

IUF is an international trade union federation representing workers in

- **agriculture**
- **the preparation and manufacture of food and beverages**
- **hotels, restaurants and catering services**
- **all stages of tobacco processing**
- **412 affiliated trade unions**
- **126 countries**
- **representing ca 11 million workers**





International Transport Workers Federation



International Union of Food Workers



International Meeting of Fishing Industry and Aquaculture Workers' Unions

Oslo, Norway, 23–24.11.2015

Decisions:

- To upscale support to local seafood workers' campaigns for their rights and construct IUF Fisheries and Aquaculture Division;
- To develop and strengthen strategic alliances with other unions, environmental and civil society groups;
- To call for ILO International Labour Standard for the entire seafood chain and engage in policy debates within ILO and FAO.



IUF Asia/Pacific Regional Food & Beverage Workers' Meeting
Langkawi, 14-15 September 2015

“Fighting for freedom of
association every day!”





DOHA. Morocco, Agadir.









Joint Submission to the UN Special Rapporteur on Human Rights and the Environment
Tragedy in the Marine Commons:
The Intertwined Exploitation of Ocean Ecosystems and Fisheries Workers
Action is required from sea to shelf



Towards construction of international standards on decent work in global seafood supply chain

- 1995** - FAO Code of conduct for responsible fisheries
- 2007** - ILO Convention 188 on work in fishing
- 2013** - ILO-FAO guidance on addressing child labour in fisheries and aquaculture
- 2014** - FAO Voluntary Guidelines for Securing Sustainable Small-Scale Fisheries in the Context of Food Security and Poverty Eradication
- 2015** - FAO COFI Subcommittee on Aquaculture Outcomes of discussion on Improving Livelihoods Through Decent Employment, Brasilia
 - LO tripartite meeting Report on Worst Forms of Exploitation in the Seafood sector, Oslo
- 2016** - ILO tripartite meeting to develop Policy guidelines on sustainable livelihoods in rural economy, Geneva
- 2017** - ILO tripartite meeting on migration in fishing sector

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