



University of Rijeka, Faculty of Maritime studies

PROJECT ACRONYM AND TITLE: METROV – ROV education and training for seafarers

FUNDING PROGRAMME: IAMU

PERSON RESPONSIBLE: Antonio Blažina, mag.ing.

FINANCIAL DATA

Project total cost	Overall funding assigned to PFRI
US\$ 19 908,00	US\$ 19 908,00

SUMMARY

Given the accelerated development of technology, the needs in the maritime industry and the affordability of equipment, there is a need for adequate new skills for a certain number of seafarers who will be responsible for ROV operations, in particular for the underwater ship inspection. Based on this, the main objective of the project is to develop a training programme, i.e., lectures and practical exercises that meet the needs of the industry, in which participants will learn the basics, acquire the necessary skills to control the ROV for underwater ship inspections and obtain proficiency of underwater inspection and reporting.

The proposed course followed by appropriate practice will help raise the “educational bar” and take a small step towards improving maritime safety, security and environmental protection on a global scale. In addition, participants will gain versatile skills that are transferable to other professions and better equip them for future changes and challenges in the industry. As a result, careers in the maritime field will become more attractive to younger generations.

Start date	End date
01/05/2024	31/05/2025

PARTNERSHIP: -

WEBSITE: -

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

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