

## Maritime transport and ports: new technologies and skills for the maritime professions

- **A shift from shipping to multimodal transport** => support to full transport chain (logistics) to improve door to door delivery efficiency (use of Motorways Of the Sea)
- Support to **adapt jobs and skills** for Blue economy (historical and new activities)
  - Environment, sustainability, e-technologies, management
  - A full axis of cooperation
- **Ports' adaptation with green and blue technologies** on all the chain (logistics, supply, ...) based on innovation, training and multimodal
- **Mediterranean port cooperation/association** first topics : education, formation and low carbon logistics solutions
- A real request to **monitor early detection of changes in market trends and e-technologies** for adaptation of training and education and to anticipate end users demands => a component of a WESTMED observatory?
- **Cooperation in training and education for skilled jobs** all around the Western Mediterranean sea taking in account workers mobility and end users' needs
- Strategic opportunity/project :
  - **GNL use for a green maritime transport** : WESTMED, a complete ecosystem with production availability, existing rules, adapted solutions for delivery and customers
  - Support to development of **network of Motorways Of the Sea with integrated maritime surveillance**



Towards an initiative for the  
sustainable development  
of the blue economy in the  
western Mediterranean