

Major Maritime Museums in Europe

BELGIUM

Nationaal Scheepvaartmuseum

Steenplein 1
2000 Antwerp
Belgium

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✉ scheepmus@stad.antwerpen.be

- Lloyd's Register collection from 1764 to present (incomplete).
- Maritime history of Belgium, especially focusing on naval and merchant shipping and trade.

CROATIA

Maritime Museum

St. John Fortress
20000 Dubrovnik
Republic of Croatia

☎ (+385-20) 32 39 04

DENMARK

Ørlogsmuseet

(Royal Danish Naval Museum)

Overgaden Oven Vandet 58
DK-1415 København K
Denmark

☎ 45 33 11 60 37

✉ thm@thm.dk

- The Royal Danish Naval collection of ship models, engines and tools.
- History of the Royal Danish Navy.

FRANCE

Musée national de la Marine

Palais de Chaillot
17, place du Trocadéro
75116 Paris
France

☎ 33 1 53 06 69 53

🌐 [Website](#)

Musée Portuaire Dunkerque

9 quai de la Citadelle
59140 Dunkirk
France

☎ 33 328 63 33 39

🌐 [Website](#)

GERMANY

Altonaer Museum in Hamburg

Norddeutsche Landesmuseum
Museumstraße 23
22765 Hamburg-Altona
Germany

☎ 040 428 135 0

- Lloyd's Register collection 1764 to 1973 (incomplete)
- Registre Veritas - various years from 1877 to 1908.
- History of Northern Germany shipping, shipbuilding and fisheries.

HONG KONG

Hong Kong Maritime Museum

G/F Murray House
Stanley Plaza
Stanley
Hong Kong

🌐 [Website](#)

ITALY

Associazione Italiana

Di Documentazione
Marittima e Navale
Via San Vittore
21-20123 Milan
Italy

- Many items from the old AustroHungarian Navy.
- The *Ebe*, an old training ship of the Italian Navy is on display.
- Section on naval artillery
- Photo collection and library containing some Lloyd's Register Books.

Museo Archeologico Regionale

Eoliano "Luigi Bernabò Brea"
Via del Castello, 2
Lipari 98055 (ME)
Italy

- Artefacts from the seabed surrounding the Aeolian Islands dating from the Bronze Age.

Museo della Marineria

Via Leonardo da Vinci, 2
47042 Cesenatico
Forli
Italy

- Traditional boats of the Adriatic Sea.

Museo Storico Navale Venezia

(Naval History Museum)
Castello
2148-30122 Venice
Italy

☎ 041.2441.399

- Scale models of ships built in the Venetian shipyard
- A fifteenth-century *cortela*, part of a Venetian galley.

MONACO

Musée Naval

Terrasses du Fontvieille
MC-98000 Monte Carlo
Monaco

☎ 377 92 05 2848

🌐 [Website](#)

- More than 250 ship models and nautical instruments.
- Collection includes several antique boats from the private collection of H.S.H. Prince Rainier III of Monaco

NETHERLANDS

Maritime Museum Rotterdam

Library
PO Box 988
NL-3000 AZ Rotterdam
Netherlands

- Holds *Lloyd's Register of Ships, List of Shipowners, Maritime Guide and Register of Offshore Units*.

Nationaal Sleepvaart Museum Maassluis

Hoogstraat 1-3
Maassluis
Nederland
3142 EA

🌐 [Website](#)

✉ info@nationaalsleepvaartmuseum.nl

NORWAY

Norsk Sjøfartsmuseum

Bygdøyneveien 37
N - 0286 Oslo
Norway

☎ 47 24 22 41 50

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- Lloyd's Register collection 1764 to present (incomplete)
- The museum focuses on maritime history, ethnology, art and underwater archaeology.

POLAND

Centralne Muzeum Morskie

ul. Olowianka 9-13
80-751 Gdansk
Poland

☎ 48 (0) 58 320 33 58

🌐 [Website](#)

Slaskie Archiwum Morskie

(Silesian Maritime Archive)
ul. Gierlotki 28
40-688 Katowice
Poland

☎ 48 (0) 58 320 33 58

🌐 [Website](#)

- *Lloyd's Register of Ships* 1946 to present (incomplete)

SPAIN

Museu de la Pesca

Moll Pesquer, s/n
17230 Palamós
Spain

☎ 34 97 260 12 44

🌐 [Website](#)

- Fishing and maritime heritage.

Museo de Curiosidades Marinas

Alexandre de Cabanyes, 2
Villanueva y Geltru 08800
Barcelona, Spain

☎ 34 93 815 42 63

- Collection of the *Lloyd's Register of Ships*

Ria de Bilbao Maritime Museum

Muelle Ramón de la Sota, 1
48011 Bilbao
Spain

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SWEDEN

Marinmuseum

Stumholmen
SE-371 32 Karlskrona
Sweden

☎ 46 (0) 455 539 00

- Lloyd's Register collection 1889-1941 and 1946-1987.
- Developments in the Swedish Navy, warship design and shipbuilding.
- Naval Welfare Gallery charts the development of weaponry and naval gunnery.



- Full-scale realistic reconstruction of the gun deck of the eighteenth-century *Dristigheten*.

Sjöhistoriska Museet (National Maritime Museum)

Djurgårdsbrunnsvägen 24
Box 27131
S-102 52 Stockholm
Sweden

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