



MALTA MARITIME SUMMIT

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Malta Maritime Summit 2016

The Grand Hotel Excelsior

Monday 3rd October 2016

Parallel Events

15.30 Tripartite Ministerial Meeting between Malta-Greece-Cyprus

Castille Room Grand Hotel Excelsior

17.15 Inauguration of the Art Exhibition In Aid of the Apostleship of the Sea by The Minister for Transport and Infrastructure Hon. Joe Mizzi

Provence Room Grand Hotel Excelsior

16.30 - 18.30 Registration

Grand Hotel Excelsior

19:00 Welcome Reception

*Hosted by the Minister for Transport and Infrastructure, Republic of Malta
Hon. Joe Mizzi*

Venue: Upper Barrakka Gardens

Tuesday 4th October 2016

08.00 Registration and Welcome Coffee

09.00 Welcome Remarks

John A. Gauci-Maistre K.M. - C.E.O., GM International Conferences and Exhibitions Limited

09.10 Key Note Addresses

Hon. Joe Mizzi - Minister for Transport and Infrastructure, Republic of Malta

H.E. Kitack Lim - Secretary General, International Maritime Organisation

Commissioner Violeta Bulc - European Commissioner for Transport

09.30 Session 1 - Legislating For the Industry

Moderator

Nigel Lowry - Greece Correspondent, Lloyd's List

Panel

Hon. Theodoros Dritsas - Minister of Maritime Affairs & Insular Policy, Hellenic Republic

Hon. Marios Demetriades - Minister for Transport Communications and Works, Republic of Cyprus

Fotis Karamitsos - Director, European Commission

Peter Hinchliffe - Secretary General, International Chamber of Shipping

Patrick Verhoeven - Secretary General, European Community Shipowners' Association

Markku Mylly - Executive Director, European Maritime Safety Agency

Eduardo Chagas - General Secretary, European Transport Worker's Federation

10.30 Coffee Break

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11.00 Guest Speaker

Ravi K. Mehrotra CBE - Founder and Executive Chairman, Foresight Ltd

Fourth Industrial Revolution

11.15 Session 2 - Digitalisation & Ship Automation

Moderator

Patrick Verhoeven - Secretary General, European Community Shipowners' Association

Panel

Fotis Karamitsos - Director, European Commission

Leendert Bal - Head of Department Operations, European Maritime Safety Agency

Dr. Anil Sharma - President and C.E.O., GMS

12.30 Coffee Break

12.45 Session 3 - Human Resources & New Skills

Moderator

Eduardo Chagas - General Secretary, European Transport Worker's Federation

Panel

Ravi K. Mehrotra CBE - Founder and Executive Chairman, Foresight Limited

Anna Maria Darmanin - Secretary General, European Tugowners Association

Joseph Calleja - General Manager, Palumbo Malta Shipyard Limited

Dott. Emanuele Grimaldi - Managing Director, Grimaldi Group

14.00 Lunch

Sponsored by Gauci-Maistre Xynou (Legal / Assurance)

Parallel Events

EMSA Oil Pollution Response Vessel Open Visit Lascaris Wharf

09.30 - 10.30: Visit open to REMPEC participants

11.00 - 12.30: visit by VIP (IMO SG, Hon Ministers of Malta, Greece, Cyprus and TBC Hon. Ministers from Bosnia and Herzegovina (2) Director UNEP regional office for Europe and MAP Coordinator

15.30 - 16.30: visit by participants to the Malta Maritime Summit;

15.00 - 19.00 Parallel Event - REMPEC 40th anniversary conference (Private event for REMPEC Delegates)

Wednesday 5th October 2016

08.30 Registration and Welcome Coffee

The Grand Hotel Excelsior

09.00 Welcome Remarks from Host

John A. Gauci-Maistre K.M. - C.E.O., GM International Conferences and Exhibitions Limited

09.10 Key Note Address

Hon. Konrad Mizzi - Minister within the Office of the Prime Minister

09.35 Session 1 - Development of Smart and Environment Friendly Ships

Moderator

Bob Jaques - Editor, Seatrade Maritime Review

Panel

Dr Simone Borg - Ambassador for Malta on Climate Change

Peter Hinchliffe - General Secretary, International Chamber of Shipping

Greg Ogbeifun - President, Ship Owners Association Nigeria

Heiko Kunst - Policy Officer, European DG Clima

Mohamed Zaitoun - Assistant Vice President, New Building Technical Projects

David Kerr - Technical Attaché, Unit Coordinator - European Union Deputy permanent representative of Malta

Evangelos Chatzigiannis - Trader Responsible recycling Coordinator GMS Hellas

10.30 Coffee Break

11.00 Session 2 – Developments in Ports to Cater for Innovative Ships

Moderator

Greg Ogbeifun – President, Ship Owners Association Nigeria

Panel

Robert Yuksel Yildirim – President and CEO, Yildirim Holdings

Dr Raphael Von Heereman – Secretary General, Cruise Lines International Association

Mohamed Zaitoun – Assistant Vice President, New Building Technical Projects

Evangelos Chatzigiannis – Trader Responsible recycling Coordinator GMS Hellas

12.00 Coffee Break

12.30 Session 3 – Innovative Energy

Moderator

Dr Ing. Claire De Marco – Senior Lecturer, Faculty of Engineering, University of Malta

Panel

Prof. Yannis Maniatis – Member of the Hellenic Parliament, Former Minister of Energy of Greece

Conrad Thorpe OBE – C.E.O., Salama Fikira

Heiko Kunst – Policy Officer, European DG Clima

Avv. Francesco Lauro – Senior Partner, Studio Legale Lauro

Dr Arnold Cassola – Chairperson, Alternattiva Demokratika

14.00 Lunch

Thursday 6th October

08.30 Registration and Welcome Coffee

The Grand Hotel Excelsior

09.00 Welcome Remarks from Host

John A. Gauci-Maistre K.M. - C.E.O., GM International Conferences and Exhibitions Limited

09.10 Key Note Address

Hon. Edward Scicluna - Minister for Finance, Republic of Malta

09.30 Session 1 - Can the E.U. follow its Peers?

A conversation with Stathis D. Gourdomichalis, C.O.O., Blue Wall Shipping Limited & Jason Dallas, Co-Head Shipping Division, Alcimos

Hosted by Prof. Andreas G. Merikas - GMS

10.15 Coffee Break

10.45 Session 2 - Restructuring - Corporate Governance - Taxation

Moderators

Prof. Andreas G. Merikas - GMS

Dr Jean-Pie Gauci-Maistre - Managing Partner, Gauci-Maistre Xynou (Legal Assurance)

Panel

Murali Subramanian - Group C.E.O., FIMBank

Stathis D. Gourdomichalis - C.O.O., Blue Wall Shipping Limited

Dr Neville Gatt - Partner, PricewaterhouseCoopers

Dr Kevin Dingli - Managing Partner, Dingli & Dingli Law Firm

Gian Enzo Duci - Managing Director, ESA Group

12.00 Coffee Break

12.30 Alternative Ship Finance: Securitisation and the Capital Markets

Dr Nicholas Curmi - Associate, Ganado Advocates

13.00 Session 3 - The Cape Town Convention

Moderator

*Dr Ann Fenech - Managing Partner, Fenech & Fenech Advocates and President,
Malta Maritime Law Association*

Panel

Dr Daniel Aquilina - Partner, Ganado Advocates and Chairman, Malta Marittima

Dr Nicholas Valenzia - Partner, MAMO TCV Advocates

14.00 Closing Remarks and Lunch