

TUESDAY 30 NOVEMBER 2021

Registration open 11:00

MARITIME CENTRE VELLAMO, auditorium

SESSION 1

TOWARDS GREEN TRANSITION

Moderator: Ville Henttu, Research Director, South-Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences, Finland

12:00-12:05	Opening of the Conference and Welcoming Words Tarja Javanainen, Project Manager Kotka Maritime Research Centre, Finland
12:05-12:10	Introduction of the theme of the conference Ville Henttu, Research Director South-Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences, Finland
12:10-12:30	Reducing GHG emissions from inland waterway transition Eero Hokkanen, Ministerial Adviser Ministry of Transport and Communications, Finland
12:30-12:50	EU IWT policies and the NAIADES III Action plan 2021-2027 Martha Wolska, EU Commission DG Mobility and Transport, Belgium
12:50-13:05	Frames enabling green transition Benjamin Boyer, Civil Engineer & Laure Roux, Administrator, Economic Affairs Central Commission for the Navigation of the Rhine CCNR, France
13:05-13:20	Comprehensive Green Freight Transport and Inland Waterway Transport as a Part Tomi Solakivi, Asst. Professor, Maritime Business & Policy Turku School of Economics at the University of Turku, Finland
13:20-13:30	Q & A
13:30-14:00	Coffee Break, LOUNGE

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SESSION 2

POTENTIAL AND OPPORTUNITIES OF IWW TODAY

Moderator: Kari Pohjola, Sales Director, Senior Consultant, Arctia SeaHow, Finland

14:00-14:05	Opening of the 2. Session of the Conference Kari Pohjola, Sales Manager Arctia SeaHow, Finland
14:05-14:40	INFUTURE Project Surveys on Cargo Potential Tatiana Pantina, Dr. of Sc. (Econ) Vice-rector for research and innovations, Head of Economics of Waterway Transport Department, Admiral Makarov State University of Maritime and Inland Shipping, Russia Andrey Yushchenko, Director, Marine Cargo Bureau, Russia Anna Kiviniitty, RDI Specialist, South-Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences, XAMK, Finland
14:40-15:00	Essential Role of Maritime Transportation in Green Transition Claudia Beumer, Global Account Manager VT Group, Nederland
15:00-15:15	Inland Waterways and Winternavigation Jarkko Toivola Chief Maritime Specialist, Head of Maritime Unit and Director Waterways Finnish Transport Infrastructure Agency, Finland
15:15-15:30	Project survey: Hindrances affecting IWW between Finland and Russia Pekka Koskinen, Vice Chairman Association of Finnish Waterways, Finland
15:40-15:50	Q & A
15:50-16:00	Closing of the First Day of the Conference Heli Koukkula-Teixeira, Executive Director Association of Finnish Waterways, Finland
16:00-17:30	Cocktails & Networking, LOUNGE

WEDNESDAY 1 DECEMBER 2021

Registration open 9:30

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SESSION 3

BEST PRACTICES AND SMART SOLUTIONS

Moderator: Pekka Koskinen, Vice Chairman, Association of Finnish Waterways, Finland

10:00-10:05	Opening of the Second Day of the Conference and Welcoming Words Pekka Koskinen, Vice Chairman Association of Finnish Waterways, Finland
10:05-10:35	INFUTURE Transshipment Hub Models for IWW - Best Practises Discussion: Anna Kiviniitty, RDI Specialist South-Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences XAMK, Finland TBC
10:35-10:50	IWT Experiences from the EMMA Project Stefan Breitenbach, Head of the Project Division Port of Hamburg Marketing, Germany
10:50-11:05	Digital Port Technologies Developed in H2020 COREALIS Project Dr. Ville Hinkka, Research Team Leader VTT Technical Research Centre of Finland, Finland
11:05-11:20	INFUTURE Project Survey - Smart Buoys - Smart Fairways Pilot project Kari Pohjola, Sales Manager Arctia SeaHow, Finland
11:20-11:30	Q & A

11:30-12:00 Coffee Break, LOUNGE

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SESSION 4

IWW – FUTURE VISIONS

Moderator: TBC

12:00-12:05	Opening of the 4. Session of the Conference
12:05-12:20	Digitalisation and IWW
12:20-12:40	Next-Generation Inland Waterway Vessel Concept Discussion: Fang Li, Postdoctoral Researcher, Marine Technology unit, Aalto University, Finland representative from Aker Arctic Technologies Inc. Finland
12:40-13:00	IWI Alternative Fuels Committee - Case Studies from Several Countries Kevin Desmond, President of the Electric Boat Association, France
13:00-13:15	Company Case "Commercial Vision on Time-Charter Equivalent for a New Vessels of SaimaaMax Type" Anatoly Burkov, PhD (Maritime Engineering Economics), Associated professor of Management of Waterway Transport Enterprises Department, Admiral Makarov State University of Maritime and Inland Shipping, Russia Anton Svechkaev, Commercial Director, Neva-Hagen Group, Russia Dmitry Nesluchov, Freight and Fleet Manager, Neva-Hagen Group, Russia
13:15-13:30	Company Case
13:30-13:40	Q & A
13:40-14:00	Summary of the Conference and Closing Anna Kiiski, Executive Director Kotka Maritime Research Centre, Merikotka, Finland

14:00-16:00 Lunch & Networking, LOUNGE

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