



IAPH Online Newsletter



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Updated program of IAPH Regional Meeting/ Port Forum in Antwerp



The IAPH Africa/Europe Region will meet in Antwerp, Belgium, from December 7 to 8, 2011, hosted by Antwerp Port Authority. The meeting will take place at Port's offices - [Harbour House, Entrepotkaai 1, 2000 Antwerp](#).

A two-day port forum comprises three sessions devoted to three subject areas of "World Ports Climate Initiative", "Sustainable ports in the global supply chain" and "Port reception facilities for ship-generated wastes and cargo residues". After the meeting, participants can join the port roundtrip by boat with luncheon in the afternoon of December 8.

Please [click here](#) to see the updated program and register online now ([click here](#)). Registration is free of charge.

Prior to the meeting, one of IAPH's internal committees, Long Range Planning & Review Committee will meet in Antwerp between 0930-1030 hours on December 7 at the same venue.

Members of the committee and IAPH Members in Africa/Europe region are encouraged to attend the meeting.

(Photo: Antwerp Port Authority)



The 12th IAPH Asia/Oceania Regional Meeting/Port Forum will take place in Colombo, Sri Lanka from March 8 to 9, 2012, hosted by Sri Lanka Ports Authority (SLPA) under the patronage of His Excellency the President Mahinda Rajapaksa. In tandem with the meeting held under the theme of "Global Challenges-Impact on Asia/Oceania Region", Sri Lanka International Air Freight, Shipping and Logistics Expo, the country's first-ever expo, will be held at the same venue.

Thanks to our hosts, the dedicated website is now up, offering online registration and hotel booking information ([click here](#))

As far as port forum sessions are concerned, selection of speakers and their topics is now in progress. IAPH Members in Asia/Oceania region are encouraged to attend the meeting.

(Photo: Port Chairman Dr Wickrama, by the courtesy of SLPA)

Terms and conditions for IAPH Training Scholarship 2012 now available



If you are employed by an IAPH member port in developing country, you are qualified to apply for IAPH Training Scholarship Program-a financial assistance program designed to assist those wishing to receive advanced port training courses/seminars at IAPH-affiliated training institutes overseas. For each calendar year, a total amount of US\$10,000 is available, catering to four scholarships per US\$2,500 to cover tuition fees.

Details, including application forms, can be downloaded ([click here](#)).

(Photo: istockphoto)

Call for your update -Membership Directory 2012



Thanks to each member's contribution, we have so far received the updated entries from roughly 60% of members. If you have not sent an updated info for the Membership Directory, please send us soon to keep the information of your port/company latest in the forthcoming 2012 edition. For inquires about the Membership Directory, please contact us at directory@iaphworldports.org

You are also kindly invited to place your ad in the Membership Directory, as there are still rooms for some spaces. Please contact directory@iaphworldports.org for advertisement.

AFRICA/EUROPE REGION

November 1

- Aarhus: [Terms of Business 2012](#)

November 2

- Amsterdam: [Maiden Voyage: MV Hestia visits Port of Amsterdam](#)
- Rotterdam: [Reducing excessive noise levels on the Lloydkade](#)
- Bilbao: [Progeco opens new warehouse in ZAD-3](#)

November 3

- Dunkirk: [Dunkerque-Port: Start of Citrus and Fresh Produce Imports from Morocco](#)

November 4

- Bremen: [New highs at the Bremerhaven car terminal](#)

November 7

- Rotterdam: [Traces of Stone Age habitation in port of Rotterdam](#)
- Constantza: [NC MPA SA, ranked among the Top Companies](#)

November 8

- ENAPOR, Cape Verde: [Prime Minister of Cape Verde, José Maria Neves presided over the launching of the first stone of Port of Furna Expansion Project](#)

November 9

- Dunkirk: [Dunkerque-Port: New Gantry Crane](#)
- Riga: [The Freeport of Riga has been servicing larger vessels](#)
- Nigerian Ports Authority: [NPA to Improve the Welfare of Schools](#)

November 10

- Helsinki: [Cargo flows at last year's level, but passenger traffic continues to grow](#)
- Rotterdam: [Common agenda for 25 billion euro corridor](#)
- Stockholm: [Ports of Stockholm wins international award](#)

November 11

- Abidjan: [The General Manager of the Group Bolloré Africa Logistics at PAA](#)
- Bilbao: [Port of Bilbao receives ISO 14001 certification for its environmental management system](#)
- APM Terminals: [APM Terminals' Posts Strong Q3 Results](#)

November 14

- APM Terminals: [Terminals must anticipate shipping companies' needs in "New Era of Ports"](#)
- Hamburg: [Cargo handling figures 3/2011](#)

November 15

- Cork: [APL win IEA Deep Sea Shipping Award](#)
- Gothenburg: [15 vessels in campaign for a cleaner marine environment](#)

November

- Marseille: [Marseille Fos sees signs of growth](#)

AMERICAS REGION

November 2

- Tacoma: [Tacoma truck replacement program aims to improve region's air quality](#)

November 3

- Georgia Ports Authority: [Georgia Ports Authority sees steady first quarter growth](#)

November 4

- Montreal: [The Montreal Port Authority supports the project "Cité portuaire"](#)

November 7

- Seattle/ Tacoma: Northwest ports win environmental award for clean air strategy ([Seattle/Tacoma](#))

November 9

- AAPA: [AAPA Lauds Freight Focus of MAP-21 Surface Transportation Proposal](#)

November 10

- Aruba: [Port Director Welcomes New Tourism, Culture & Heritage Information Center](#)
- Oakland: [Port and City of Oakland Submit Federal Grant to Launch First Phase of Oakland Army Base Redevelopment](#)

November 14

- Long Beach: [Port Dedicates Plug-in Shore Power for Ships](#)

November 15

- Georgia Ports Authority: [U.S. Secretary of Transportation LaHood Visits Port of Savannah](#)
- Long Beach: [Port's Deputy Director Confirmed as New Executive Director](#)

ASIA/OCEANIA REGION**November 3**

- Shanghai: [SIPG President Receives Crown Prince of Belgium in Headquarters](#)

November 4

- MPA, Singapore: [Republic of Korea Senior Maritime Official Visits Singapore under the Distinguished Visitors Programme](#)

November 5

- PMO, Iran: [Execution of development projects in Geneveh Port](#)

November 6

- PMO, Iran: [The biggest marine structure built in Khoramshahr port](#)

November 8

- Dept of Shipping, Gov of India: [Kandla Port to Achieve 100 MMT per Annum Capacity within 2 Years](#)
- PMO, Iran: [Rail access to the port to be developed](#)

November 11

- Mundra: [MPSEZ Financial Results Q2 FY 2011-2012](#)

November 13

- Abu Dhabi: [Borouge Delegation visits Khalifa Port and Kizad](#)

November 14

- PNG Ports, Papua New Guinea: [PNGPCL's stevedore mess in Port Moresby nearing completion](#)
- Sri Lanka Ports Authority: [Agreements signed to construct Colombo Port Expansion project's South Container Terminal](#)

November

- MLIT, Japan: [Monitoring of air and seawater radiation in the ports](#)
- Subic Bay, Philippines: [Subic Freeport to expand to Hermosa](#)
- Saigon: [Saigon Port's Business Situation in 10 months of 2011](#)

Please be sure to send your press releases to us!

"World Port News Online" feature headlines of news releases (excluding local community news matters) from our regular member ports and friendly organizations. Although we already receive press releases from most of our member ports, please confirm your communications / public relations section (especially of African and Asian/Oceania ports) to send news to IAPH ([click here](#)). Those news items are also important source for *Ports & Harbors* magazine. Thank you for your kind cooperation.

Welcome to new member

IAPH EVENTS

- IAPH Africa/Europe Regional Meeting
December 7-8, Antwerp, Belgium
([registration & hotel booking](#) / [tentative overall program](#))
- IAPH Asia/Oceania Regional Meeting
March 8-9, 2012, Colombo, Sri Lanka
- IAPH Mid-term Ports Conference (Formerly IAPH Mid-term Board Meeting)
May 20-23, 2012, Jerusalem, Israel
- The 28th IAPH World Ports Conference
May 6-10, 2013, Los Angeles, U.S.A.

OTHER EVENTS

- Dredging and Land Reclamation Asia 2011
November 23-24, Singapore
- Wave forces on vertical breakwater, seawalls, and wave walls course
November 24, Oxfordshire, U.K.
- 6th Thai Ports & Shipping 2011
November 24-25, Bangkok, Thailand
- African Ports and Maritime Conference 2011
November 27-30, Swakopmund, Namibia
- The 4th Annual Global Ports Conference
30-December 1, London, U.K.
- Fundamentals of Maritime Trade & Transport
November 30 and onward, distance learning
- Marine scour course
December 1, Oxfordshire, U.K.
- Course on Environmental Aspects of Dredging
December 13-14, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.
- India Maritime Week
January 17-21, 2012, New Dheli, India
- Shifting International Trade Routes
January 18-19, 2012, Tampa, FL, U.S.A.
- Seminar on Port Management
January 23- February 3, 2012, Antwerp, Belgium (closing date for registration: December 5)
- 4th International Forum on Maritime and Port Risk Prevention (MARISK)
January 26-27, 2012, Nantes, France
- KPI for Ports and Terminals training course
February 14 and onward, distance learning

*To see the full list of maritime events, [please click here](#).

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