



Agenda

3rd Policy Forum Climate Change Adaptation in the Baltic Sea Region “Time to Baltadapt”

29 – 30 May 2013, Tallinn, Estonia

Venue: Radisson Blu Hotel Olümpia

Moderation: Mr Sam Grönholm, Åbo Akademi/ CBSS-Baltic 21

29 May 2013

11:00 – 11:30 Registration and coffee

11:30 – 12:15 **Welcome and opening speeches**

- Estonian Ministry of the Environment, Mr Meelis Münt, Deputy Secretary General
- Directorate General for Climate Action, European Commission, Mr Humberto Delgado-Rosa, Director Mainstreaming Adaptation and Low Carbon Technology
- EUSBSR Horizontal Action Leader Sustainable Development, Ms Krista Kampus, Senior Adviser, CBSS –Baltic 21

12:15 – 13:00 **Presentation of the 2nd draft of the Climate Change Adaptation Strategy and the Action Plan for the Baltic Sea Region**

- Ms Lotta Andersson, SMHI
- Ms Katrin Kiefer & Ms Susanne Altvater, German Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation and Nuclear Safety

13:00 – 14:00 *Lunch break*

14:00 – 15:00 **Panel discussion**

What is in it for us? Implementation of the Macro-Regional Climate Change Adaptation Strategy and Action Plan- linkages between EU-, macro-regional- and national adaptation strategies and actions

- Meelis Münt, Deputy Secretary General, Ministry for the Environment, Estonia
- Mr Humberto Delgado Rosa, Director General, Directorate General Climate Action, European Commission
- Mr Pier Carlo Sandei, Programme Officer, UNEP Vienna
- Ms Lisa van Well, Senior Research Fellow, Nordregio
- Krista Kampus, Head of CBSS-Baltic 21, EUSBSR HA Leader Sustainable Development

15:00 – 15:30 *Coffee break*

15:30 – 17:30 **Interactive working session 1 (Strategy and Action Plan)**

17:30 Summing-up first day, *Followed by reception with finger food and music*





30 May 2013

08:30-09:00 Registration

09:00 – 09:15 **The importance and added value of regional cooperation in climate change adaptation**, Mr Indrek Tarand, MEP

09:15 – 09:30 **Decreasing greenhouse gases - co-operation potentials for regional development**, Ms Carolina Gunnarsson, The Regional Council in Kalmar County, Sweden

09:30 – 10:30 **Linking up to European Climate Adaptation work**

- **The European climate adaptation knowledge - Setting the scene**, Mr Stéphane Isoard, Project Manager 'Adaptation and Economics' at the European Environment Agency
- **Climate-ADAPT – The European Climate Adaptation Platform**, Mr Raphael Sibille, Consultant Ricardo AEA
- **Outlook on the new Baltic Sea Region sub-section in Climate-ADAPT**, Mr Sebastian Ebert, Federal Environment Agency (UBA), Competence Center on Climate Impacts and Adaptation

10:30 – 10:50 *Coffee break*

10:50 – 12:20 **Thematic sessions**

Session 1: Financing adaptation measures: Ms Katrin Kiefer, German Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation and Nuclear Safety
Ms Susanne Altwater, German Federal Ministry for the Environment/ Ecologic Institute

Session 2: Civil protection and climate change adaptation – a dialogue in practice; organized by: EU Strategy for the Baltic Sea Region flagship project 14.3
Ms Emilia Wahlström, UNEP/ OCHA and Mr Karl Kerner, Norwegian Directorate for Civil Protection DSB, Moderation: Ms Eglė Obcarskaitė

Session 3: Spatial planning and land-based infrastructure, Head of Secretariat, Mr Talis Linkaits, VASAB Secretariat

Session 4: Climate smart Agriculture, Mr Hans von Essen, BERAS Secretariat

12:20 – 13:20 *Lunch*

13:20 – 14:45 Interactive working session 2 (Strategy and Action Plan)

14:45 – 15:15 Reporting from the sessions and Wrap-up

15:15 – 16:00 "Leave a message" - *Fare-well coffee*

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