

**Seychelles  
Blue Economy  
Strategy  
2015**



# Our seas...



**Feeds us**

**Transports us Mesmerizes us**

# Fisheries industry is Seychelles' largest source of exports earnings



Courses at Maritime Training Academy for seafarers

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## US boosts Seychelles piracy fight



A Spanish fishing boat was attacked off the Seychelles this month

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# Seychelles is walking the talk



The 'Unlock the Sea' programme launched by Le Meridien Fisherman's Cove hotel. (Marine Conservation Society Seychelles) Photo License: CC-BY

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# What can threaten our blue economy?

## Drugs, piracy, illegal fishing focus of US-led multinational marine exercise in Seychelles

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23 June 2009 | President Michel welcomes Captain Francis Roucou -Explorer former hostages return from Somalia



23 June 2009 | President with Explorer former hostages after return from Somalia



23 June 2009 | The crew of the boat Explorer former hostages of pirates return from Somalia



23 June 2009 | The joy of family reunion Explorer former hostages return from Somalia

# What concrete policy measures have been introduced?



# The four strategic priority areas

- (i) Creating sustainable wealth**
- (ii) Sharing prosperity**
- (iii) Securing healthy and productive oceans**
- (iv) Strengthening the enabling environment**



Connie Anthony was promoted Lieutenant in March and she is the only female officer on board Seychelles Coast Guards vessel PS Etoile. (Louis Toussaint)

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(Seychelles News Agency) - Seychelles has joined an internationally recognised association for women in the maritime sector, WOMESA, after the launching of the local affiliate group.

WOMESA-Seychelles will operate under the aegis of the Women in the Maritime Sector in East and Southern Africa (WOMESA).

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# The Seychelles industrial tuna fishery



Best performing and long-standing employees at Indian Ocean Tuna Ltd (2017)



Food catering business on the Fishing port





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Where does your plastic go?



Seychelles joins international campaign "TAKE 3 FOR THE SEA"

An underwater photograph of a vibrant coral reef. The scene is filled with various types of coral, including large, rounded brain corals and smaller, branching species. Numerous small, dark-colored fish are swimming around the reef, and a few larger fish are visible in the background. The water is clear and blue, with sunlight filtering through from the surface. The overall atmosphere is bright and healthy.

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