



COAST GUARD CAPACITY BUILDING AND TRAINING EXCHANGE PROGRAMME 2024.—CROATIA

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Ministry of agriculture,
forestry and fisheries



Directorate of fisheries



Fisheries
inspection
sector

- 28 fisheries inspectors
- 8 vessels
- Head office in Zagreb
- Offices in 11 other cities



CROATIA AS EXCHANGE HOST

COAST GUARD FUNCTION- FISHERIES
CONTROL AND INSPECTION

TYPE OF EXCHANGE - WORK SHADOWING ,
FULLY PRACTICAL

NUMBER OF EXCHANGES OFFERED- 2

NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS- 2

1. Exchange **2024/HR/1.1** in **Šibenik** –1 exchange participant

3 days- June 2024

2. Exchange **2024/HR/1.2** in **Pula** - 1 exchange participant

3 days - October 2024.

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TWO
EXCHANGES
OFFERED IN
FIRST PERIOD

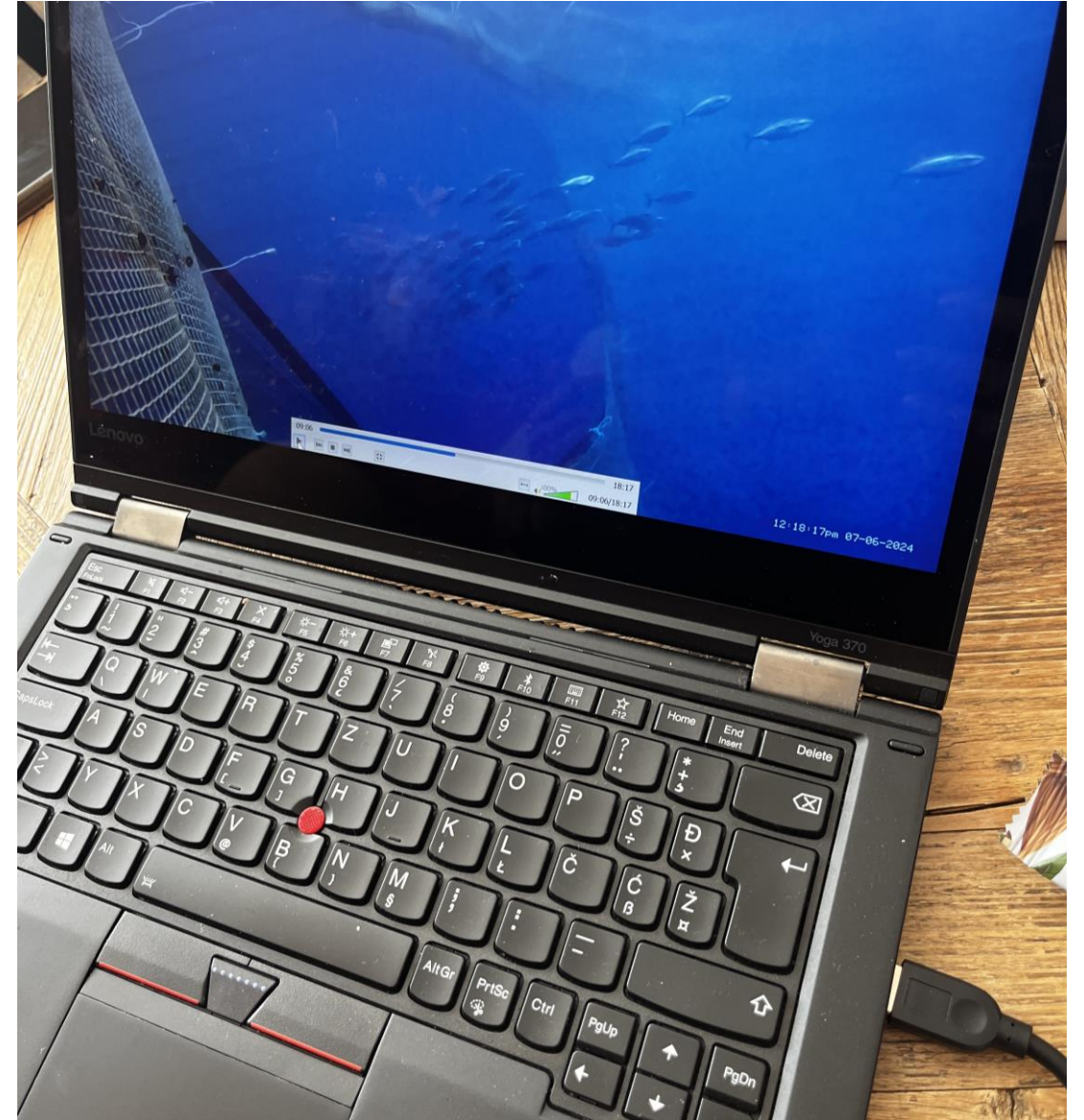


EXCHANGE 2024/HR/1.1

- PLACE: AMADRIA PARK IN ŠIBENIK
- TIME: 11.-13. JUNE 2024.
- Participating in fisheries inspection activities during the Purse seiners BFT fishing season catching for the farming purposes
- Participant from Croatian Ministry of finance, Customs Administration







EXCHANGE 2024/HR/1.2

- PLACE: PULA, CROATIA
- TIME: 8.–10.10.2024.
- Participating in inspection at sea during the JDP specific campaign MSC5 covering fleet segments catching small pelagic and demersal species.
- Participant from Finland, West Finland Coast Guard district, Finnish Border Guard









CROATIAN INSPECTOR VISITING EXCHANGE 2024/FR/2 IN ETEL, FRANCE

- Participant: Iva Jugović, senior fisheries inspector in Zadar
- Time of exchange: June 2024 (2 days)
- Title of exchange: „Implementing control plan at sea: the French integrated approach”
- Number of participants: 3 (Croatia, Italy, Finland)



BENEFITS FROM THE EXCHANGE

- Meeting new approaches to electronic tools in fisheries inspection
- Different administration structure (work teams)
- Meeting new colleagues and expanding the network of business contacts
- Sightseeing, visiting new country



CROATIAN INSPECTOR VISITING EXCHANGE 2024/FI/3 IN FINLAND

- Participant: Ivan Zapalac, senior fisheries inspector in Pula
- Time of exchange: June 2024 (4 days)
- Title of exchange: „Work shadowing”
- Cities: Turku and Helsinki
- Number of participants: 4 (Croatia, Spain and Latvia- 2 participants)

BENEFITS FROM THE EXCHANGE

- Introducing the Finnish Coast Guard training base (training simulators)
- Learning about West Finland Coast Guard District (Border Guard) competences, tasks, vessels
- Visiting base of the air patrol squadron
- New contacts
- Visiting Finland for the first time



Border Guard vessels



OFFSHORE PATROL VESSEL
TURSAS-CLASS (2)



PATROL BOAT (26)



SPEED BOAT (24)



HOVERCRAFT (5)



AIRBOAT ARCTIC ANT (7)



OFFSHORE PATROL VESSEL TURVA
WITH CAPABILITY FOR OIL SPILL
RESPONSE



COAST GUARD BOAT
(15)





TO CONCLUDE:

- Exchange programme is opportunity for exchange of experiences, learning and traveling
- Participating exchange is useful and educative even if it is the area of different coast guard function
- Planning to continue with the exchange programme as host and motivate new participants to apply
- Participants of the first period CTBExPr would love to participate again