



Regional Stakeholder Group Meeting

Partner/Region:	Date:	Round:	Participants:	Main outputs:
Zeeland	18 July 2019	2 nd Stakeholder Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Stefanie Huibregtse / Stichting Zeeuwse Visserstruien 2) Anja Geldof / Stichting Zeeuwse Visserstruien 3) Jack Doom / Municipality Middelburg 4) Tiny Maenhout / External Advisor 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Anja, Jeanet and Stefanie were also present on the Kickoff meeting in Middelburg (November 2018). Through a presentation they were informed about the background, policies, strategic context, aims, objectives and challenges of the CHERISH project. - The purpose of the meeting was to explore ways to connect cultural fishery heritage with education and to find new business opportunities. How do we keep the Zeeland traditions alive? - Use of fishing heritage as a source of inspiration



				<p>for the youth</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - They want to integrate the Cultural Heritage in the educational programs in Zeeland. - <u>Problems they encounter:</u> The Zeeland feeling and fishery traditions threatens to be lost because the youth is not involved. The identity, origin and distinctiveness character of the fishery heritage disappears. There are no educational programs to spread the skills, knowledge and heritage. <p><u>Challenges to face ?</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Transfer of old skills to the youth - Develop interesting educational programs - To what extend do you package old skills in a new jacket to make it interesting for young people. - How do you establish a relationship with economic potentials? How do you make a business out of it?
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				<p>techniek, handvaardigheid en textiel)</p> <p>3) 2-track policy: Develop educational materials and develop a learning- by -doing concept</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>What do they need?</u> - More organizational and financial support. - Within the future OP-Zuid Programma more priority for the core values of Zeeland and the integration of cultural heritage in future education programs. - <u>Additional benefits of the educational program</u> Extra advantages of becoming acquainted with Zeeland cultural (fishery) heritage . There are Several advantages to getting students Acquainted with the cultural heritage of Zeeland <p>1) Handicraft techniques continue to exist by transferring them to young people. 2) The older generation has a good day care and can transfer their specific knowledge to a new generation. 3) The Zeeland fishery heritage connects young and old.</p>
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