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Dear Friends

Future Maritime Leaders Essay Competition

Please see attached details of the Global Maritime Forum's 2050 Future Maritime Leaders Essay Competition.

This year's topic is asking potential leaders of the future what the maritime industry should look like in 2050 and how this can be achieved through concrete actions, addressing the structural challenges and societal demands. The winners of the competition will win an invitation to the Global Maritime Forum's Annual Summit 2021 this October in London and will receive full sponsoring for the duration of the event.

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Criteria for participation

- Essay submissions should not comprise more than 1000 words;
- The competition is open to students and young professionals aged 18-30;
- Participants in the competition should also attach their CV when submitting their essay; and
- We can only accept documents written in English and saved in PDF format.

The deadline for submissions is 31 May 2021, 23:59 CEST. The competition winners will be contacted at the beginning of July.

Further details are available at: https://www.globalmaritimeforum.org/future-maritime-leaders-2021

In solidarity

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Annex 1: Future maritime leaders challenged to share their ambitious 2050 vision