MSP in the Baltic Sea



A love story

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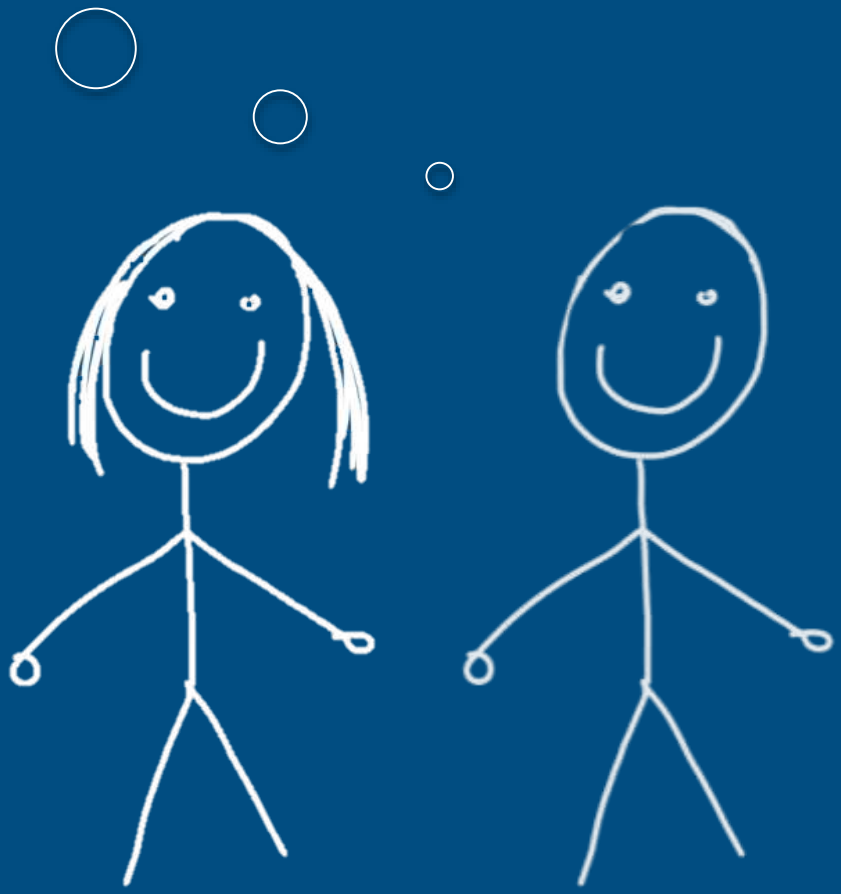
Age	40 years old	22 years old
Field of expertise	Environment	Planning
Favorite book	Baltic Sea Action Plan	VASAB Long-Term Perspective

All couples have dreams...



Coherent MSP across the Baltic

So do they.

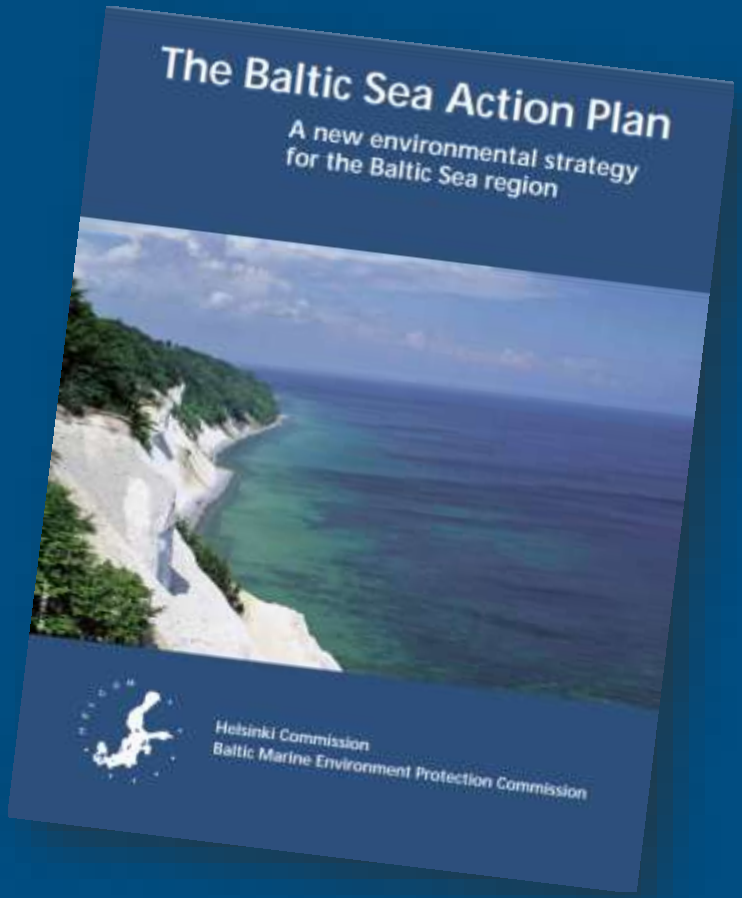


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How did they become friends?



It all started in 2007



”...achieve a Baltic Sea in good environmental status by 2021”

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”...develop by 2010 Marine Spatial Planning principles based on the Ecosystem Approach...”

HELCOM RECOMMENDATION 28E/9

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Ecosystem approach

Long term perspective and objectives

Precautionary Principle

Participation and Transparency

High quality data and information basis

Transnational coordination and consultation

Coherent terrestrial and maritime spatial planning

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Who will apply the principles?

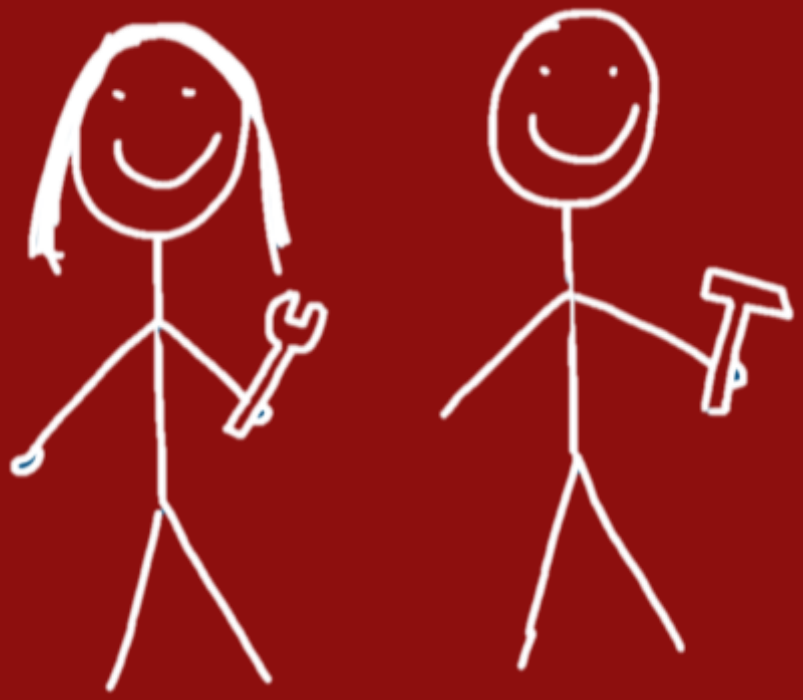
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In 2010
the HELCOM-VASAB MSP Work Group
was created

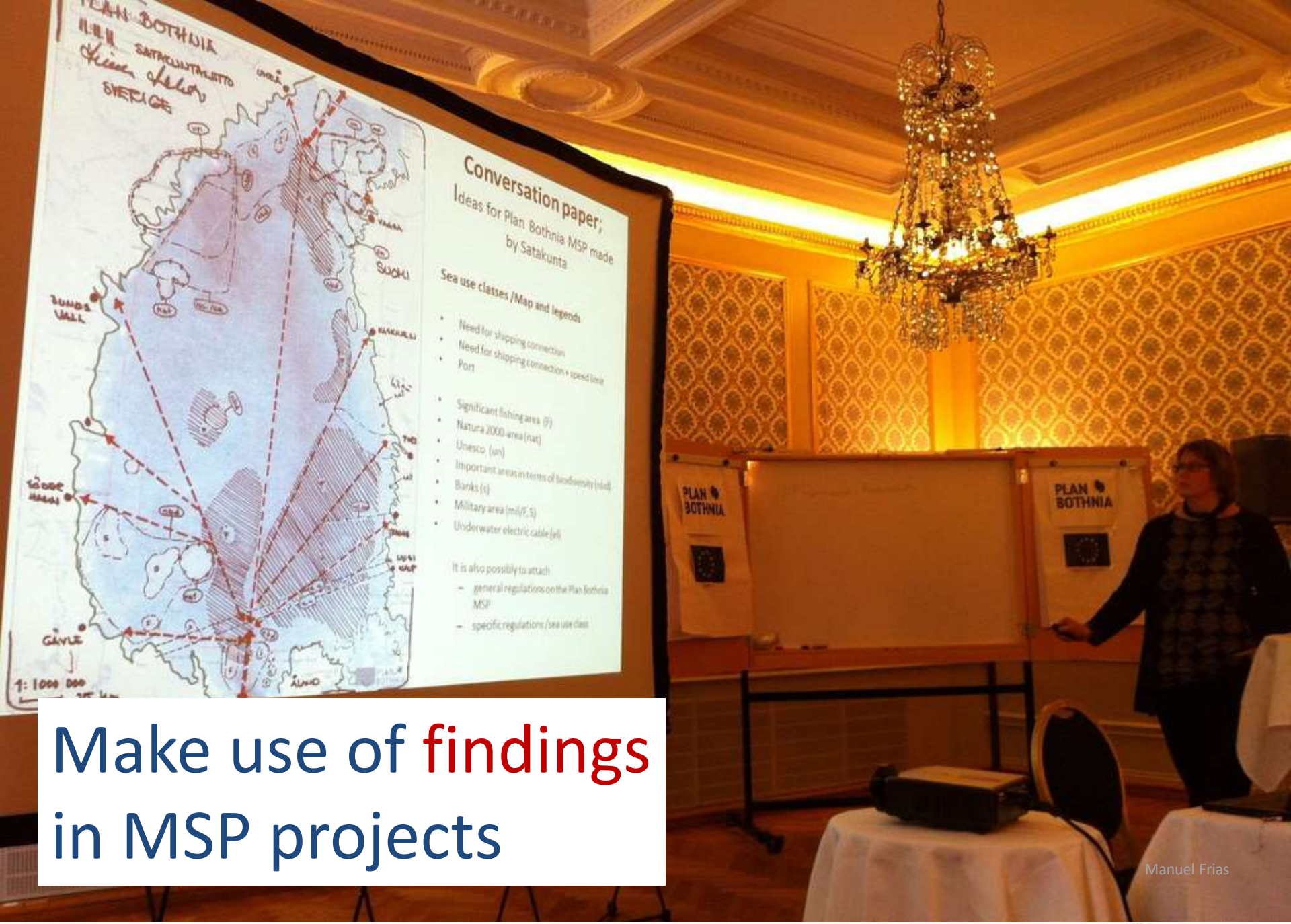
What do they do together?



Forum for dialogue

for a coherent MSP across the Baltic





Make use of findings in MSP projects

Manuel Frias

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What are their main challenges?



A group with many diferent backgrounds







MSP still in its infancy



Paul Inkles

A dream come true?



HELCOM - VASAB Roadmap

Share basic info
Promote creation and sharing of data
Promote education
Draw lessons from MSP experiences

Identifying MSP contacts

2016-18 Assessment of Roadmap

Guidelines adopted
- application eco. approach
- transboundary consultations
- public participation

Prepare report on activities of relevance

National frameworks for MSP in place

Apply Guidelines

MSP plans coherent across borders / Apply ecosystem approach

2013 2014 15 16 17 18 2020

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2020

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Baltic Marine Environment Protection Commission