

# Prendre le large...

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## CALL FOR PARTNERS FOR THE 7TH EDITION OF WELCOME ABOARD! MARINE CAREERS DAY TO BE HELD ON SEPTEMBER 29 IN QUÉBEC CITY



Following the event's success in October 2015 in Trois-Rivières, CSMOIM is pleased to announce that Welcome Aboard! will run again this year...for the 5th time in Québec City!

In late May, the invitation was sent to educational institutions in and around Québec City. Registration is currently underway and will run until maximum reception capacity is reached. As of early July, 8 schools (approximately 140 students) have already confirmed their interest in participating.

Obviously numerous partners are involved in making a day-long event like this successful. You are invited partner with us for this key activity, through your company's financial contribution or a participative commitment (tours of your facilities or ships/ interactive activities with young people, etc.) **Partnering with Welcome Aboard! is showing your support for planning the next generation of marine industry workers!**

The entire Sectorial Committee team is already busy coordinating this careers day, which schools look forward to. We're counting on your support to make this 7th edition just as successful as its predecessors!

Below, you will find the [different partnership options available](#) (in French only) depending on your desired visibility and commitment level. If you'd like to be associated with our careers day, please return the duly completed [partnership agreement](#) (in French only) to [jepoulin@csmoim.qc.ca](mailto:jepoulin@csmoim.qc.ca). Don't hesitate to contact us for more information!

## REGULATIONS COLUMN NO. 11

The Committee recently produced its 11th regulations column, which provides an overview of the information Transport Canada transmitted at the Canadian Marine Advisory Council (CMAC) held on April 20, 2016 in Ottawa.

See the column for more information: <http://bit.ly/29oMosE>

## SECTORIAL COMMITTEE TEAM COMPLETES DÉFI ENTREPRISES 2016!

On June 12, a rather cold, rainy Sunday morning, the entire Sectorial Committee team met up at Centre de foires ExpoCité to try to meet the physical challenge we had each set for ourselves!

No sooner said, than done! Claude, Susan, Martine and Josée-Ève all succeeded brilliantly in meeting their challenge, shaving minutes off the goal they had set!

We're very pleased with our participation and intend to do it again!





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## HAPPY 15TH ANNIVERSARY TO THE SECTORIAL COMMITTEE!

This year, the Sectorial Committee celebrates its 15th anniversary! In fact, September 11 is the date the Committee was founded 15 years ago.

Over this decade and a half, the Sectorial Committee has positioned itself as an expert in maritime human resources, maritime careers promotion and supporting employers and workers by implementing projects targeting human resources and skills development.

### Happy 15th anniversary!

### HAPPY SUMMER HOLIDAYS!

The newsletter *Prendre le large* will take a break in August and be back in full force in September.

Note that the Sectorial Committee offices will be open all summer.



## WHAT'S UP THIS SUMMER?

July and August are traditionally “quieter” for the Sectorial Committee for various reasons, including summer holidays (ours and our members’). We organize few or no meetings, events or training sessions. But this doesn’t mean we’re doing nothing. Far from it. Here are the projects underway on which we’ll be working in the coming weeks:

- ▶ Study on land-based marine-sector occupations
- ▶ Submitting projects to the Maritime Strategy’s steering committee for better matching needs for skilled labour and the availability of training
  - Green Marine certification training program
  - Marine health and safety training tools
- ▶ Monitoring development of the DEP in Seamanship
- ▶ Membership renewal campaign
- ▶ Preparing the 7th edition of *Welcome Aboard!* (September 29 in Québec City)
- ▶ Drawing up survey form for marine sector-related training needs
- ▶ Planning a tour of companies in the Charlevoix, Côte-Nord and Saguenay regions (early fall)
- ▶ Developing new training content
  - Introduction to the marine certification system
- ▶ Planning a workshop on marine health and safety in collaboration with Transport Canada (November 2016)
- ▶ Continuing our services like Info-emplois maritimes, Facebook page, providing information to organizations, etc.

Actually, not so quiet after all! However, summer goes so quickly...let’s try to enjoy it as much as possible!

Please don’t hesitate to contact us to discuss our projects... or yours. Summer or not, we’re always happy to hear from you!

## WINNERS OF THE MON FLEUVE ET MOI DRAWING CONTEST

On May 7, the Fondation Monique-Fitz-Back paid tribute to its 50 Mon fleuve et moi drawing contest finalists and winners at the Musée maritime du Québec in L’Islet. A total of 3,533 young people aged 5 to 20, in 65 schools and 10 regions of Québec participated in this 5th edition.

The exhibition murals featuring the drawings by the 10 winners and 40 finalists are displayed for one year, beginning in June, in the following public venues: on the Québec City/Lévis, Sorel-Tracy/Saint-Ignace-de-Loyola and Tadoussac/Baie-Sainte-Catherine ferries (6 in all), the Aquarium du Québec and Promenade Samuel-De Champlain, in Québec City.

Among the prizes awarded to the 10 winning students were brunch cruises with Croisières AML, the book “Le Saint-Laurent” (Bayard) and cash prizes.

### Congratulations to all!



Source : Fondation Monique-Fitz-Back <http://www.fondationmf.ca/nos-actions/outils-pedagogiques-et-concours/mon-fleuve-et-moi/concours/galerie-fleuve-2015-2016/>