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The future for short sea shipping

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Welcome reception - Coastlink - Tuesday 11 June 2019

19:30 Mango Thai Tapas, Ocean Village

Day One - Coastlink - Wednesday 12 June 2019

Session 1 - The changing European logistics landscape – Adapting to the changing economic demands for transportation

Chair - Gavin Roser, Ambassador at Large, European Freight and Logistics Leaders Forum (F&L)

08:40 Coffee and registration

09:00 Welcome address

Alastair Welch, Director, ABP Southampton*

09:20 Keynote address

Sarah Kenny, Vice Chair of Maritime UK

09:40 The strategic importance of short-sea shipping in the Port of Antwerp

Justin Atkin, UK Representative, Port of Antwerp

10:00 The future of short-sea shipping: cases in roads to water initiatives

Dr Merv Rowlinson, Lecturer in Maritime Economics, City University, London & Piraeus

The vast predominance of road haulage in domestic UK freight movements, and its associated environmental impact, has brought renewed interest in shortsea, coastal and inland shipping as a practical alternative mode. This paper seeks to discuss examples of shipping activity in UK waters, vis-à-vis road haulage competition.

10:20 Competent people – a key success factor in supply chain management

Nicole Geerkens, Executive Director, European Logistics Association

10:40 Q&A

11:00 Coffee & Networking

11:30 Panel Discussion - The changing economic demand for transportation in Europe

Panellists include:

- Kenneth Russell, Chair, Rail Freight Group,
- Gavin Roser - Ambassador at Large, European Freight and Logistics Leaders Forum
- Bogdan Oldakowski, Secretary General, Baltic Ports Organisation*,
- Alan Murphy, CEO, SealIntel*

12:50 Lunch

Session 2 - How to manage your transport procurement and service – The best cost and delivery solution with environmental consideration

13:50 Keynote address + Q&A

Andrew Ellis, Country Manager, Unifeeder UK*

14:10 Panel Discussion

Panellists include:

- Dr Stavros Karamperidis, Lecturer, Maritime Economics, University of Plymouth
- Chantal McRoberts, Principal Consultant, Drewry*

15:40 Coffee & Networking

16:10 Inland terminal project to deliver Heineken

Victor Schoenmakers, Director of Corporate Strategy, Port of Rotterdam*

16:30 Vessel Technology Advice and Support (VTAS) - an independent service for accelerated adoption of energy saving technologies

Tim Hardy, Vessel Technology Advice and Support for Fuel Efficient Shipping - Business Lead, BMT

In April 2018, the International Maritime Organization's (IMO) Marine Environment Protection Committee (MEPC) adopted an initial strategy on the reduction of Green House Gas (GHG) emissions from ships, setting out a vision to achieve at least a 50% reduction in emissions compared to 2008 levels by 2050, while, at the same time, pursuing efforts towards phasing them out entirely. Achieving this vision is one of the major challenges facing the shipping industry.

16:50 The first ever zero emission, autonomous ship to reduce diesel-powered truck haulage by 40,000 journeys a year

Bjorn Tore Orvik, MD and Project Lead, Yara*

17:10 Q&A

17:25 Wrap up of Day 1

Gavin Roser, Ambassador at Large, European Freight and Logistics Leaders Forum (F&L)

17:35 Conference close

19:30 Conference dinner

Day Two - Coastlink - Thursday 13 June 2019

Session 3 - Belt and Road – The real partnership with Europe? – How Chinese developments and investments are influencing European short sea shipping

Chair - Gavin Roser, Ambassador at Large, European Freight and Logistics Leaders Forum (F&L)

Moderator – Nick Lambert, Director, NLA Ltd

09:00 Coffee

09:15 Keynote address

David Marsden, Director UK, Benelux & Ireland, HKTDC*

09:35 Panel Discussion

Panellists include:

- Richard Ballantyne, Chief Executive, British Ports Association*,
- Speaker TBC, DIT China*,
- Speaker TBC, Mott-MacDonald*

11:00 Coffee & Networking

11:30 Research on SSS and MoS

Ignacio Torres, Researcher – Maritime Transport & Port Logistics, CENIT

11:50 One belt, one road

Matthew Wright, Chamber Policy, Chamber of Shipping*

12:10 Q&A

12:30 Wrap up of Conference

Gavin Roser, Ambassador at Large, European Freight and Logistics Leaders Forum (F&L)

12:40 Conference Close

12:40 Lunch

14:00 Port Tour

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