



Notice of Meeting

## 7th IMEHA International Congress of Maritime History

“Old Worlds, New Worlds?  
Emerging themes in maritime history.”

27 June to 1 July 2016

Murdoch University, Perth, Western Australia



The Organising Committee for the 7th IMEHA International Congress of Maritime History (ICMH7) invite proposals for panels and papers to be presented at its 2016 Congress. The Congress will be hosted by Murdoch University, the Western Australian Maritime Museum, the Australian Association for Maritime History and the International Commission for Maritime History and held at Murdoch University, Perth Australia.

The theme for the conference is “*Old Worlds, New Worlds? Emerging themes in maritime history*”. ICMH7 has adopted a broad concept of maritime history, considering all interdisciplinary fields, covering all historical periods and various aspects of humankind’s relationship with the sea from ancient times to the present.

Australia is an island nation. According to Frank Broeze, “Australian history and Australian society have been shaped by the dynamic interaction of land, cities and the sea.” So Perth, located on the edge of the Indian Ocean, is a superb location for a conference on maritime history.

Papers will be welcome on a wide range of research areas reflecting people and their activities and interest in, on, around and under the waters of the world.

## Proposal details

### Deadline is 31 October 2015

Participants are invited to submit a short proposal in English (maximum 350 words) indicating the scope of their intended panel or paper, together with a short biographical note.

Please email your abstract to [ICMH7@murdoch.edu.au](mailto:ICMH7@murdoch.edu.au)

For further details see [www.icmh7.com.au](http://www.icmh7.com.au)

Papers from the Congress will be considered for publication by the International Maritime Economic History Association in the *International Journal of Maritime History* or in the accompanying series *Research in Maritime History*.

