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## SUMMER SCHOOL

### CONNECTING BODIES OF WATER:

### Geography, politics and economics of the maritime EU

**8th -12th July 2019**

25 hours

This summer school engages with European waters through a multidisciplinary approach, and is part of the academic programme of the Jean Monnet Chair in 'EU Integrated Maritime Policy and Blue Growth', attributed to Professor Regina Salvador and hosted by Nova University of Lisbon (2017-2020).

The course addresses relevant and contemporary issues related to the changing approaches to the sea, exploring new challenges for the seas and oceans surrounding the continent giving particular attention to the EU Integrated Maritime Policy, the economic dimensions of the maritime industries and the implications of international relations, trade and geostrategic maritime challenges for the EU.

The course is structured in 11 sessions (25 hours - 2 ECTS); classes take place every day from July 8<sup>th</sup> until July 12<sup>th</sup> between 10H and 16H30. Fees: 150€ for everybody; with the exception of UNL students (100€) and UNL former students (110€).

Objectives:

- 1) To develop a critical approach to maritime geographies and the inter-sectorial implications of maritime policies in contemporary times;
- 2) To overcome conceptual boundaries through research openness and imagination in order to enable critical dialogue concerning political, economic and environmental transitions in the maritime domain.

## **SESSIONS 1,2&3: 8 July 2019**

**10:00-11:00 Europe and the Sea - introduction by the Jean Monnet Chair Holder, Prof. Regina Salvador**

**11:00-12:00 Introduction to Complexity and Public Policy – Prof. Robert Geyer, Lancaster University Interim Dean (Internationalisation)**

**14:00-16:30 - The EU Integrated Maritime Policy - Prof. Francesca Savoldi**

The pillars of the EU Integrated Maritime Policy: maritime and marine knowledge; maritime spatial planning; information on integrated maritime surveillance; Sea Basin regional strategies.

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## **SESSIONS 4&5: 9 July 2019**

**10:00-12:30 - Physical Geography of Seas and Oceans – Prof. Tânia Vicente**

Fundamentals of oceanography; water temperature and salinity, latitude, seasonality patterns, geomorphic processes, water level rise, navigability.

**14:00-16:30 - Political Geography of the Sea – Prof. Francesca Savoldi**

Law of the sea and the evolution of the UNCLOS; maritime zones; dynamic maritime frontiers; special maritime areas (islands, straits, archipelagic states); maritime conflicts and EU maritime disputes.

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## **SESSIONS 6&7: 10 July 2019**

**10:00-13:00 – Maritime Spatial Planning – Prof. Adelaide Ferreira**

Marine spatial planning (MSP) around the world: emergence, objectives and characteristics of MSP; legal framework for MSP in Europe. Portugal as a case study. Evaluation of MSP.

**14:00-16:30 EU Blue growth strategy and maritime clusters - Prof. Ana Correia Ferreira**

Blue growth strategy objectives and actions: (i) Develop sectors that have a high potential for sustainable jobs and growth (aquaculture, coastal tourism, marine biotechnology, ocean energy, seabed mining); (ii) Marine knowledge, maritime spatial planning and integrated maritime surveillance.

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## **SESSIONS 8&9: 11 July 2019**

**10:00-12:30 EU Blue growth strategy and maritime clusters - Prof. Ana Correia Ferreira**

Maritime clusters in the EU and Portugal.

**14:00-16:30 – IMP and EU policies - Mr. Carlos Medeiros**

IMP connected to EU Environment and Common Fisheries Policies.

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## **SESSIONS 10&11: 12 July 2019**

**10:00-12:30 – IMP and EU policies - Mr. Carlos Medeiros**

IMP connected to EU Transports and Cohesion Policies.

**14:00 – 16:30 Maritime Geopolitics – Prof. José Lúcio**

Introduction to Global Strategic Studies; the maritime dimension of the Common Foreign and Security Policy (CSDP); geostrategic maritime challenges and their implications for the EU.

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