

MEETING DOCUMENT

Wadden Sea Board (WSB 37)

26 August 2022
Wilhelmshaven



Agenda Item:	7 Trilateral Governmental Conference 2022
Subject:	Draft Conference Programme TGC 2022
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Submitted by:	Germany

The draft outline of the 14th Trilateral Governmental Wadden Sea Conference and Council Meeting is attached, as promised during the last WSB.

A 'Save the Date' for the Governmental Council Meeting has been sent out by the German Minister for Environment, Nature Conservation, Nuclear Safety and Consumer Protection to her colleagues and the Members and Advisors of the Wadden Sea Board.

The invitation to the 14th Trilateral Governmental Wadden Sea Conference will be sent out to the attendees in due time, including the information regarding registration formalities.

Proposal: The meeting is invited to note the information of the Draft Programme.

Preparation of the 14th Trilateral Governmental Conference (TGC) 2022
 Wilhelmshaven, Germany, 28 November - 1 December 2022

**Draft Programme Trilateral Governmental Wadden Sea Conference
 and Governmental Council Meeting**

TIME	PROGRAMME		
Monday 28 November			
10:00-13:00	Set up of information stands and exhibitions <i>Location: ATLANTIC Hotel, UNESCO Wadden Sea World Heritage Visitor Centre</i>		Conference information and registration desk <i>Location: Atlantic Hotel</i>
13:00-14:00	Lunch and kick-off of Pre-Conference Programme <i>Location: ATLANTIC Hotel</i>		
14:00-16:00	Side Events Block 1: Thematic workshops in parallel Volunteer management, Water as leverage, Community of Understanding Sediment Solutions <i>Location: ATLANTIC Hotel</i>	Information stands open to visit	
16:00-18:00	Side Events Block 2: Thematic Workshops in parallel PROWAD Link Protect and Prosper: Benefits by linking sustainable development with nature protection, Submarine nature, Climate vulnerability and birds <i>Location: ATLANTIC Hotel</i>	<i>Locations: Atlantic Hotel, UNESCO Wadden Sea World Heritage Visitor Centre</i>	
18:00-19:30	Joint dinner buffet <i>Location: ATLANTIC Hotel</i>		
20:00-21:00	Cultural (Public) Event “Zugvogelmusik” (“Migratory Bird Music”) <i>Location: Pumpwerk</i>		
Tuesday 29 November			
08:30		Information stands open to visit and parallel tours	Conference information and registration desk <i>Location: Atlantic Hotel</i>
09:00 -12:00 (tba)	Side Events Block 3: Thematic Workshops in parallel <i>Shipping and Ports, UNESCO Biosphere Reserve</i> <i>Location: ATLANTIC Hotel</i>	<i>Locations: Atlantic Hotel, UNESCO Wadden Sea World Heritage Visitor Centre, Institute for Chemistry and Biology of the Marine Environment (ICBM) University of Oldenburg, Trilateral Wadden Sea World</i>	
	Lunch break <i>Location: ATLANTIC Hotel</i>		
13:00-14:30	WSB 39 (tentative) (upon invitation), <i>Location: ATLANTIC Hotelfinivat</i>		
14:45-15:30 (tbc)	Welcome by Ministers Steffi Lemke, BMUV Germany and Olaf Lies, Lower Saxony (tbc) <i>Location: ATLANTIC Hotel</i>		

15:45-16:30 (tbc)	Meeting ministers with their national delegations <i>(Upon invitation), Locations: ATLANTIC Hotel, Jade-Innovationszentrum</i>	Heritage Partnership Centre, (TWWP)-construction site	
17:15-18:30	Round tours with Ministers of partners' information stands and exhibitions <i>Location: UNESCO Wadden Sea World Heritage Visitor Centre</i>		
18:30-21:00	Conference dinner with special programme <i>Location: UNESCO Wadden Sea World Heritage Visitor Centre</i>		
TIME	PROGRAMME		
Wednesday 30 November			
08:30-09:30	Governmental Council Meeting Including statements of the advisors of the WSB (WSF and NGO's). <i>(Upon invitation: delegations; WSB members & advisors; special (international) guests), Location: ATLANTIC Hotel</i>	Conference information and registration desk <i>Location: ATLANTIC Hotel</i>	
09:30-10:15	Tour of the partners' information stands with Ministers <i>Location: ATLANTIC Hotel</i>		
10:15 - 13:00	Trilateral Governmental Wadden Sea Conference <i>Location: ATLANTIC Hotel</i> Opening of the Conference and Statements by Ministers Setting the scene: Tackling the triple crisis Quality Status Report Wadden Sea, climate change and biodiversity loss Responsibility on a Global Scale Wadden Sea Flyway initiative, international collaboration Strengthen Engagement and Working with Partners Partnership Hub and the Wadden Sea Foundation "Together for One Wadden Sea World Heritage" / SIMP Podium discussion on various topics with Ministers and stakeholders Presentation and Signing of the Wilhelmshaven Declaration 2022 Closing of the Conference		
	Lunch		
13:30-14:00	Press Conference		
14:15-15:00	WSB 40 chaired by the new Danish chair <i>(Upon invitation), Location: ATLANTIC Hotel</i>		
18:00-20:00	Informal dinner and music <i>Location: Pumpwerk Bistro</i>		
Thursday 1 December			
9:00 - 13:00	Excursions to the Lower Saxon Wadden Sea Region in parallel: - Migratory Birds - Biosphere Region		

Main-Locations:

ATLANTIC Hotel Wilhelmshaven



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UNESCO Wadden Sea World Heritage Visitor Centre



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