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INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR

**WHAT FUTURE FOR EUROPEAN LOCAL PORTS? SMART WATER CITIES, ECO-SUSTAINABILITY OF LOCAL PORTS AND RENOVATION OF URBAN WATERFRONTS: THE ROLE OF TERRITORIAL COOPERATION AND THE EXPERIENCE OF THE SUPORTS PROJECT**

Teatro Centrale Carlsberg  
Via Celsa, 6  
Rome, Italy



*The seminar is organized by Cittalia, the Research Foundation of the National Association of Italian Municipalities (ANCI), in the framework of the Open Days 2012 local events and it represents the main dissemination event in Italy of the European project "SuPorts – Sustainable Management for European Local Ports" (<http://www.seinemaritime.net/suports/>) co-funded by the Interreg IVC Programme. The event aims to provide European cities, port authorities, experts and interested citizens with an opportunity to discuss the theme of innovation and eco-sustainability of local ports starting from the experiences/practices developed and exchanged during recent EU territorial cooperation/interregional projects, such as "SuPorts".*

*In particular, the seminar aims at stimulating an open debate in the perspective of developing or strengthening a strategic urban vision connected with the environmental enhancement of cities characterized by the presence of local ports and changing coastlines. The theme of sustainable management of European local ports will be discussed on the foreground of the European regulatory framework and the discussion*

*will range from the impact of the territorial (interregional) cooperation on the sustainability of port cities to the national and European policies and frameworks. The event is aimed at elected local politicians, officers and practitioners from local authorities, port authorities, experts, universities and the scientific community, and project partners from across Europe.*

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