challenges and creating new knowledge
- Our driving force is the expertise in marine/maritime disciplines (teaching, research and transfer)...but we are building an alliance of the universities as a whole.
- « *Living sustainably by, from and with the sea* »

Future careers of researchers – SEA-EU contribution

Within alliance we are:

- Sharing resources: services, databases, infrastructures
- Forming research networks
- Offering staff and students a full range of mobility within SEA-EU and fostering multilingualism and multiculturalism (Erasmus+, MSCA,..)



Research potential of SEA-EU

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Research groups

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- Kiel University
- University of Bretagne Occidentale
- University of Cadiz
- University of Gdańsk
- University of Malta
- University of Split

Research area

- Any -

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Future careers of researchers – SEA-EU contribution

- Joint PhD study related to marine and maritime
- Exploring a topic of industrial doctorates within common PhD programme
- Sustainability through cooperation with industry
- MSCA ITNs could serve as a vehicle

Future careers of researchers – SEA-EU contribution

- SEA-EU-DOC: Preparing doctoral students in marine sciences for careers out of academia in a European context – submitted project to Erasmus+ Strategic partnerships
- Goal: increase the employability of our doctorate holders
 - giving visibility to the diversity of career paths
 - identifying valuable transferable skills
 - adjusting training to better fit the diversity of employment opportunities
 - strengthening links between university and industry

Future careers of researchers – SEA-EU contribution

- Further strengthening research and innovation dimension of SEA-EU – SWAFS proposal reSEArch-EU
- Human capital: SEA-EU Academy
 - virtual teaching space
 - digital skills, open science, innovation and entrepreneurial skills..
 - Sustainable R&I practices
- Remote work and remotization of infrastructure

Future careers of researchers – SEA-EU contribution

- Access to joint partner resources
- Mission based approach
- Many opportunities for intersectoral and international collaboration
 - Development of joint mission-based funding for collaborative RDI
- Human resource development
 - Development of careers within and outside academia

European Universities initiative

- Huge potential for addressing future challenges of young researchers
- MSCA is important vehicle to achieve European Universities ambitions



Thank you and...
...“see you in SEA-EU”