

## Introduction of The Nippon Foundation

IHO-Nippon Foundation Alumni Encounter - 2016

#### Who We Are?



- An independent, non-profit, grant-making organization founded in 1962
- Carry out philanthropic activities using revenue from the motorboat racing
- Finance and Organization
  - Annual income: JPY 34 billion (USD 320 million)
  - Main income: 2.7% of boat race sales (municipality-operated gambling)





#### What We Do?



#### Our Mission: "Social innovation"







Capacity Building for Sustainable Oceans

Elimination of Leprosy

Disaster relief

Other Focal Areas (selected)

-Social welfare, Education, etc.

## Ocean and Maritime Fields (in Japan)





Cultivating marine pioneers of the future



Promoting public awareness of the ocean

# International Symposium on Capacity Building for Sustainable Oceans





July 19-20 2016

- The first international meeting focusing around real examples of building capacity in the ocean fields. Attendance over the 2 days reached 500 people.
- Over 40 practitioners from 30 countries came together for a multi-faceted discussion.

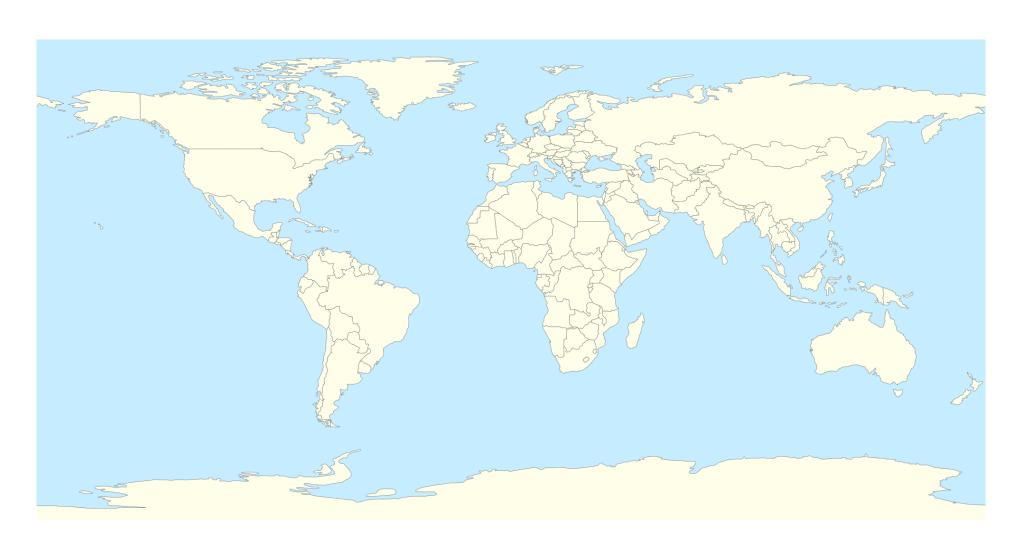




#### Ocean and Maritime Fields (international)



To pass sustainable oceans on to the next generation...















# 10 Institutions











# 133 countries 1173 people Number of NF Fellows 11~ 5~10 $2 \sim 4$ As of October, 2015