

Inland Ports Innovation Days

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Duisburg, Germany

DST – Development Centre for Ship
Technology and Transport Systems

Oststraße 77, 47057 Duisburg

Learn about the innovations developed in Europe's inland ports, and explore how these results are shaping a more sustainable and connected freight ecosystem!

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Agenda

Moderation: Lisa-Maria Putz-Egger – Professor for Sustainable Transport,
University of Applied Sciences Upper Austria

12:00 Lunch

13:00 Welcome

Rupert Henn – Managing Director, DST – Development Centre for
Ship Technology and Transport Systems

Markus Bangen – CEO, duisport – Duisburger Hafen AG

Herbert Pribitzer – Adviser to the European Coordinator of the Rhine-
Danube European Transport Corridor, European Commission

Uwe Köhn – President European Federation of Inland Ports (EFIP),
Director Port of Mannheim

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Susanne Lanzerstorfer – Project Advisor Transport Industry (Aviation
and Waterborne) – European Climate, Infrastructure and Environment
Agency, CINEA

Jan-Christoph Maass – Senior Manager – Research & Innovation,
duisport – Duisburger Hafen AG – Project MultiRELOAD

14:45 Panel 1 "Policy & Strategy"

Moderation: Katja von Loringhoven – Head of
Stakeholdermanagement, duisport – Duisburger Hafen AG

Pitches:

Jasper Tanis – EU Transport & Infrastructure Policy Consultant,
Ecorys – Project Green Inland Ports & Project DiVINE

N.N. – Project Pioneers

Panel:

Uwe Köhn – President European Federation of Inland Ports (EFIP),
Director Port of Mannheim

Fernando Liesa – Secretary General, Alliance for Logistics Innovation
through Collaboration in Europe (ALICE)

Manfred Rausch – Project Manager, Ports de Strasbourg (PAS)

Alexander Garbar – Head of Corporate Development, Digitalization
and Strategy, duisport – Duisburger Hafen AG

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16:15	Tour of DST's research facilities - Part I
17:00	Panel 2 "Multimodality" <u>Moderation:</u> Martin Posset – Chief Innovation Officer, thinkport VIENNA <u>Pitches:</u> Peter Rojko – Head of Business Development and International Affairs, Hafen Wien GmbH – Project MultiRELOAD Orestis Tsolakis – Research Associate, Hellenic Institute of Transport – Project ForFreight
	<u>Panel:</u> Henrike Bauer – Deputy Head of Business Development and International Affairs, Hafen Wien GmbH Orestis Tsolakis – Research Associate, Hellenic Institute of Transport – Project ForFreight Zoltan Fabian – Managing Director at Mahart Container Center Ltd. Ben Wassener-Jühe – Deputy Head of Terminals & Intermodal Strategy, duisport – Duisburger Hafen AG
18:30	Tour of DST's research facilities - Part II
19:00	Networking Dinner

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09:00 Innovation site visit in the Port of Duisburg

11:30 Panel 3 “Digitalisation & Automation”

Moderation:

Elvina Nowak – Project manager, ALICE – Alliance for Logistics Innovation through Collaboration in Europe

Pitches:

Aurel Wernli – Managing Director, RheinPorts GmbH – Project MultiRELOAD

Achim Klukas – Team Leader Multimodal Transport, Fraunhofer IML – Projects TOLKIEN & CRISTAL

Cyril Alias – Department Head Logistics & Transportation, DST – Development Centre for Ship Technology and Transport Systems – Projects AUTOFLEX & SEAMLESS

Panel:

Aurel Wernli – Managing Director, RheinPorts GmbH

Lars Stemmler – Head of International Projects, bremenports GmbH & Co. KG

Herfried Leitner – General Manager at TTS (Transport Trade Services) GmbH

Achim Klukas – Team Leader Multimodal Transport, Fraunhofer IML

Kristoffer Kloch – PHD Fellow, DFDS / Aalborg University

13:00 Closure

Lisa-Maria Putz-Egger & Jan-Christoph Maass

13:15 Light lunch