

# **Session 6E**



**An Insight into European Maritime Heritage**

# EUROPEAN MARITIME HERITAGE



The European  
Association for  
Traditional Ships in  
Operation



More than 500 maritime events  
attract 20 millions spectators a year

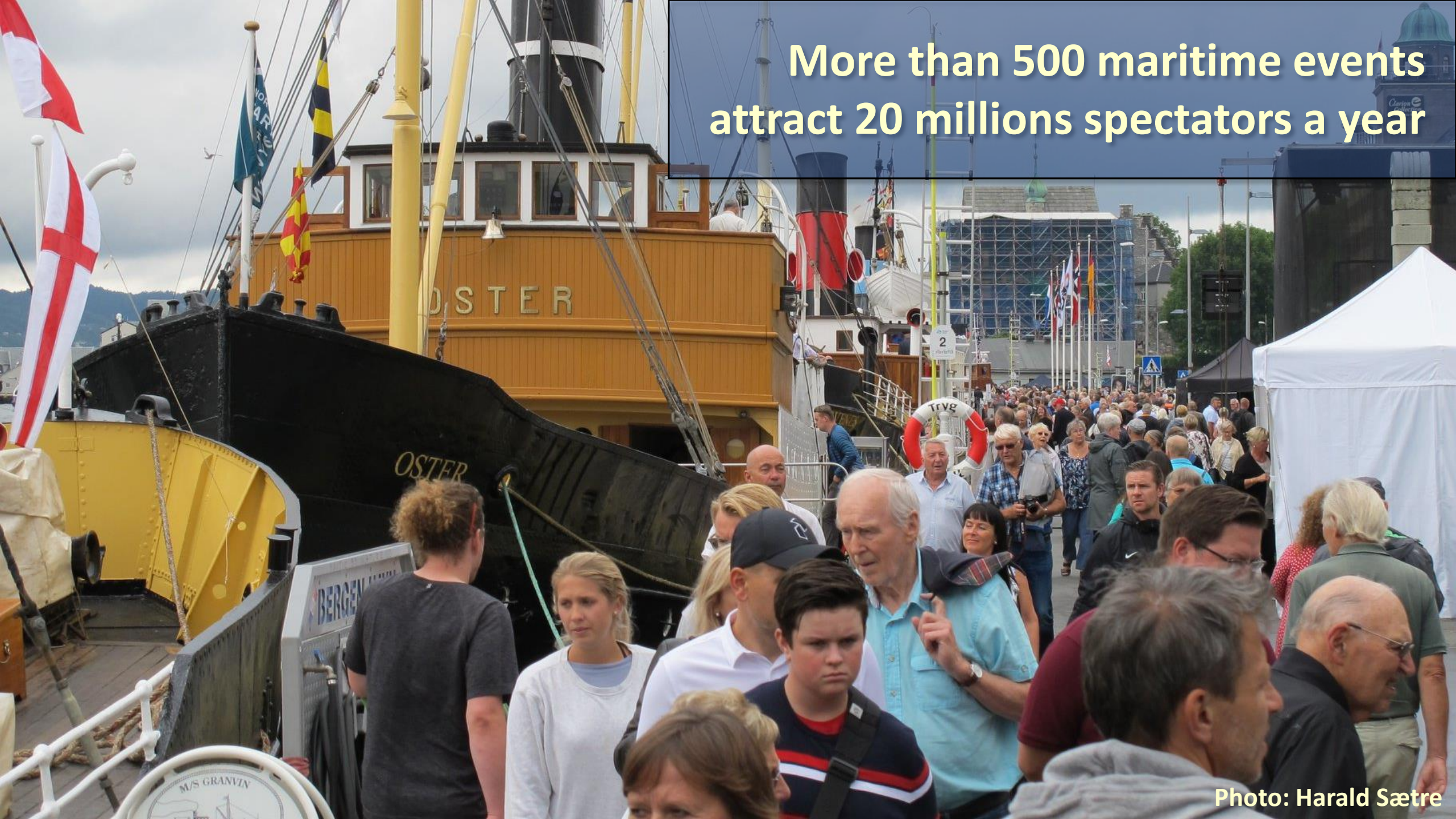


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Maritime Heritage is an economic factor

- 20 Million spectators spend € 25 per day and generate € 500 Million income for local tourism
- Ships as part of waterfront
- 10000 ships in operation spending € 25.000 in maintenance and operating do generate € 250 Million turnover for related craftsmen and suppliers

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- Creates awareness for the common European maritime roots
- Creates awareness of a common European identity
- Facilitates tourism development of regions



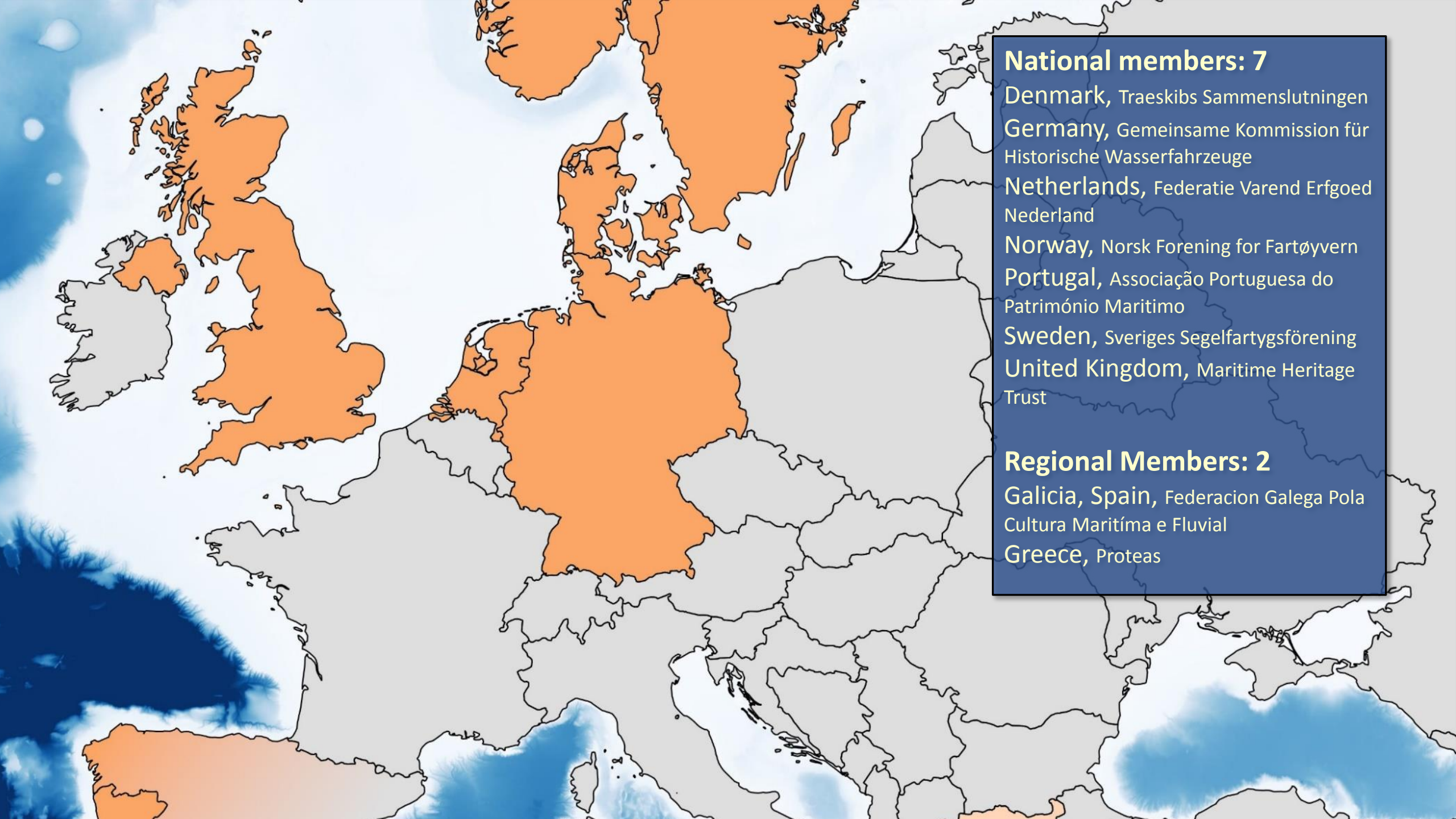


- **Offers** training in social skills and team spirit
- **Preserves** maritime skills and craftsmanship, which otherwise will get lost
- **Generates** interest for young people to pick up a career in the maritime sector









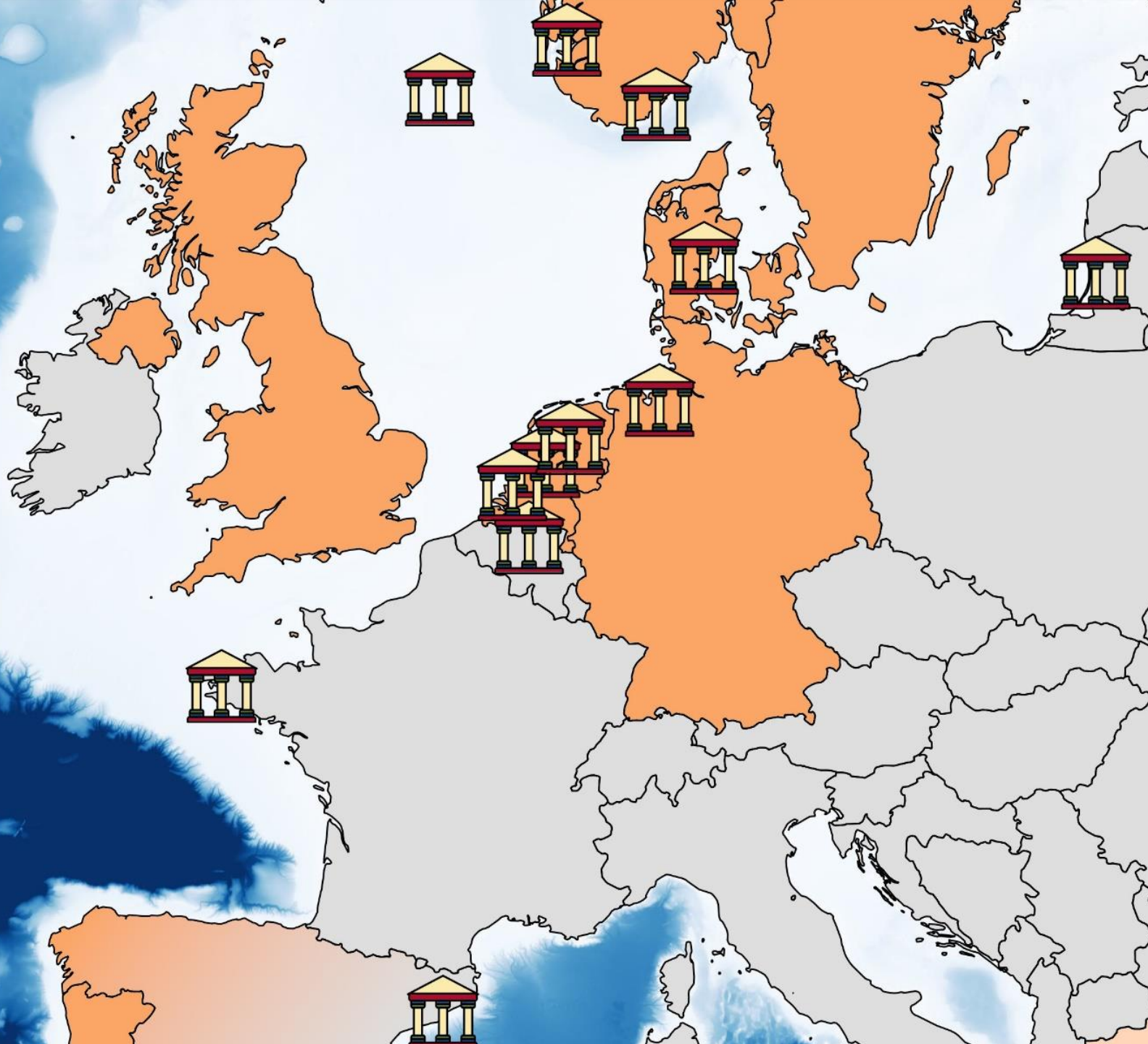
**National members: 7**

- Denmark, Traeskibs Sammenslutningen
- Germany, Gemeinsame Kommission für Historische Wasserfahrzeuge
- Netherlands, Federatie Varend Erfgoed Nederland
- Norway, Norsk Forening for Fartøyvern
- Portugal, Associação Portuguesa do Património Marítimo
- Sweden, Sveriges Segelfartygsförening
- United Kingdom, Maritime Heritage Trust

**Regional Members: 2**

- Galicia, Spain, Federacion Galega Pola Cultura Marítima e Fluvial
- Greece, Proteas





## Advisory members: 14

Museums and boat centres

MAS Museum aan de Stroom, BE

Skibsbevaringsfonden, DK

Port-Musée de Douarnenez, FR

Deutsches Schiffahrtsmuseum, D

Lithuanian Sea Museum, LT

Nederlands Scheepvaartmuseum  
Amsterdam, NL

Maritiem Museum Rotterdam, NL

Zuiderzeemuseum Enkhuizen, NL

Hardanger Fartøyvern-senter, NO

Bredalsholmen Shipyard and  
Preservation Center , NO

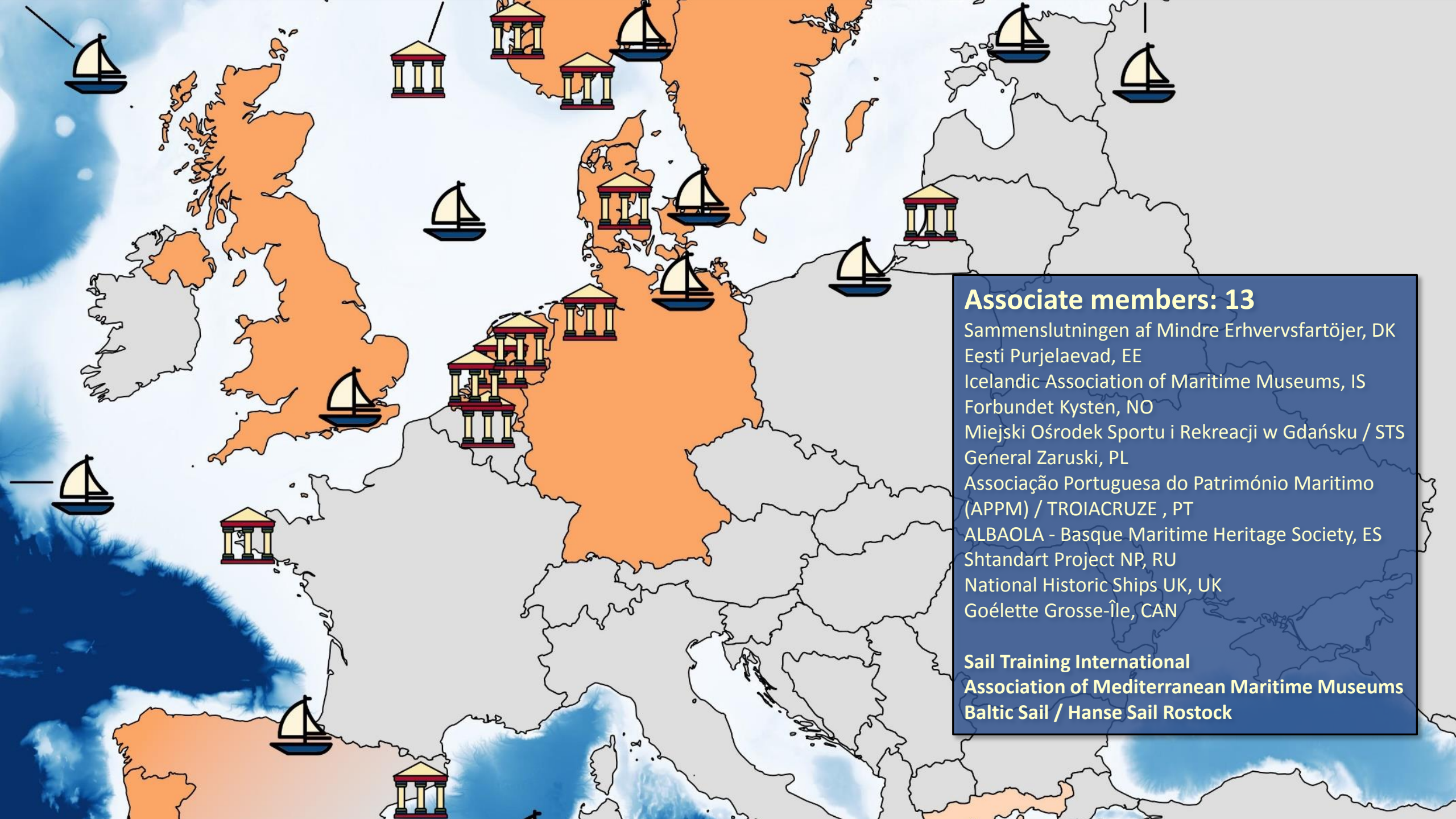
Stiftelsen Nordnorsk fartøyvern-  
senter og båtmuseum , NO

Ecomuseu Municipal do Seixal, PT

Museu de Marinha, PT

Museu Maritim Drassanes de  
Barcelona, ES





### **Associate members: 13**

Sammenslutningen af Mindre Erhvervsfartøjer, DK  
Eesti Purjelaevad, EE  
Icelandic Association of Maritime Museums, IS  
Forbundet Kysten, NO  
Miejski Ośrodek Sportu i Rekreacji w Gdańsku / STS  
General Zaruski, PL  
Associação Portuguesa do Património Marítimo  
(APPM) / TROIACRUZE , PT  
ALBAOLA - Basque Maritime Heritage Society, ES  
Shtandart Project NP, RU  
National Historic Ships UK, UK  
Goélette Grosse-Île, CAN

**Sail Training International**  
**Association of Mediterranean Maritime Museums**  
**Baltic Sail / Hanse Sail Rostock**





International Congress of Maritime Museums:  
Umbrella of Maritime Museums in the World



Europa Nostra:  
The voice of Cultural Heritage in Europe



Association of Maritime Museums  
in the Mediterranean



Daily management board

General board

Inland  
waterway  
council

Safety- and  
Environment  
council

Cultural  
council

Funding  
council

General Assembly



# Inland Water Council





# Cultural Council

## Barcelona Charter

Guideline for proper

- conservation
- preservation of ships in operation and skills

<http://european-maritime-heritage.org/docs/Barcelona%20Charter.pdf>

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# Funding Council



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# Safety- and Environment Council

What we have achieved:  
National legislation of ships  
through lobbying





A Memorandum of Understanding on the mutual recognition of certificates for the safe operation of traditional ships in European waters and of certificates of competency for crews on traditional ships.

Denmark  
Estonia  
Germany  
Finland  
Lithuania  
The Netherlands  
Norway  
Spain  
Sweden  
United Kingdom







EMH foresees a bright future for European Maritime Heritage with support, collaboration and a progressive policy – keeping ships alive!



A photograph of two traditional sailing ships on a dark blue sea. The ship on the left is white with a large, dark brown sail. The ship on the right is light blue with white sails. In the background, there are rugged, grey mountains under a cloudy sky. A small Norwegian flag is visible on the right ship's mast. A dark blue rectangular box with white text is overlaid at the top of the image.

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<http://european-maritime-heritage.org>

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