



**Erasmus +Program**  
**First Mobility from LIEPAJA MARINE COLLEGE (LATVIA)**  
**To ISEM (Morocco)**

**Casablanca, 13-17March 2023**



As per the cooperation agreement signed on December 6<sup>th</sup> 2021 by the Higher Institute for Maritime Studies (ISEM, Morocco) and Liepaja Marine College (LMC, Latvia) within the framework of the Erasmus+ program, two professors and two administrative staff from LMC carried out an academic exchange visit to ISEM during the period of March 13 to 17, 2023.

The objective of this visit was to exchange academic and scientific experiences in the field of maritime education and training as well as to strengthen partnership between the two institutions. During this visit, LMC professors and staff undertook the following activities:



- LMC delegation attended a welcome reception made on their honour and headed by Mr. Mohamed Briouig, Director of ISEM, during which a presentation was made on ISEM's structure, organisation, facilities and programs of studies;
- Mr. Janis Dzerins, the acting director of LMC and the Erasmus plus institutional coordinator Ms.Jekaterina Zalomova met with ISEM's deputy directors and the Erasmus+ coordinator to exchange experiences and views on managerial issues. ISEM's staff shared the structure, organization, traineeship and life learning opportunities for seafarers at ISEM.
- Mrs. Elina Dimza delivered a course to ISEM students on the subject of "Human factor in ship collisions - Case studies".
- Also, Mr. Nauris Upenieks delivered a course related to "Practical Radar Navigation" and "Celestial spheres, positions of celestial bodies".
- A meeting was held among the two parties to discuss and plan prospective students exchange and further cooperation projects.
- A closing reception was held during which the Director of ISEM distributed certificates of participation and souvenir gifts to the members of the delegation.















