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INTERNATIONAL BE SCHOOL CONTEST
BLUE DEAL for Future

BLUE DEAL is a European project in the framework of Interreg MED 2014-2020 Program co-financed by the European Regional Development Fund and the instrument for Pre-Accession Assistance Fund based on the capitalization of Blue Energy (BE).

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BLUE DEAL

“Let’s make a BLUE DEAL”



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WHAT WE DO

BLUE DEAL is a cooperation project involving:



It aims at supporting the inclusion of Blue Energy (BE) in maritime planning and governance and promoting public-private initiatives to implement solutions to harness marine renewable energy in Mediterranean countries.

Project partners work together to overcome current technical and administrative restrictions for Blue Energy deployment, develop participative design practices properly complying with regulatory, environmental and social constraints, rise awareness on real potentialities and opportunities and build capacities.

Led by the University of Siena, this project integrates **13 partners** from **7 Mediterranean countries** representing different actors in the field:



Universities

Department of Physical Earth & Environmental Sciences of the University of Siena and Faculty of Mechanical Engineering & Naval Architecture of the University of Zagreb



Sectoral Agencies

Italian National Agency for New Technologies, Energy & Sustainable Economic Development, Centre for Renewable Energy Sources & Saving of Greece, Cyprus Energy Agency and Malta Marittima Agency



Business Support Organizations

Business Innovation Centre of Valencia



SMEs

Dynamic Vision, INDACO2, Geoimaging Limited and U-SPACE Spain



Interests Groups

Andalusian Cluster of Renewable Energies & Energy Efficiency



National Public Authorities

National Agency of Natural Resources of Albania

WHAT WE WANT TO ACHIEVE

- Performing open innovation actions in target regions to develop cooperation mechanisms between SMEs, Public Authorities (PAs), Knowledge institutions and civil society and promote new initiatives for Blue Energy deployment in the Mediterranean region.
- Mainstreaming BE planning practices to improve instruments of maritime governance and Regional/National energy strategies.
- Establishing a permanent transnational BLUE DEAL Alliance to maximize impacts and define general practices and tools through the production of:
 - a policy-oriented Joint Plan for portability, addressed to decision makers to introduce BE in regional and national strategies
 - a market oriented Transfer Protocol, addressed to SMEs and investors to support business and entrepreneurship