

Neringa Fort Conservation and its Sustainable Use



Photo. Neriija fort

Neringa fort is the only survived example of the XIX c. Prussian fortifications in Lithuania. It is a unique maritime cultural heritage building. Since 1979 after the restoration and reconstruction of the fort, the Lithuanian Sea Museum has been established there. Over three decades during which the museum and the fort served the public needs the buildings and the constructions of the fort seriously depreciated.

Supported by the EEA Grants and Norwegian Financial Mechanisms (2009-14) for cultural heritage programme, the Lithuanian Sea Museum together with the partner Stavanger Museum has been implementing the project which aims at preserving the Neringa Fort.

Big support and investment requiring activities of the project will cover cleaning out the fossa of the port; renovation of 3 capponieres to house the exhibitions in them; renovation of the fort-guard's room to house the exhibition about Neringa Fort.



In addition to “hard” activities the partners of the project committed themselves to create a joint mobile exhibition about historical links between Stavanger and Klaipeda ports and to arrange trainings to the public aiming at increase the of public awareness of cultural heritage.

After the completion of the project it is expected to have a renovated fort with well established rooms and premises to foster cultural, educational activities enhancing common cultural development of the society in large.

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