
Maritime Transport: Going with the Wind

Exploring the potential of Wind Propulsion to contribute to the Green Deal

Thursday 17 June – 15:00 to 16:30 CEST

Online Meeting – Microsoft Teams

SEArICA has the pleasure of organising a webinar dedicated to wind propulsion for maritime transport with the support of the [International Windship Association](#) and its Europe-Atlantic hub coordinator, the association [Wind Ship](#).

2021-2030 has been announced as the 'Decade of Wind Propulsion' by the International Windship Association and its 130+ members, as it is a critically important decade for the shipping industry to deliver on decarbonisation. This online event will pull together a group of leading experts in wind propulsion technology to outline a radical paradigm shift. This approach can drastically reduce carbon and other GHG emissions from shipping, using a set of technologies and approaches already available today.

The webinar will provide a unique opportunity to present an up-to-date overview on the international wind propulsion developments and to highlight European policies in the field.

Opened by MEP **Jan Christoph OETJEN**, SEArICA Vice-Chair in charge of Maritime Transport. With the participation of MEP **Catherine CHABAUD**, SEArICA Vice-Chair in charge of Climate & Governance, MEP **Deirdre CLUNE**, SEArICA Member and MEP **Petros KOKKALIS**, SEArICA Vice-Chair in charge of Blue Economy, Maritime Industries and Ports.

Agenda

15.00 - 15.10 Welcome by MEP **Jan Christoph OETJEN**, SEArca Vice-Chair in charge of Maritime Transport

15.10 - 15.20 Wind propulsion development and challenges overview

Presentation by **Gavin ALLWRIGHT**, Secretary General, International Windship Association

15.20 - 16.25 Wind Propulsion, a tool to contribute to decarbonisation

Panel:

- **Lucy Gilliam**, Aviation and Shipping Campaigner, Transport & Environment **(T&E)** Representative from NGO
- **Dr. Vasileios Komas**, Senior Researcher at the Hapag-Lloyd Center for Shipping and Global Logistics (CSGL) of Kühne Logistics University, presentation of results from the WISP project
- **Jan Otto de Kat**, Representative from the WiSP JIP (ABS/MARIN)
- **Stéphanie Lesage**, Airseas, Technology supplier
- **Jean Zanuttini**, Neoline, future Shipowner
- **Marko Möller**, Manager Special Projects, **Scandlines**, Shipowner using a wind propulsion device
- **Lise Detrimont**, Association Wind Ship

Reactions by the European Commission

- **Linus Voskarides**, Policy Officer, Unit A2 Blue Economy Sectors, Aquaculture and Maritime Spatial Planning, DG Maritime Affairs and Fisheries

Reactions by SEArca MEPs

- MEP **Catherine CHABAUD**, SEArca Vice-Chair in charge of Climate & Governance
- MEP **Deirdre CLUNE**, SEArca Member
- MEP **Petros KOKKALIS**, SEArca Vice-Chair in charge of Blue Economy, Maritime Industries and Ports

16.25 – 16.30 Conclusions by MEP **Jan-Christoph OETJEN**, SEArca Vice-Chair in charge of Maritime Transport