

GLOBAL Maritime India Summit 2023

17th October 2023 – 19th October 2023
Pragati Maidan, New Delhi

DAY 1 (17th October 2023)

1000 hrs – 1300 hrs	Conference Registration & Tea/Coffee
	Inaugural Session
1300 hrs – 1400 hrs	Networking Lunch
1400 hrs – 1530 hrs	Plenary Session 1: Developing Ports for the Future – Accelerated Shift towards Smart, Safe & Sustainable <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Smart Ports: <i>Driving Technological Advancements for the Future</i>• Focus on Green Port Development: <i>Sustainable Initiatives for reducing carbon emissions.</i>• The need for stronger Cyber Security measures in Ports and Terminals• Analysing the challenges and benefits of Port Automation• Global best practices in Smart Port Operations
1400 hrs – 1530 hrs (Breakout Session)	Breakout Session 1: Technical Session on Driving Innovation & Research in Maritime Sector <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Innovation in the maritime sector: <i>Aligning strategy with outcomes.</i>• Developing maritime capabilities through collaborative innovation• Requisite for developing Innovative Programs to drive Sustainable Development in the Maritime Sector• Encouraging research in maritime education and training• Exploring the immense potential of blue economy and its necessity of skilled manpower
1400 hrs – 1530 hrs (Breakout Session)	Special Session with Partner State/Partner Country 1
1530 hrs – 1700 hrs	GLOBAL CEO'S FORUM <p>Interaction of global CEOs with the Hon'ble Minister of PSW, Govt of India. The discussions will be moderator driven and the points/questions will be sought in advance.</p> <p><u>Proposed Topics of discussion:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• How are economic crises and trade wars impacting business operations?• How to accelerate the research and development of zero-carbon technologies?• How to address Cybersecurity Challenges in the Maritime Sector.• What are the key challenges ahead for CEOs of shipping and logistics sectors?• What strategies are employed to overcome these challenges?• Why skills development is vital for shipping's green transition?• What is likely to be the biggest game changer?
1700 hrs – 1730 hrs	Tea/Coffee Break
1730 hrs – 1900 hrs	Maritime Excellence Awards
1900 hrs onwards	Gala Dinner & Cultural Program

DAY 2 (18th October 2023)

1030 hrs – 1230 hrs	Plenary Session 2: Green Shipping – <i>Fast-tracking Decarbonisation of Maritime Sector</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Global trends towards greening of Ports & Shipping sector: <i>Evaluating ESG goals and vision.</i>• Carbon neutrality and pollution control measures for the Maritime sector• Adoption of Green Technologies and Alternative Fuel for a long-term decarbonisation vision• Maritime Green Corridors: Enabling zero-emission shipping?• International collaboration and sharing of learnings and best practices.
1030 hrs – 1200 hrs (Breakout Session)	Break Out Session 2: Focus on Maritime Safety & Security <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Strengthening International Cooperation and Coordination on Maritime Security• Coastal Security Threats & Collaborative Responses• Mitigating Natural Disasters & Maritime Threats• International Maritime Law & Role of Empowered Agencies• Role of drones and Artificial Intelligence for security patrol and environmental monitoring
1030 hrs – 1200 hrs (Breakout Session)	Special Session with Partner State /Partner Country 2
1230 hrs – 1400 hrs	Plenary Session 3: Inland Waterways & Coastal Shipping: <i>The way forward</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Promoting Regional Connectivity through Waterways• Developing Inland Waterways as an integrated element of multimodal economic corridors• Strategies & Roadmap to promote Coastal Shipping as preferred mode of transport.• Role of Coastal Shipping as a gateway to the landlocked states and region.• India as an emerging trans-shipment hub: <i>Raising India's share in maritime trade.</i>
1230 hrs – 1400 hrs (Breakout Session)	Breakout Session 3: Latest Trends in Shipping & Maritime Logistics <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Latest Trends of the Global Shipping Market• Demand for Multimodal Integration: <i>Towards assured connectivity</i>• Need for greater investments in MaritimeTransport Systems.• Developing Resilient Maritime Logistics for addressing global uncertainties.• Key Challenges and Opportunities for Freight Forwarders• Building Effective Response Strategies and Plans for Future
1230 hrs – 1400 hrs (Breakout Session)	Special Session with Partner State/Partner Country 3
1400 hrs – 1500 hrs	Networking Lunch

1500 hrs – 1630 hrs	<p>Plenary Session 4: Innovation & Emerging Technologies in Maritime Sector</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Steering operational excellence through IoT implementations, Blockchain, Automation, Data Analytics, etc. • ‘Green-tech’ in Maritime sector: <i>Pathway to zero carbon shipping</i> • Marine Renewable Energies: <i>Increased generation, usage, and sale of Renewable energy – solar, wind, hydrogen fuel cells</i> • Digital Solutions and Emerging Technologies for boosting Port Efficiency and enhancing ease of doing business. • 5G & Maritime Sector: Challenges & Opportunities
1500 hrs – 1630 hrs (Breakout Session)	<p>Break Out Session 4: Ocean, River Cruise & Lighthouse Tourism: <i>Tapping the Potential</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Positioning India as a Global Cruise Hub ▪ Development of infrastructure for Ocean and River Cruises ▪ Expectations of Cruise Lines from the Destinations ▪ Cruise Tourism Industry in India: Focus on Destination Development ▪ Possibilities and Prospects for growth of River Cruise Tourism ▪ Potential of Lighthouses for Tourism
1500 hrs – 1630 hrs (Breakout Session)	<p>Special Session with Partner State/Partner Country 4</p>

DAY 3 (19th October 2023)

1030 hrs– 1200 hrs	<p>Plenary Session 5: Shipbuilding, Ship repair and Ship recycling: <i>Emerging Opportunities</i></p> <p><u>Shipbuilding and Ship repair</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• India: '<i>Global Hub for Green Ship' building by 2030.</i>• Opportunities and Challenges for Shipbuilding industry• Regulatory support & Incentivisation for the sector• Developing ship repair clusters – for repairs of hull, engines, propulsion, electrical and electronic items <p><u>Ship recycling</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Status of ship recycling industry and the adoption of HKC convention compliances• Positioning India as a Green Ship Recycling Hub• Practices for safe and sustainable ship recycling
1030 hrs – 1200 hrs (Breakout Session)	<p>Break Out Session 5: Maritime Clusters: <i>Enhancing Productivity & Competitiveness</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Creating Successful Maritime Clusters: <i>Key Drivers and Criteria</i>• Enhancing the role of maritime clusters in implementing sustainable development• Leveraging port ecosystem for industrialization and generating new employment opportunities• Facilitating collaboration across industries.• Regulations & Policy Framework to enhance Maritime Cluster Development.• Accelerate development of port cities
1030 hrs – 1200 hrs (Breakout Session)	<p>Special Session with Partner State/Partner Country 5</p>
1200 hrs – 1330 hrs	<p>Breakout Session 6: Maritime Financing, Insurance & Arbitration</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Financing of ports, terminals, and port-based industries▪ Financing of coastal, inland waterways and allied infrastructure▪ Shipbuilding Finance: <i>Global best practices</i>▪ GIFT City: <i>Case study on Ship Acquisition, Financing and Leasing</i>▪ Green Financing: <i>Investment in new vessels, fuels, and infrastructure.</i> <p>Moulding India as a Maritime Re-insurance Hub</p>
1200 hrs – 1330 hrs (Breakout Session)	<p>Special Session with Partner State/Partner Country 6</p>
1330 hrs – 1400 hrs	<p>Valedictory Session</p>
1400 hrs	<p>End of Summit</p>