



Federal Ministry
for the Environment, Nature Conservation,
Nuclear Safety and Consumer Protection



Together for ONE Wadden Sea World Heritage

14th Trilateral Governmental Conference of the Protection of the Wadden Sea

Wilhelmshaven, Germany, 28th November – 1st December 2022

Programme



Sunday, 27th November

16:00–20:00 Planetary – Trilateral Dark Sky Initiative

Location: UCI Kino

19:00–21:30 Film screening „Silence of the Tides“
including subsequent panel discussion

Location: UCI Kino

Monday, 28th November

13:00–14:00 Lunch and kick-off of pre-conference programme

Welcome by Prof Karin Lochte (Chair Wadden Sea Board)

Location: ATLANTIC Hotel, Wilhelmshaven I + II

14:00–16:00 Side events block 1: Thematic workshops in parallel

- Volunteer management in the Wadden Sea World Heritage: How the potential of former volunteers can continue to be harnessed for the region

Location: ATLANTIC Hotel, Travemünde I + II

Organiser: Watt°N: Netzwerk

- Community of Understanding Sediment Solutions

Location: ATLANTIC Hotel, Bremen II

Organiser: Programma naar een Rijke Waddenzee (PRW)

- Subtidal nature: an ecosystem-based approach in large strictly protected areas

Location: ATLANTIC Hotel, Bremen I

Organiser: Programma naar een Rijke Waddenzee (PRW)

16:00–18:00 Side events block 2: Thematic workshops in parallel

- Protect and Prosper: Benefits by linking sustainable development with nature protection

Location: ATLANTIC Hotel, Travemünde I + II

Organiser: PROWAD Link

- Say Wad?! Say adaptation?! Say action! Why Water as Leverage can be the difference in climate adaptation for the trilateral Wadden Sea region

Location: ATLANTIC Hotel, Bremen II

Organiser: Programma naar een Rijke Waddenzee (PRW)

- Climate vulnerability of nature in the trilateral Wadden Sea and the need for policy development

Location: ATLANTIC Hotel, Bremen I

Organiser: Programma naar een Rijke Waddenzee (PRW)

10:00–18:00

Conference
information and
registration desk

Location:

ATLANTIC Hotel, Lobby

12:00–17:00

External event

Wadden Sea Ports
Conference:
„Cooperation
for the benefit of
the Wadden Sea
Region“

Contact:

Niedersachsen Ports,

mwuczkowski@nports.de

Link:

[eu-cloud.bmu.de/index.](http://eu-cloud.bmu.de/index.php/s/rfMesq7b4q4aLWq)

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Location:

Logenhaus

14:00–18:00

Information stands
open to visit

Locations:

ATLANTIC Hotel, Lobby

(exhibition).

UNESCO Wadden

Sea World Heritage

Visitor Centre (guided

tours, WE ARE OCEAN

Wadden Sea, BfN

travelling exhibition

„Meer.Natur.Schutz.“,

UCI Kino (Planetarium),

Main station ([Glass Arc](#))



18:00–19:30 Joint dinner buffet

On invitation of the Interreg North Sea Region project
“PROWAD Link – Protect and Prosper”

Location: ATLANTIC Hotel, Wilhelmshaven I + II

20:00–22:00 Cultural Event „Zugvogelmusik“

Public concert performed by groups from countries along the East Atlantic Flyway

On invitation of the Ministry for the Environment, Energy and Climate Protection
of the State Lower Saxony

Location: Pumpwerk

Tuesday, 29th November

Side events block 3: Thematic workshops in parallel

08:30–13:00

• Shipping and ports

- MSC Zoe Workshop: “Lessons learned from the MSC ZOE disaster”

Location: ATLANTIC Hotel, Travemünde I + II, Wilhelmshaven II

Organiser: NL Ministry of Infrastructure and Water Management | Maritime Shipping & Wadden Sea Society

- WSF/WST and DBU Project: “Trilateral initiative for cooperation and dialogue between ports, shipping and nature conservation” Signing of ports-NGO agreement

Location: ATLANTIC Hotel, Travemünde I + II, Wilhelmshaven II

Organiser: Wadden Sea Team and Wadden Sea Forum

- MoU WATTfossilfrei: “WATTfossilfrei – An initiative for fossil-free leisure shipping in the Wadden Sea World Heritage”

Location: ATLANTIC Hotel, Travemünde I + II, Wilhelmshaven II

Organiser: DER MELLUMRAT e.V.

08:30–12:00

- UNESCO Biosphere Reserve – Sustaining the Wadden Sea World Heritage’s OUV and Meeting the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) Together with Stakeholders

12:00–14:00 Lunch

Location: ATLANTIC Hotel, Restaurant

13:00–14:15 Wadden Sea Board 39

Open for WSB members & advisors

Location: Location: ATLANTIC Hotel, Bremen I + II

08:30–18:00

Conference information and registration desk

Location:

ATLANTIC Hotel, Lobby

08:30–18:00

Information stands open to visit and parallel tours

Locations:

ATLANTIC Hotel, Lobby (exhibition).

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- 14:30–15:00 Welcome by**
Major Carsten Feist, City of Wilhelmshaven,
Ministers Steffi Lemke, German Ministry for the Environment, Nature
Conservation, Nuclear Safety and Consumer Protection **and**
Christian Meyer, Lower Saxon Ministry for the Environment, Energy and
Climate Protection
Reception on invitation of the City of Wilhelmshaven
Open for delegations; WSB members
Location: ATLANTIC Hotel, Wilhelmshaven I + II
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- 15:30–16:00 Meeting of Ministers with their national delegations**
Open for delegations
Locations: DEU: Bremen I + II
NLD: ATLANTIC Hotel, Travemünde I + II
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- 16:15–17:30 Governmental Council Meeting**
Open for delegations; WSB members & advisors; invited guests
Location: ATLANTIC Hotel, Bremen I + II
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- 17:30–18:30 Reception and welcome drink**
Location: UNESCO Wadden Sea World Heritage Visitor Centre
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- 18:30–21:00 Conference dinner with special programme**
On invitation of the Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation,
Nuclear Safety and Consumer Protection
Key Note by Arved Fuchs, Expeditioner: "Ocean Change"
Location: UNESCO Wadden Sea World Heritage Visitor Centre



Wednesday, 30th November

10:00–13:15 Trilateral Governmental Wadden Sea Conference

Location: ATLANTIC Hotel, Wilhelmshaven I + II

Moderation: Bärbel Fening

Tackling the Triple Crisis

Status of the Wadden Sea, Triple crisis, Climate change adaptation

Responsibility on a Global Scale

Wadden Sea Flyway Initiative, international collaboration

Strengthening Engagement and Working with Partners

The Trilateral Partnership Hub, Dark Sky Vision and the Shipping and Ports Initiative

Integrated Management of the Wadden Sea World Heritage

The SIMP

“Together for One Wadden Sea World Heritage”

Panel Discussion with Ministers and stakeholders

Trilateral Wadden Sea Cooperation (TWSC)

Handing over the TWSC-Presidency

13:15–14:30 Lunch

Location: ATLANTIC Hotel, Restaurant

14:15–15:00 Wadden Sea Board 40 chaired by the Danish chair

Open for WSB members & advisors

Location: ATLANTIC Hotel, Bremen I + II

18:00–22:00 Get-together dinner and music

Location: Pumpwerk

Thursday, 1st December

09:00–13:00 Excursions to the Lower Saxon Wadden Sea Region in parallel:

- Resting areas of migratory birds
- Lower Saxon Biosphere Region

08:30–18:00

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information and
registration desk

Location:

ATLANTIC Hotel, Lobby

08:30–10:15

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Main locations

ATLANTIC Hotel Wilhelmshaven

Address: Jadeallee 50, 26382 Wilhelmshaven



UNESCO Wadden Sea World Heritage Visitor Centre

Address: Südstrand 110b, 26382 Wilhelmshaven



Pumpwerk

Address: Banter Deich 1a, 26382 Wilhelmshaven



UCI Kino Wilhelmshaven

Address: Bahnhofstraße 22, 26382 Wilhelmshaven



Detailed information can be found in the document:
"Additional information on the programme"