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### International Seminar on Sea Names, 2008-2012

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#### **Summary\*\*\***

The International Seminar on Sea Names was launched in 1995 and has been held annually since 2008. More than 30 participants have discussed issues of geographical naming, especially of maritime features, as part of presentations and panel discussions. The intention is now to broaden the scope of the seminar so that it becomes a general forum in which principles and practices pertaining to the naming of maritime features are discussed, complemented by international studies. The 274 papers presented to date are available from [www.eastsea1994.org/seminars](http://www.eastsea1994.org/seminars).

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