



## XIII CONGRESO MARÍTIMO PORTUARIO

*“Competitive and Sustainable Port Management”*

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## DRAFT AGENDA

Monday, November 19

8:00 - 9:00	<b>Registration</b>
9:00 – 09:30	<b>Opening Ceremony</b> Guatemalan National Anthem Opening Remarks
09:30 – 9:45	<i>Time Adjustment</i>
9:45 – 10:30	<b>Keynote Speech “Competitive and Sustainable Port Management as key to Competitiveness”</b> <b>Robert West</b> , Chief Senior Consultant, International Ports & Marine Terminals, United States
10:30 – 10:50	Coffee Break
10:50 – 12:05	<b>Port Protection and Competitiveness – Finding the Right Balance</b> <i>Moderator: Jorge Durán, Secretary, Inter-American Committee on Ports (CIP), Organization of American States (OAS)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Andrew Baskin</b>, Vice President, Global Policy and Trade, HudsonAnalytix, United States</li><li>• <b>Brian Sullivan</b>, Program Manager, Port and Maritime Protection, CICTE-OAS, Washington</li><li>• <b>Troy Vest</b>, Director for Maritime and International Affairs, Gnostech Inc., United States</li><li>• Q&amp;A</li></ul>
12:05 – 13:20	<b>Public – Private Partnerships: Investing to Improve Port Infrastructure</b> <i>Moderator: Guimara Tuñón, Director General for Ports and Auxiliary Maritime Industries, Panama Maritime Authority (AMP), Panama</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Alejandro Trillo</b>, Director, Maritime Sustainability, TGM</li><li>• <b>Jorge Durán</b>, Secretary, Inter-American Committee on Ports (CIP), Organization of American States (OAS)</li><li>• <b>Roberto Sagastume</b>, Executive Director for ANADIE, Ministry of Economy, Guatemala</li><li>• Q&amp;A</li></ul>

13:20 – 13:30	<b>Official Group Picture</b>
13:30 – 14:50	Lunch
14:50 – 16:05	<p><b>Sustainable and Competitive Port Management</b>  <i>Moderator: Jorge Durán, Secretary, Inter-American Committee on Ports (CIP), Organization of American States (OAS)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Guimara Tuñón</b>, Director General for Ports and Auxiliary Maritime Industries, Panama Maritime Authority (AMP), Panama</li> <li>• <b>Omar Zuniga</b>, Chairman of the Board of Directors, National Port Enterprise, Honduras</li> <li>• <b>Andres Castellanos</b>, Northern University, Colombia</li> <li>• Q&amp;A</li> </ul>
16:05 - 16:25	Coffee Break
16:25 – 17:10	<p><b>Keynote Speech: Port Evolution: Key Aspects of Port Evolution</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Miguel Garín</b>, Director of International Development, ValenciaPort Foundation, Spain</li> <li>• Q&amp;A</li> </ul>
19:00 – 21:30	<p><b>Welcome Dinner</b>  April Theater  Sponsored by the National Port Commission (CPN) of Guatemala</p>

## Tuesday, November 20

9:00 - 10:15	<p><b>Trade Facilitation through an Effective Logistics Chain</b>  <i>Moderator: Miguel Garín, Director of International Development, Valenciaport Foundation, Spain</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Maria Eugenia Cardozo</b>, Head of Engineering and Technology, National Institute for Logistics (INALOG), Uruguay</li> <li>• <b>Sylvia Ernest</b>, Director General, API Mazatlan, Mexico</li> <li>• <b>Werner Ovalle</b>, Customs Expert, SAT, Guatemala</li> <li>• Q&amp;A</li> </ul>
10:20 - 10:40	Coffee Break
10:40 - 12:10	<p><b>Technological Innovation for Port Modernization</b>  <i>Moderator: Anuj Chopra, Vice President for the Americas, RightShip, Australia</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Salvador Navarro</b>, Technical Director of Program Evaluation, General Coordination for Ports and Merchant Marine, Secretariat of Communication and Transport, Mexico</li> <li>• <b>Michael Edgerton</b>, Vice President, HudsonTrident, United States</li> <li>• <b>Omar Ramírez</b>, Member, Guatemala Shipping Association</li> <li>• <b>Katey Groves</b>, Program Manager, Valiant Integrated Services, United States</li> <li>• Q&amp;A</li> </ul>
12:20 – 14:00	Lunch

14:00 - 15:15	<p><b>Port Development in Guatemala</b>  <i>Moderator: Javier Zepeda, Industry Camera</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Bayron Monterrosa</b>, President, Santo Tomas de Castilla Port, Guatemala</li> <li>• <b>Hector Recinos</b>, Vice minister for Ports, Port Authority, Guatemala</li> <li>• <b>Quetzal Port Enterprise</b></li> <li>• <b>Ramsés Lobo</b>, Logistics Manager, Terminal Ferroviaria Puerto Barrios</li> <li>• Q&amp;A</li> </ul>
15:15 – 15:35	Coffee Break
15:40 – 16:55	<p><b>Best Practices: Sustainable Port Development and Environmental Protection</b>  <i>Moderator: Nolasco Salazar, General Manager, ENAPRO, Argentina</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Anuj Chopra</b>, Vice President for the Americas, RightShip, Australia</li> <li>• <b>Otto Noack</b>, Executive Director, Central-American Commission on Maritime Transport (COCATRAM)</li> <li>• <b>Jurgen Bartelink</b>, Regional Economic Envoy, Embassy of the Kingdom of the Netherlands</li> <li>• Q&amp;A</li> </ul>
17:00 – 17:45	<p><b>Round Table and Conclusions</b>  <i>Moderator: Miguel Garín, Director of International Development, ValenciaPort Foundation, Spain</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Guimara Tuñón</b>, Director General for Ports and Auxiliary Maritime Industries, Panama Maritime Authority (AMP), Panama</li> <li>• <b>Omar Zuniga</b>, Chairman of the Board of Directors, National Port Enterprise, Honduras</li> <li>• <b>Otto Noack</b>, Executive Director, Central-American Commission on Maritime Transport (COCATRAM)</li> <li>• <b>Rodolfo Ferber</b>, President, National Port Commission, Guatemala</li> </ul>
17:45 – 18:00	<p><b>Closing Ceremony</b>  Closing Remarks</p>
19:00 - 21:30	<p><b>Closing Cocktail</b>  Hotel Westin Camino Real  Sponsored by Terminal Ferroviaria de Puerto Barrios</p>