## INNOVATION FORUM 25 October 2024 - IMO HQ hybrid event (live in person & online)

### **Introducing the Institute of Marine Engineering, Science & Technology (IMarEST)**

Founded 1889: Registered charity, learned society and international professional body for marine professionals

12,000+ Members: Marine engineers, scientists and technologists in one international multi-disciplinary community

• Facilitates exchange of ideas

120+ countries: Upholds the safety, standards, and knowledge of marine professionals worldwide while promoting the safe and sustainable development of the marine environment, industry, and professions

#### Active involvement: Key voice

representing marine professionals to regulatory bodies

- Consultative status with IMO
- Active contributor to environmental and safety topics including IMO's GHG reduction targets

Decarbonisation is #1 challenge for the maritime sector as identified by our members

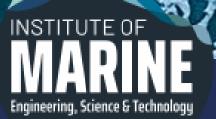
We strive to support a safe and just transition for seafarers

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# **OUR VISION**

The IMarEST is the trusted voice across the marine sector and is the global community for all marine professionals distinguished as leaders in shaping a sustainable world.





#### Multiple special interest groups

#### New career pathways for range of marine professionals

- L&D materials
- Mentoring •

#### **Sea Your Future initiative**

- Introducing people to the sector
- Ongoing support to young professionals •

#### Investment into the seafarer community

- Introduced lower fees •
- Seafarer mental health & • wellbeing





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