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16th International Maritime Exhibition and Conference BALTEXPO 2011

6 - 8 September 2011, Olivia Hall, Gdańsk

Baltexpo Approaches

In September 2011, representatives of the shipbuilding industry, maritime economy, and seaports will meet for the 16th time at Poland's only International Maritime Exhibition and Conference, BALTEXPO 2011. The official opening will take place on 6 September 2011 at 10 a.m. at the Olivia Hall, Gdańsk.

It is proof of Baltexpo's prestige and importance that the event's Honorary Patrons include:

- Waldemar Pawlak, Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of the Economy
- Aleksander Grad, Minister of the Treasury
- the Ministry of Infrastructure
- Roman Zaborowski, Governor of Pomerania Province
- Mieczysław Struk, Marshal of Pomerania Province
- Paweł Adamowicz, Mayor of Gdańsk
- Wojciech Szczurek, Mayor of Gdynia
- the Polish Agency for Enterprise Development (PARP)
- the Polish Information and Foreign Investment Agency (PAIiIZ)
- the Forum Okrętowe Association of Polish Maritime Industries
- the Polish International Freight Forwarders Association (PISiL)
- the Polish Chamber of Commerce (KIG)

The event's partners are Stocznia Gdańsk S.A. and CESA (Community of European Shipyards Associations - Brussels)

The topics covered at BALTEXPO 2011 include the following segments of the maritime economy:

- Shipbuilding, ship repairs and overhauls, machinery, equipment
- Ports, infrastructure, services, terminals
- Transport, forwarding, and logistics
- Port and navigation safety and security
- Environmental protection
- Coastal and inland infrastructure
- Wind energy
- Maritime societies
- Services
- Publications

Following the requests and suggestions of the above-mentioned patrons, this year's Baltexpo is being prepared in close cooperation with the Ministry of Infrastructure, the Polish Information and Foreign Investment Agency (PAIiIZ), Stocznia Gdańsk S.A., the Maritime Office in Gdynia, the Port of Gdynia Authority, the Port of Gdańsk Authority, the Forum Okrętowe Association of Polish Maritime Industries, the Polish International Freight Forwarders Association, the Polish Chamber of Maritime Commerce, the Polish-German Chamber of Industry and Commerce, the Scandinavian-Polish Chamber of Commerce, the Polish Wind Energy Society in Gdańsk

The support received from the national and local government administration testifies to the fact that Baltexpo in Gdańsk will serve the developing maritime economy efficiently and effectively.

What's New?

- Apart from the core themes of Baltexpo, namely shipbuilding, ship repairs, outfitting, machinery, equipment, and steel structures, this year's event will focus special attention on port infrastructure, port services, transport, forwarding and logistics, port safety and security, navigation safety, and marine wind energy.

The exhibition will be divided into special thematic sectors, enabling visitors to review the range of products and services presented at the event quickly and efficiently.

- Extensive programme of accompanying events - 46 hours of the Baltexpo Maritime Conference.

To be held for the first time:

* Conference: Port and Navigation Safety on the Baltic Sea, organized in association with the monthly *Raport - Wojsko Technika Obronność*

* Conference: Marine Wind Energy and the Offshore Wind Industry, prepared in association with the Polish Wind Energy Society

* Transport, logistics, and forwarding issues will be discussed at the conference: The Future of Seaport Infrastructure in Poland

* Złota Kotwica (Golden Anchor Award) will be granted in the category of Personality of Maritime Economy

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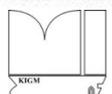


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INTERNATIONAL MARITIME CONFERENCE BALTEXPO 2011

Patronage of the Polish Presidency of the EU Council 2011



Patronat Polskiej Prezydencji

6 September 2011 – Tuesday

1. CONFERENCE: EUROPE'S SHIPBUILDING INDUSTRY - CONDITION, PROSPECTS, CHALLENGES

- Overview of Poland's shipbuilding industry, its competitive edge, opportunities for cooperation
- Europe's shipbuilding industry - strengths and production plans
- The future of financing the shipbuilding and maritime industries

Confirmed participants:

- Paweł Adamowicz, Mayor of Gdańsk
- Reinhard Luken, Secretary General, Community of European Shipyards Associations (CESA)
- Heine Zourek, European Commission Directorate General for Enterprise and Industry

2. CONFERENCE: THE FUTURE OF SEAPORT INFRASTRUCTURE IN POLAND

Partner: Port of Gdańsk Authority

- Seaport infrastructure investment projects
- Strategy of port development up to 2020/2030
- Transport, logistics, forwarding at seaports and inland. The development of intermodal transport



7 September 2011 – Wednesday

3. CONFERENCE: MARINE WIND ENERGY AND THE OFFSHORE WIND INDUSTRY

Co-organizer: Polish Wind Energy Society in Gdańsk

Session 1 Wind energy prospects for Europe and Poland

Session 2 Marine wind energy as a factor stimulating the development of the maritime economy

Session 3 Polish industry's proposals for the wind energy sector



4. CONFERENCE: PORT AND NAVIGATION SAFETY ON THE BALTIC SEA

Session 1 Protection of navigation and ports, threats and challenges

Session 2 Advanced technologies for sea region safety and security



5. CONFERENCE OF THE FORUM OKRĘTOWE ASSOCIATION OF POLISH MARITIME INDUSTRIES AND THE GDAŃSK UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY

8 September 2011 – Thursday

6. DEBATE ORGANIZED BY DZIENNIK BAŁTYCKI

7. SEMINAR 'IT TECHNOLOGIES FOR SHIPBUILDING INDUSTRY' TIPO 2011

Meetings and Business Matchmaking

The Baltexpo Maritime Exhibition and Conference is an opportunity to meet, talk to, and hold discussions with:

- top representatives of the national and local government administration
- managers of shipyards, ports, maritime offices, maritime industry companies, and wind energy companies
- engineers and technicians working for shipyards, offshore infrastructure, port and navigation security, and marine wind energy
- the business environment - suppliers of process lines, equipment, technologies, raw materials, and products for the maritime industry, ports, and wind power plants

Many specialists from Poland and other countries have confirmed their participation in the Exhibition and Conference

GOLDEN ANCHOR –Exhibition Award will be granted in the categories of: product, service and Personality of Maritime Economy

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