

NEWSLETTER

Forword

Dear members and associated members of EDINNA,

The new year is already a few weeks old and hopefully everyone has had a good X-mass leave. A new year, with new opportunities. And as in previous years the EDINNA board members try to represent the education and training institutes in all related meetings all over Europe and beyond to the best of their ability.

Let's hope 2020 is a successful and productive year for all our members and that we again can count on a fruitful cooperation between members and associated members on the topic of IWT training and education.

In May we have our next annual General Assembly, which this year will be held in Varna, Bulgaria. In this Newsletter you will find an update on this event.

On behalf of the EDINNA board I wish you all the best for 2020 and hopefully we will meet each other at the General Assembly in Varna.

Arjen Mintjes, chairman EDINNA board



General Assembly

As you all know the next annual General Assembly of EDINNA will be held in Varna, Bulgaria from 11 – 13 May 2020. We are very happy that the **Nikola Vaptsarov Naval Academy (NVNA)** will host the event and that the General Assembly can be held at the Academy.

Mr. B. Belev PhD, Scientific Secretary of the Faculty of Navigation at the Nikola Vaptsarov Naval Academy and his team are so kind to lend their cooperation; their help is highly appreciated.

Invitation

And we are very pleased that we can now officially invite you to the General Assembly. If you want to attend the Assembly, you can fill out the registration form, which you can find here:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdykjiOdzhqdTF5t92HuDLU-jV2kk1H_9MKnWvCH2tCN-ajA/viewform?usp=sf_link

Please fill out the registration form as soon as possible. The closing date for registration is the 1st of April. Like last year, the fee per participant is a € 100,-. Payment can be made when registering on the first day.

The program for the General Assembly is under construction as we speak and will follow as soon as possible. We will keep you posted!

Hotel

You have to book your accommodation yourself, but we can of course make some recommendations. Mrs. S. Stefanova and Mrs. Z. Vasilevawere of the NVNA were so kind to make some inquiries and came up with the following option:

Hotel Chernomore (Black Sea)



And they were able to arrange special rates for us:

Double room Classic - 41 EUR (single use); 51 EUR (double use)

Double room Deluxe - 62 EUR (single use); 72 EUR (double use)

*the prices include breakfast

The hotel is situated in the city centre, on 20-minutes walking distance from the venue (Nikola Vaptsarov Naval Academy), where the General Assembly will be held. More information about the hotel is available on <https://www.chernomorebg.com/>

We can book the rooms until 1st April under the negotiated conditions. After that the reservations can be made upon availability and under regular conditions. If you want to make your reservation, please contact Mrs. Jeannette Tigchelaar for a registration form of this hotel:

j.tigchelaar@maritiemeacademieharlingen.nl

You are of course free to find accommodation yourself. Please check out the Tourist Information Office in Varna. They will be able to assist you finding some other options:

www.visit.varna.bg

A quick look at this website is worth your while in any case; you can read some more interesting information about the history of this beautiful city!

If you might have any questions regarding this newsletter, please don't hesitate to contact us!

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