IMO’s Women in Maritime Programme
in pursuit of the UN Sustainable Development Goals

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• TRAINING
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UN Sustainable Development Goals
17 Sustainable Development Goals and 169 targets:
Why a Goal on Gender Equality?

- Women make up 47% of the world’s 120 million people working in fisheries and outnumber men in both large-scale marine fisheries (66%) and small-scale fisheries (54%).

- Globally, women hold an average of 22.5% of parliamentary seats.

- Women account for over 60% of the world’s illiterate.

- 800 women still die every day from preventable pregnancy related causes. 99% of these deaths occur in developing countries.

- 1 in 3 women globally still experience physical or sexual violence, mostly by an intimate partner.

- Only 20% of landowners globally are women.

- In the labour market, on average women still earn 24% less than men globally.
Female empowerment is an economic no brainer

Gender equality. In any language, for every person.

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