

Smart Specialisation (S3)

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Smart Specialisation (S3): key updates

- **New S3 platform** set up by DG MARE and REGIO on sustainable blue economy is **now fully operational**. It provides targeted support to blue economy stakeholders to create innovative interregional partnerships.
- September info session: for our stakeholders and presented the S3 Community of Practice, services offered and the Call for expression of interest to create new S3 partnerships in our sector.
- The *Call* is now closed. We are looking forward to seeing regions on the lead of potential partnerships on fisheries, aquaculture, blue biotechnologies, marine renewable energies, costal maritime tourism.
- **S3 Forum 28 November, Barcelona**: offering stakeholders discussions on S3 policy and implementation, fostering the exchange of information and best practices.
- DG MARE keeps circulating all information



Thank you



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