

Open Invitation to WONDERMAR II Public Workshop No. 1
Current state and future of IT support for maritime industries
Gdansk, Poland
Friday March 1st, 2002

Dear Colleagues and Partners,

Bremen, January 2002

In the name of the **WONDERMAR II** consortium, CTO and BALance have the pleasure to invite you to the 1st **WONDERMAR II** Public Workshop. It will take place in the **Central Maritime Museum of Gdansk, Poland, on 1^{tot} March 2002.** The primary target group are technical innovation managers from the maritime industry. You should be interested either in the take-up of information about technology-based engineering and business solutions or in future European research activities. Participation is free of charge.

WONDERMAR II is an open user group in the maritime sector co-ordinating the activities of European projects with a main focus on reviewing the state of the art and identifying new developments in IT support for the maritime industry.

The 1st **WONDERMAR II** Workshop will present and discuss recent reviews of information society technology as supplied and available the maritime industry. The presentations will outline importance and expected benefits of IT support in the different process chains. Furthermore, an overview about latest developments in the European research framework programme with high relevance for the maritime industry will be given.



Attached you will find a tentative workshop programme and a registration form. Please complete the registration form and return it before February 15th, or use the registration form on the **WONDERMAR II** internet home page (http://www.wondermar.net).

Looking forward to seeing you in Gdansk Kind regards BALance Technology Consulting

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Zbigniew Karpinski, Workshop Host

