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Inter-American Committee on Ports



Hemispheric Conference on Waterways, Inland and Cruise Ports: Strengthening security and resilience

DRAFT AGENDA

TUESDAY APRIL 28, 2026

Argentina time (GMT-3)

INAUGURATION - WELCOME REMARKS

- **Jorge Durán**
 - Chief of the Secretariat of the Inter-American Committee on Ports (CIP) of the Organization of American States (OAS) **10:00 AM**
- **Iñaki Arreseygör**
 - Chief Executive Officer, National Agency of Ports and Navigation (ANPYN), Argentina -
 - Chair of the Technical Advisory Group (TAG) of Waterways, Inland and Cruise Ports **10:20 AM**

WATERWAYS AS STRATEGIC LOGISTICS CORRIDORS

Moderator: Sabina Malnis, CIP Secretariat

10:30 AM

- **Rep. National Port Administration (ANP)**, Uruguay -
- **Rep. Ministry of Ports and Airports**, Brazil **11:30 AM**
- **Ariel Cherubini**, Port Engineering and Waterways Manager, ANPYN, Argentina

CRUISE PORT INFRASTRUCTURE: TOWARDS MORE RESILIENT PORTS

Moderator: Montserrat Ambriz, CIP Secretariat

11:35 AM

- **Darwin Telemaque**, Chief Executive Officer, Antigua & Barbuda Port Authority -
- **Cap. Manuel Gutierrez Gallardo**, Chief of Ports and Merchant Navy, Navy Secretariat, Mexico **12:35 AM**
- **Gordon Shirley**, Chief Executive Officer, Port Authority of Jamaica

SUSTAINABLE DREDGING FOR ENHANCED PORT COMPETITIVENESS

Moderator: Sabina Malnis, CIP Secretariat

12:40 AM

- **Calvin Creech**, Vicepresident to the Americas, World Association for Waterborne Transport Infrastructure (PIANC) - U.S. Section; Lead Engineer, United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE), United States -
- **Arnold de Brujin**, Secretary General, International Association of Dredging Companies (IADC) **01:35 PM**
- **Rep. Port of San Francisco do Sul**, Brazil

END DAY 1



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OPENING REMARKS DAY 2

10:25 AM

- **Jorge Durán**, Chief of the Secretariat of the Inter-American Committee on Ports (CIP) of the Organization of American States (OAS)

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10:30 AM

DIGITALIZATION AND SMART PORTS IN INLAND WATERWAY SYSTEMS

Moderator: Sabina Malnis, CIP Secretariat

10:35 AM

- **Rep. National Administration of Navigation and Ports (ANNP)**, Paraguay
- **Ismael Torres Boigues**, Gerente de Desarrollo de Negocios LATAM, Prodevelop, España
- **Rep. National Port Administration (ANP)**, Uruguay

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11:35 AM

SAFETY AND RISK MANAGEMENT IN CARIBBEAN CRUISE PORTS

Moderator: Mona Swoboda, CIP Secretariat

11:40 AM

- **Marcia Charles-Elbourne**, General Manager, Port Authority of Trinidad and Tobago
- **Berne Wright**, Port Comptroller, The Government of Bahamas Port Department
- **David Jean-Marie**, Chief Executive Officer, Barbados Port Inc.

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12:40 PM

HUMAN CAPITAL AND CAPACITY BUILDING FOR THE FUTURE OF THE PORT SECTOR

Moderator: Sabina Malnis, CIP Secretariat

12:45 PM

- **Zulma Dinelli**, Chief Executive Officer, PR PORTS
- **Manon Van Goethem**, Training Executive, Antwerp/Flanders Port Training Center (APEC), Port of Antwerp-Brugges, Belgium
- **Marcelo Teper**, Director, Maritime and Port Training Center (CEMAPOR), Argentina

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01:45 PM

CLOSING REMARKS

- **Iñaki Arreseygor**
 - Chief Executive Officer, National Agency of Ports and Navigation (ANPYN), Argentina
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- **Jorge Durán**
 - Chief of the Secretariat of the Inter-American Committee on Ports (CIP) of the Organization of American States (OAS)

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02:00 PM



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