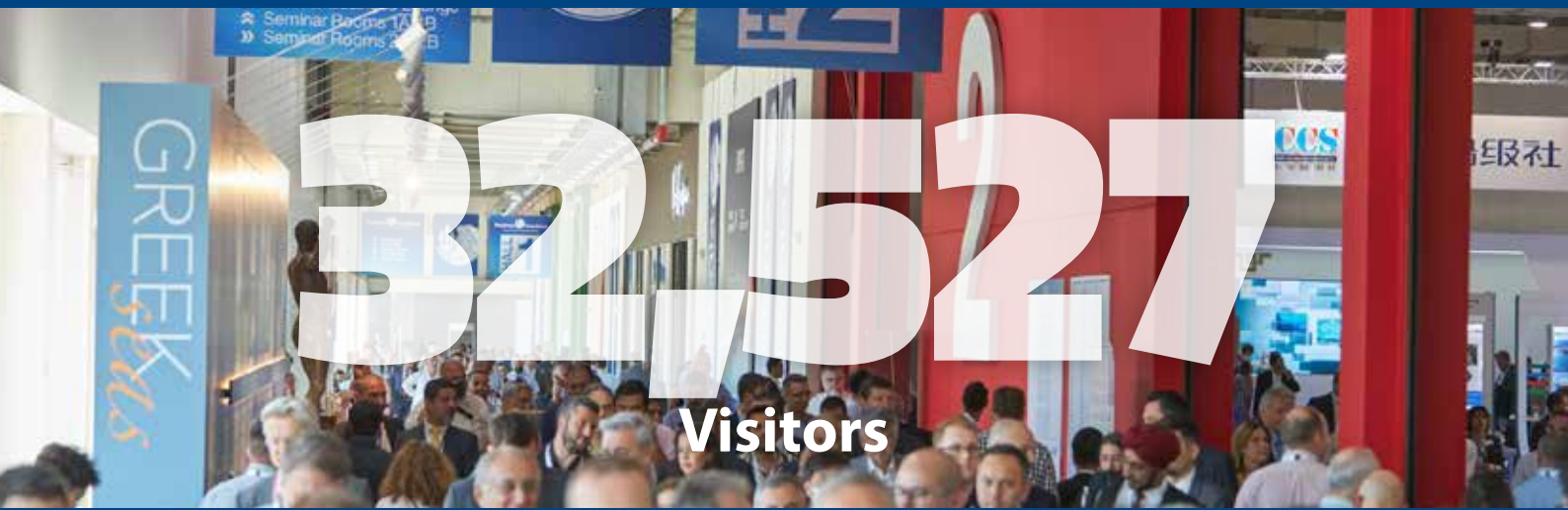


Posidonia 2026



Visitors



Exhibitors



Countries

The numbers speak for themselves

* Posidonia 2024 figures



Posidonia 2026

The programme

Posidonia Games

Posidonia Tour
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Posidonia 3x3 Basketball
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Posidonia Opening Ceremony*

Posidonia 2026 Exhibition

28–31 May 2026

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** By invitation*

Posidonia 2026

Welcome to Posidonia

from the Union of Greek Shipowners

Shipping: the backbone of humanity



Shipping moves the world. For millennia, it has powered global prosperity, connecting nations, cultures, and economies.

As the world faces unprecedented challenges, the resilience

and adaptability of shipping remain indispensable. Posidonia reflects this essential role, serving as a uniquely positioned platform for collaboration, innovation, and progress within the maritime industry.

On the occasion of Posidonia 2026, I warmly welcome all exhibitors and visitors to Greece, home to the world's largest merchant fleet. Together, let us embrace this opportunity to strengthen partnerships, address today's challenges, and shape a sustainable future for all.

With a shared vision and collective effort, shipping will continue to safeguard humanity's welfare and global prosperity.

Melina Travlos

President, Union of Greek Shipowners

Under the auspices of



Ministry of Maritime Affairs and Insular Policy



Hellenic Chamber of Shipping



Union of Greek Shipowners

With the support of



Municipality of Piraeus



Greek Shipping Co-operation Committee

The Posidonia Co-ordinating Committee

Chairman:

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President, Hellenic Chamber of Shipping

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President, Union of Greek Shipowners

Haralambos J. Fafalios

Chairman, Greek Shipping Co-operation Committee

Themistocles Th. Vokos

Honorary Chairman, Posidonia Exhibitions SA

The world's shipping powerhouse

The numbers speak for themselves. Greek shipowners control 21% of global tonnage with a total of 5,543 ships and Greece continues to be the world's largest shipping nation and controller of some 70% of the EU fleet of strategically important vessels. The Greek fleet represents:

- **30% of the world's oil tanker fleet**
- **25% of the world's bulk carriers**
- **23% of the world's liquefied natural gas (LNG) carriers**
- **15% of the world's chemical and product tankers**
- **13% of the world's liquified petroleum gas (LPG) carriers**
- **9% of the world's containerships**

The cluster of over 5,000 companies established or represented in Greece includes many of the world's top owners, managers and service operations. More shipping capacity is managed from Greece than anywhere else. Hundreds of service providers, technical firms, equipment makers and shipyards also have a presence in the cluster.

Posidonia takes its exhibitors to the heart of this community, giving them unmatched access to owners and managers keen to engage with suppliers and service companies for their shipping operations and fleet renewal. Technical and operations executives from all over the world will also be keen to engage with exhibitors – not only to discuss solutions but to make decisions. Posidonia is known for the business done in its exhibition halls. No other shipping event is attended by as many Greek and international shipowners and shipping executives.



Over 40 percent of oil tankers and one in six LNG carriers being built today will be delivered to Greek shipowners

"We often refer to the miracle of Greek shipping", says Theodore Vokos, Managing Director of Posidonia Exhibitions S.A. "It is tempting to do so when a small nation of twelve million people is home to the largest and most modern fleet in the world – over five thousand ocean-going vessels trading around the globe and keeping the world economy ticking."

The Greek-owned fleet*



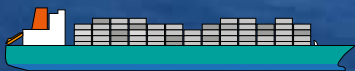
Oil, chemical and product tankers

254 on order **1,417** in the fleet



Ore and bulk carriers

163 on order **2,602** in the fleet



Pure container ships

31 on order **504** in the fleet



Liquid gas carriers

77 on order **310** in the fleet



Other vessels

27 on order **710** in the fleet

Total

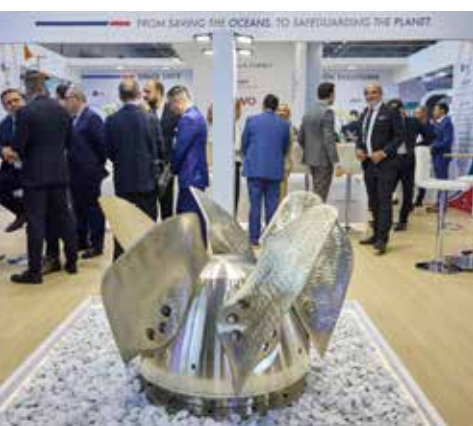
552 on order **5,543** in the fleet

* Ships over 1,000 grt. Sources: (Orders) *Naftiliaki Greek Shipping Review*, Mid-October 2024. (Fleet) UGS calculations, based on data from S&P Global Market Intelligence, February 2024.



Posidonia delivers a great exhibitor experience

Shipbuilders, equipment suppliers and maritime service providers converge at



Posidonia to showcase their latest offerings to the Greek shipping industry and to a global audience. With a focus on quality assurance, regulatory compliance and sustainability, Greek owners are driving significant investment in the sector. Their technical and operational

teams will be actively seeking innovative solutions to enhance their operations. Coupled with strong attendance from international industry players this delivers an unparalleled business opportunity. Exhibitors will find a receptive audience eager to explore new technologies, equipment, and financial services. Posidonia is the ideal platform to forge strategic partnerships, close deals, and build lasting relationships.

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“Posidonia 2024 was a great show and an amazing week. We had so many opportunities to discuss the future of ship safety, performance, and the importance of supply and value chains. The future of shipping is about more than ships! And as always, there were so many good events – and too little time.”

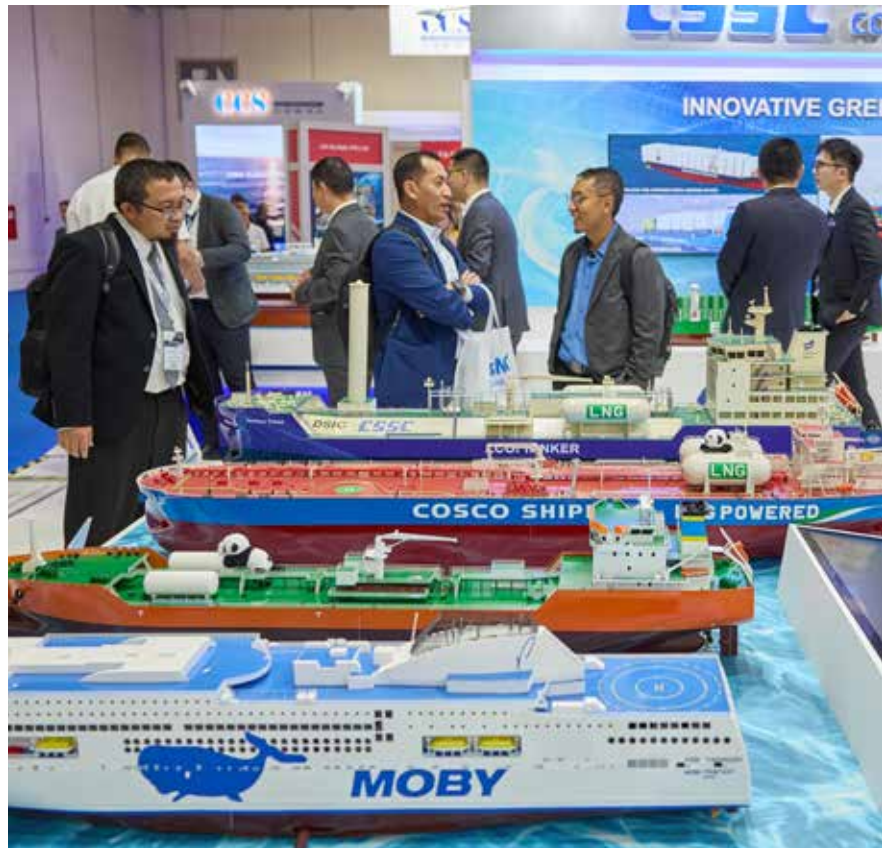
— **Nick Brown**, *Corporate Affairs Director, Marine & Offshore, Bureau Veritas*





Mission accomplished

Exhibitors at Posidonia 2024 were surveyed on their experience and the marketing effectiveness of their participation. The results speak for themselves with high scores on all key aspects and almost 100% of exhibitors returning in 2026.



Surveyed exhibitors' verdicts on Posidonia 2024

99%

said their participation was successful

98%

said visitor profiles were relevant to their business

91%

said their visitors were in a position to decide on purchasing

91%

said other exhibitors were possible partners or clients

96%

said the exhibition was effective in growing their brand internationally

For the list of Posidonia 2024 exhibitors, see the [Exhibiting Companies 2024 page](#) on the Posidonia website



**Cost-effective
sponsorship
and brand
exposure will
raise your
profile with
Posidonia's
international
audience**

Boosting your success

Your exhibition success starts with the Posidonia value package, without the extra costs incurred at many events:

- Free listing in the exhibition catalogue, distributed free to all visitors, exhibitors and press
- Free listing on the Posidonia website in the exhibiting companies section with a link to the exhibitor's website
- Free listing with company profile in the Posidonia mobile application
- Free electronic visitor invitations for exhibitors to send to clients and contacts
- No registration fees
- No sub-exhibitor fees
- Visitor entrance without charge
- Free parking
- One official exhibition catalogue for each exhibitor

Raise your profile

Posidonia's comprehensive exhibitor support goes further with effective marketing tools that boost your message and enhance your presence. Make the most of the opportunity to impress!

- Posidonia Games sponsorships
- Exhibitor bags
- Shuttle buses
- Press office
- Seminar rooms

Advertising opportunities

- Posidonia catalogue
- Posidonia website
- Exhibitors' email blast
- Large scale wall spaces
- Exhibition halls floor stickers

Posidonia 2024 stats





Posidonia Conferences

"Where the big issues are explored"

The Posidonia week conference sessions, seminars, workshops and media roundtables are chaired by industry leaders and reported worldwide. Experts share their insights into key issues and delegates have the opportunity to network.

Posidonia 2026 will again host the Tradewinds Shipowners Forum



Committed to Sustainability

Posidonia was the first exhibition in Greece to receive ISO 20121 certification as a Sustainable Event.

The Bureau Veritas audit and framework resulted

in reductions of water consumption and non-recyclable waste, extended shuttle bus services to reduce carbon footprint, digitization of sales and operational communications and many other environmental gains. Exhibitors enthusiastically support the effort in their operations. In addition, significant funds are allocated by Posidonia Exhibitions for the support of educational, environmental, cultural and health initiatives.





The Posidonia Games

Kicking off Posidonia week

Participation in the Posidonia Games appeals to the competitive nature of shipping professionals – a great start to Posidonia.



Posidonia Cup

Powered by the winds of the Aegean Sea, Posidonia's flagship sporting event will once more see some 60 yachts compete for the coveted Posidonia Cup trophies. All Posidonia participants are invited to join the race, either with their own yachts or with those provided by the co-organisers, the Hellenic Offshore Racing Club.

Posidonia Tour

Over 400 cyclists of all skill levels will join the first Posidonia Tour on two challenging routes through Greece's stunning landscapes. This exciting event in support of charitable causes combines the thrill of the ride with the opportunity to network with fellow enthusiasts.

3×3 Basketball

Plenty of excitement at the Eurohoops Dome! The Posidonia 3×3s are really gaining traction with Posidonia's basketball enthusiasts.

Posidonia Golf





Tournament

The Golf Tournament is Posidonia's competitive warm-up and key networking event at the Glyfada Golf Club of Athens. What better way to mix with fellow shipping professionals than vying for the trophies and enjoying the Sunday evening awards reception?

Posidonia Running Event

The fifth Posidonia Running Event through the streets of Piraeus will welcome keen runners from all over the world, joining forces for charitable causes.

Posidonia Shipsoccer

Achieving your goals takes on a different meaning! Teams of shipping executives compete in a 5x5 format for the keenly contested Posidonia Shipsoccer trophies.



Posidonia 2026 – book now

Returning and new exhibitors are confirming their participation at Posidonia 2026, so early booking is the key to the best locations in the expo centre. The organisers' expert team will be happy to advise you on the best package to meet your sales objectives.

To reserve your exhibition space for 2026, email: posidonia@posidonia-events.com

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