

## Who can participate?

**Any NATO S&T stakeholder** may submit a project proposal, serve as a Project Lead, or be a Participating Stakeholder.

Stakeholders in NATO S&T cover a broad spectrum, comprising **national representatives, subject matter experts, and NATO staff** who can organize their activities through NATO committees, commands, programmes, or agencies.

*“Pour ce qui est de l’avenir, il ne s’agit pas de le prévoir, mais de le rendre possible.”*

*“As for the future, your task is not to foresee it, but to enable it.”*

- Antoine de Saint Exupéry

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## Maritime Security

### A Strategic S&T Initiative



## From Basic Science to Operational Capability

Do you have an idea for an emerging or ongoing project that would dramatically improve maritime security for the alliance if it had increased exposure and a broader skill set?

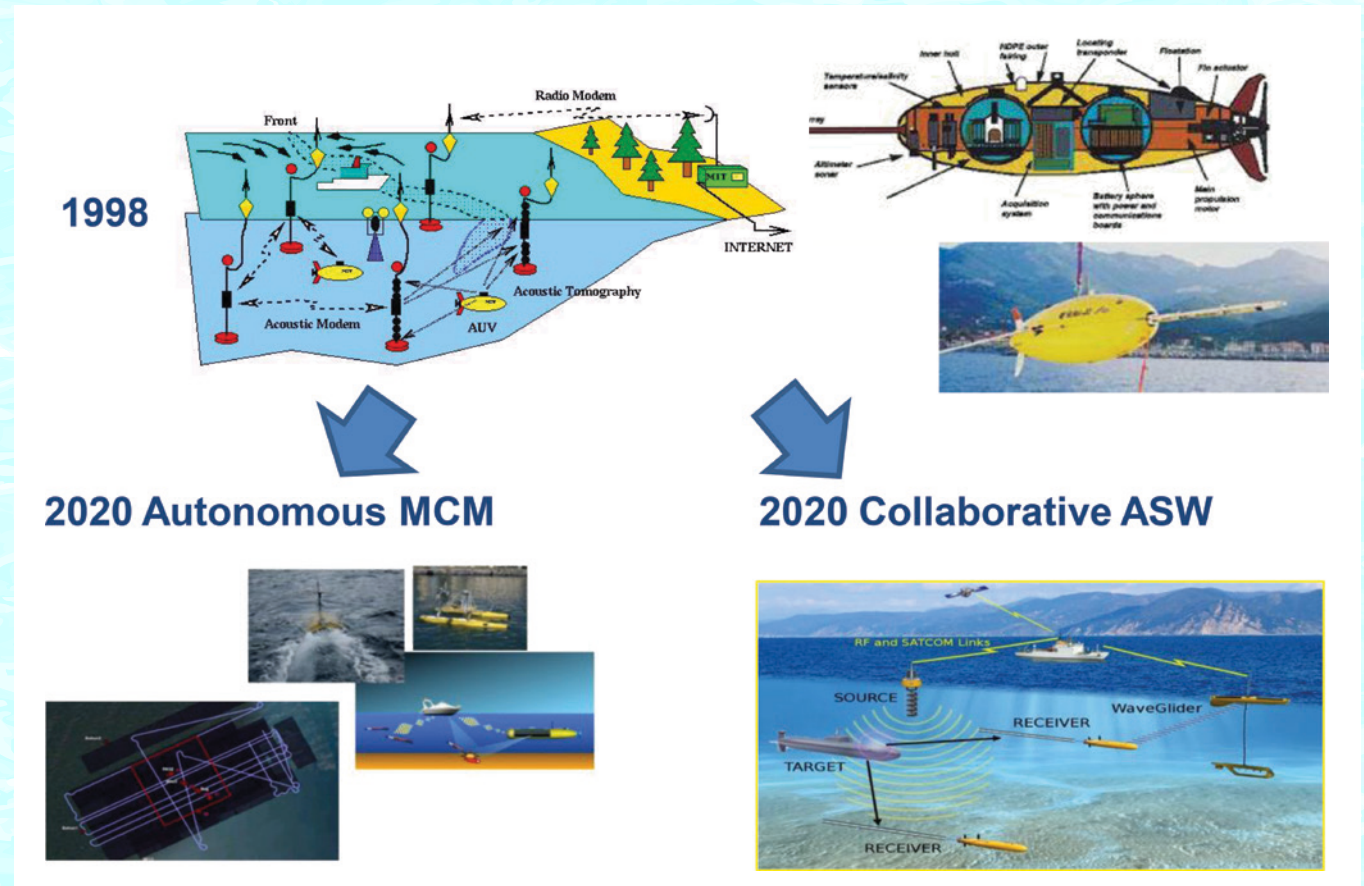
Are you interested in finding ways to build teams of stakeholders across NATO S&T to achieve results beyond your current reach?

**Yes?**

Then your participation in the Maritime Security Initiative is greatly desired.

NATO S&T stakeholders are invited to propose projects focused on enhancing **Maritime Security for the Alliance**, within the topics below:

- **Maritime Situational Awareness**
- **Maritime Interdiction**
- **Protection of Critical Infrastructure**



### Initiative End State (Spring 2018)

*“Demonstration of a system concept employing both autonomous systems and human-in-the-loop approaches to detect, classify, and counter maritime security threats.”*