

Danube Ports Info Day 2019

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Date & Time: 05 June 2019 / 12:00 – 14:00

Venue: Transport Logistic Fair Munich
Hall B3 / 306
Stand “ Treffpunkt Donau Österreich”
organised by Austrian Ports Association
IGÖD together with via donau
Messe München, Messegelände,
81823 München, Germany



Rationale for the meeting

The Danube Ports Info Day is meant to promote Danube Ports as logistics & service hubs as well as ideal locations to setting up businesses needing waterborne & intermodal logistics infrastructure. It was agreed among the DAPhNE partners to choose the Transport Logistic Fair in Munich as most suitable event.

With more than 2.000 exhibitors and 50.000 trade visitors, the Transport Logistic Fair in Munich is the world's leading trade fair for logistics, mobility, IT and supply chain management, allowing its visitors to discuss the latest developments and concepts, get a comprehensive market overview and close important deals. The Fair in Munich also represents the most relevant event for logistics in Central and South-Eastern Europe, it can therefore be considered as lead event for logistics also for the entire Danube region.

The “Danube Ports Info Day” events shall facilitate a structured discussion on port development opportunities touching on topics such as port infrastructure, port innovation & digitalization, new markets in the Danube Region, human resources and capacity building in ports. These shall enable Danube Ports to transform more effectively into centres for regional development. The dialogue between industry representatives and port authorities will identify requirements for cost-effective logistics solutions and shortcomings as well as special investment / co-operation opportunities.

The second edition of the Danube Ports Info Day is organised by Pro Danube International and Port of Enns together with its partners within the EU-funded DAPhNE project – Danube Ports Network, which receives EU support under the Danube Transnational Program.

Agenda

12:00 – 12:15

Welcome & introduction to the DAPhNE project

- Welcome from the host of the stand “Treffpunkt Donau Österreich” – Friedrich Lehr, Chairman Austrian Public Ports, new President of EFIP
- Welcome from Robert Rafael, General Secretary Pro Danube International

As from 12:15

Snack buffet available & networking opportunities

12:15 – 13:30

Panel discussion with regard to port modernization & New markets opportunities

The panel discussion addresses investment, innovation and digitalisation opportunities in and for ports triggered by new markets opportunities and the related cargo types and associated services. To encourage information exchange and promotion, the Port Info Day foresees an interactive panel discussion as follows:

- **DAPhNE Partners panelists – Port modernization needs to support new markets development opportunities**
 1. **Werner Auer (Ennshafen OÖ GmbH - EHOÖ) – MODERATOR**
 2. *Srdja Ljesevic, Port Governance Agency (PGA)*
 3. *Zoia Floroiu, National Company Maritime Ports Administration Constanta (MPAC)*
 4. *Fábián Zoltán, Hungarian Federation of Inland Ports (HFIP)*
 5. *Sasa Jovanovic, iC consulenten ZT GesmbH (iC)*
 6. *Herfried Leitner, Pro Danube International (PDI)*
 7. *Friedrich Lehr, Port of Vienna (ASP)*
 8. *Thomas Moser, Danube Logistics SRL (ASP)*

13:30

Conclusions from the panel discussion and closing remarks from the hosts of the event



Figure: Layout of Stand of Austrian Ports which will host Danube Ports Info Day

Annex 1: List of Participants

Registration link:

<https://ec.europa.eu/eusurvey/runner/DAPhNE Port Info Day 2019 Munich>

#	Organisation	Name	Function	Country
1	PDM	Manfred Seitz	Managing Director	AT
2	PDI	Robert Rafael	Gen. Secretary	AT
3	PDI	Ruxandra Florescu	Project Manager	AT
4	PDM	Markus Eppich	Project Manager	AT
5	PDI	Christian Stark	Jr. Project Manager	AT
6	PDI	Charlotte Siot	Jr. Project Manager	AT
7	EHOO	Karin Kainzinger	Marketing & Project Manager	AT
8	EHOO	Werner Auer	Managing Director	AT
9	EHOO	Christina Huber	Marketing & Services	AT

Tips for DAPhNE partners:

1. Registering online for the Transport Logistic Fair Munich will save you time and money. Registration can be done at: <http://www.transportlogistic.de/trade-fair/visitors/purchase-ticket/index.html>
2. Registration for the Danube Ports Info Day is free of charge and can be done by sending a confirmation email to florescu@prodanube.eu by 27 May 2019.
3. Suitable accommodation options can be found at: www.transportlogistic.de/hotels/en
4. The best ways to reach the event's location are presented here: <http://www.transportlogistic.de/travel-stay/getting-there/>
5. You may subscribe to the free transport logistic visitor newsletter to ensure you always receive the latest information about exhibition here: <http://www.transportlogistic.de/trade-fair/exhibition-profile/newsletter/>