

# Object Summary

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## Captain Pietro Zelalich's Capture of Tunisian Corsairs on 18 July 1765

**Date**

1765

**Object Type**

Painting

**Technique**

Oil on canvas, stretched on stretcher. Water gilt

decorative frame.

### **Museum**

Malta Maritime Museum

### **Registration Number**

MMM 004784

### **Description**

Pietro de Giovanni Zelalich (1731-1811, from Kotor, Montenegro) arrived in Malta as a mutinous slave on the Corona Ottomana in 1760 and became an active corsair in Malta.