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Bio-Sketch

M. MOHAMED M'madi Ahamada is a maritime geographer. He obtained his master's degree in economic geography in 2002 and his master degree in 2003 (specialisation, littoral and maritime activities) at the University Omar Bongo from Libreville Gabun. Since 2006, he has worked with the port of Moroni as Director of Studies, and has acquired private-sector experience in harbour management in Gabon with SATRAM/EGCA. His practical experience has allowed him to identify the real problems within the operations of the port of the Comoros Islands and the lack of a maritime administration capable of making a strategy for the management of the marine and littoral space.

Fellowship Host Institutions and Supervisors

1. Institut Maritime, University of Gent Belgium (Prof. Somers, Dr. Gonsaeles)
2. The Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, Office of Legal Affairs of United Nations (Dr. Bailet).

Research Abstract (preliminary)

Vers une Politique Maritime et Océanique Comorienne au XXII^{ème} Siècle

(Towards a Comorian Maritime and Oceanic Policy in the XXIst Century)

The implementation of a maritime and oceanic policy in the Comoros Islands is a new strategy which would include in particular grouping together the actors in sector related to maritime economics in order to analyze and address the relevant problems linked to the legal identity of the Comoros as an archipelago. The objective of these consultations would be to ensure the establishment of a maritime administration as a legal institutional framework that would embrace all aspects of the dynamic maritime business sector in the Comoros Islands.

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