News has been received of this event organised by the College of Maritime Transport & Technology (CMTT) to be held at the Arab Academy for Science, Technology & Maritime Transport, Abu Qir, Alexandria, Egypt.

According to Dr Mohamed Saleh Dawood, Dean of the College for two days this event will include both academic and industry discussions. The main purpose of this international conference is to increase the research collaboration both at a national and an international level by exchanging information about research activities and progress conducted by participants from various institutions, in Egypt and abroad.

IMTTC 2015 aims to bring together researchers and practitioners working in the maritime industry and academia to provide them with a platform to report on the latest developments, achievements, deployments, technology trends and research findings as well as initiatives related to maritime transport and technology.

Conference topics will be as follows:
Developing the Suez Canal and the National Maritime Industry
Maritime Industry and Blue Growth
Human Element
Maritime Education and Training
Maritime Technology
Maritime Safety and the Environment

All presentations and printed materials will be in English.

Submission of electronic papers is available by way of the Conference web page at: http://imttc.aast.edu to the following timetable:
30 September  Abstract submission deadline
15 October  First draft paper submission
30 October  Final paper acceptance notification
5 November  Author registration deadline
The best Conference papers will be recognised for publication in the *International Journal for Maritime Transport*  ISSN:2090-2298

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Finally, there are opportunities for strategic partners and sponsors of parts of the event.