

Interdisciplinary fisheries seminar

Participation in Fishermen's Associations. Study applied to the small-scale fisheries of Galicia

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Abstract

Fishermen's Associations base their activity on the marine natural resources management whose use and exploitation are shared by their members, under certain rules or institutional conditions. In our case study of small-scale fisheries, this conditions the public-private nature of the organization, as well as the contractual relationships among the different agents involved. The organizational structure characterization and the results obtained in the study allow us to identify the Associations involved (the *Cofradías*) as participation firms, based on the analysis of the business flows (real, decisional and financial), highlighting their significance in fisheries management. At the same time, we highlight the existence of unique distinctive features in our case study compared to other Social Economy entities, essentially derived from the contractual relationships complexity that occur between members and the organization, as well as between it and Public Administration responsible on fishing.

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