**2023 IAMU Student Forum: Call for Participants**

**London, IMO Headquarters, July 11 – 13 2023**

**Summary:**

The International Association of Maritime Universities (IAMU) Student Forum is a special student only event organized by IAMU and the International Maritime Organization (IMO) intended for students from IAMU member universities to participate in specially selected maritime themed workshops and present on their group findings over the course of the event. Kobe University will send one student to the workshop in London.

\*\*THIS IS A DIFFERENT EVENT FROM THE 2023 IAMU CONFERENCE IN FINLAND IN OCTOBER 2023\*\*

The workshop's main theme is "MARPOL at 50 – Our commitment goes on", the theme of World Maritime Day 2023.

**Venue:**   IMO Headquarters

4, Albert Embankment, London SE1 7SR, United Kingdom

**Information:**

Students who want to apply should fill out the form below to IAMU Section Chief Associate Professor Rooks ( [rooks@maritime.kobe-u.ac.jp](mailto:rooks@maritime.kobe-u.ac.jp) ) **by Friday, March 10th at 12:00.** Students who pass the initial application selection will be invited for an interview in mid March, and notified of the final selection shortly afterwards. This event is targeted for undergraduate students. Undergraduate students who will be in 3rd or 4th grade (after April) are eligible to apply. Travel and participation costs to the event will be paid for by IAMU.

**Application:**

Student Name: Student Number:

Supervising Teacher: Nationality (for visa purposes):

TOEIC score (or other English test): GPA:

Study abroad, international experience:

**Short essay [250-500 words in ENGLISH]:** *(explain why you want to participate in this forum, why you would be a good choice as a participant, any international experience you have, and any other “appeal points”)*