

## THE CENTRAL DREDGING ASSOCIATION (CEDA)

is an independent, international, professional society for all those involved in activities related to dredging, maritime construction and dredged material management and who live or work in Europe, Africa or the Middle-East. CEDA encompasses a wide range of disciplines and activities and does not represent the interests of any particular industry sector.

### MEMBERSHIP

There are two categories of membership: individual and corporate. Individual membership is open to professionals from any sector or discipline related to dredging. Corporate membership is open to organisations, companies, institutions, and partnerships.

Members come from many fields and include:

- Designers, builders and suppliers of dredging vessels and ancillary equipment
- Dredging and marine contractors
- Port, maritime and navigational authorities
- Government agencies
- Consultants
- Research and educational institutes
- Services such as media, insurers, law firms, financial agencies, towage companies
- Professional and branch associations, technical societies and environmental NGOs.

## We promote dredging as a tool for sustainable development



We make your life easier by working with and advising such regulatory organizations as the London Convention and Protocol, the OSPAR Commission and relevant European Commission expert groups on how to make environmental legislation workable



## Understanding dredging and reclamation

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why we are important to you



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Member of the World Organisation  
of Dredging Associations, WODA

## We provide you with up-to-date information, knowledge about dredging, reclamation projects & techniques



Our congresses, conferences and lectures are vital channels for the exchange of information and experience

Researchers and practitioners worldwide rely on our publications, conference proceedings with leading-edge, peer-reviewed papers, guides, books and *Advancement Notes* briefing sheets

Our educational activities ensure the growth of dredging knowledge and understanding among professionals, decision makers and the general public

## We offer you a professional marketplace



Our conferences, exhibitions, national section meetings, site visits and social events all provide opportunities to network with leaders and innovators in your field and to develop professional and personal relationships

Our official magazine *Dredging and Port Construction* brings you monthly updates on industry news

## NATIONAL AND REGIONAL SECTIONS

In areas where the number of members makes this feasible, National or Regional Sections of CEDA have been established. All members who reside or work in the geographical area of a particular section are automatically members of that section. CEDA currently has four National/Regional sections: the African, the Belgian, the British and the Dutch Section.

## UNDER THE UMBRELLA OF WODA, THE WORLD ORGANISATION OF DREDGING ASSOCIATIONS, CEDA

has two autonomous sister associations which share the aims of CEDA:

**WEDA** – the Western Dredging Association – serving the Americas and

**EADA** – the Eastern Dredging Association – serving the Asian and Pacific region.

