

MariEMS News - April 2016

The first partner meeting of the project (MariEMS) which was held on 12th and 13th November 2015 in Kenilworth UK was followed up with a Skype meeting on Wednesday 16th December 2015. The project can be accessed at www.mariems.com.



Figure 1. MariEMS Project - 1st Partner meeting

The next partner meeting is scheduled for 21-22 April 2016 at Southampton Solent University. This project is expected to help reduce energy use on board ships and in port contributing to a significant reduction of marine pollutions and engine emissions. This project proposes the development of an energy management job and training specification, as well as an e-learning delivery system for the new role of the Energy Manager which has been created specifically for the shipping industry. The intention of MariEMS is also to encourage shipping companies to seek ISO 50001 certification.

Partners have now prepared their reports and the first draft of Energy Manager's job specification is being prepared.