

Human Dimension Steering Group (HUDISG)

# WGMP CZM

## Working Group Marine Planning and Coastal Zone Management



### RESEARCH FOCUS

- Incorporating marine conservation and restoration needs into MSP
- Supporting the development of climate-smart MSP
- Identifying spatial planning requirements for large scale scenarios of offshore wind and hydrogen
- Addressing education and training needs in MSP/CZM
- Improving understanding of how social considerations are addressed in MSP
- Following developments and trends in MSP/CZM

### OUR OBJECTIVE

Increasing intensity and establishment of new sea uses in coastal and marine waters result in conflicts and cumulative impacts. New planning tools and integrated approaches to planning and management are being developed. Spatial planning (MSP) is evolving as one of the major tools for integration of different demands for marine space and resources.

### OUR EXPERTISE

- Quality assurance of coastal and marine planning processes and related advice.
- Knowledge gaps and method development in coastal- and MSP and related risk analysis.
- Use of various types of data (qualitative, quantitative, spatial) in coastal and MSP.
- Social, economic, and ecological aspects of ecosystem-based MSP.

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