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INALOG and the Council of Technical-Professional Education of *Universidad del Trabajo del Uruguay* (CETP-UTU) signed a cooperation agreement in the areas of information, training, research and innovation, in order to promote projects to help improve the efficiency on logistics in Uruguay, as well as environmental issues, management and regulation. For more information on this agreement, please click [here](#).



Save the date! WEDA announced the dates for its XXI World Dredging Congress (WODCONS). The event will be held on June 13-17, 2016, in Miami, Florida. WODCONS is the only congress worldwide dedicated exclusively to dredging and maritime construction. It is also the event that brings together representatives from the industry, academia, government and researchers. For

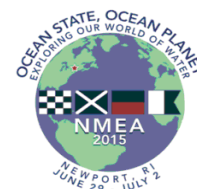
World Ocean Council

The World Ocean Council (WOC) will hold the Sustainable Ocean Summit (SOS), which is entitled "Sustainable Development and Growth of the Blue Economy in the next 50 years." SOS 2015 will take place in Singapore on November 9-11, 2015, at the Hotel Marina Mandarin. The summit will allow the global business community to promote oceans and advance their leadership and collaboration on issues of corporate social responsibility. Click here to [sign up](#).

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From June 29 to July 2, NAMEPA will hold the National Conference of NMEA 2015 in the historic downtown Newport, Rhode Island. Educators from around the world will gather to disseminate issues related to the marine world, both freshwater and saltwater. The event will take place at the Newport Marriott Hotel. The program will include plenary sessions and field visits. For more information, click [here](#).



The American Association of Port Authorities (AAPA) and the Inter-American Committee on Ports of the Organization of American States (S/CIP) reactivated an existing memorandum of understanding to address issues of common interest among its members such as: exchange of technology, promotion of projects and activities with governments and the private sector, and capacity building at the highest level in conferences, seminars, workshops and courses.

In terms of training, the S/CIP will **provide three scholarships to Port Authorities Officials from the CIP which are also members of AAPA** for the prestigious AAPA Professional Port Manager (PPM). This year, the National Port Authority of Uruguay, the Panama Maritime Authority and Puerto Madryn in Argentina received support for their participation in the program.

For more information on the benefits of this memorandum of understanding and many more, please contact the Inter-American Committee on Ports (CIP) at: cip@oas.org

Interested in becoming an Associate Member of the CIP? Click [here](#) for further information on the benefits of joining, opportunities for collaboration and the formal application procedures or contact the **CIP Secretariat!**



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