

World Fisheries Day

21 November 2025



The Protection and Wellbeing of Fishers Against Human Trafficking

"Protecting oceans also means protecting the people who harvest them"

"Forced labour at sea remains one of the most invisible forms of modern slavery"

In 2021, at least 128,000 people were trapped in forced labour at sea - the true number is likely much higher (ILO, 2024)



Watch the replay of last year's event, organized by the Ambassador of the Order of Malta against human trafficking, with ITF, Praeveni Global, Stella Maris, SIMN, and sponsored by the ILO and the Permanent Missions to the UNOG of the Holy See, the Philippines, Kenya, and the UK.