

The Secretariat of the Inter-American Committee on Ports (CIP) of the Organization of American States (OAS) is pleased to share the electronic bulletin "CIP Highlights".



RightShip Forum: Managing Risks in Gas Shipping

September 16, 2024

RightShip announces the RightShip Forum on Risk Management in Gas Transportation, which will be held on September 16, 2024 in Houston, USA.

The main objective of the event is to share best practices and knowledge to facilitate

sustainable and safe gas transport, paving the way for a damage-free future.

For more information click [here](#).

The poster features the following text and logos:

- Logos: OEA (Mis derechos para más gente), WISTA Perú, CIP (Comité Interamericano de Puertos), DP WORLD, COMPAS, and APM TERMINALS (Lifting Global Trade).
- Text: PRESENTA
- Event Title: PRÁCTICAS EXITOSAS EN RESPONSABILIDAD SOCIAL EN EL PUERTO
- Date: 26 DE SEPTIEMBRE, 2024
- Time: 11:00AM - 12:30 PM Washington D.C. (10:00AM - 11:30AM Lima, Perú)
- Agenda:
 - 11:00 - 11:10 - Apertura: Secretaría de la CIP y WISTA Perú
 - 11:10 - 11:25 - DP World Callao, Perú
 - 11:30 - 11:45 - COMPAS, Colombia
 - 11:50 - 12:05 - APM Terminals Moín, Costa Rica
 - 12:05 - 12:20 - Sesión de Preguntas y Respuestas: Secretaría de la CIP
 - 12:20 - 12:30 - Clausura: Secretaría de la CIP y WISTA Perú
- Logos at the bottom: ID, zoom, and Presentado por el Socio Estratégico de la CIP.

Webinar on Successful Practices in Social Responsibility in Ports

September 26, 2024

The Secretariat of the Inter-American Committee on Ports, in collaboration with the Women's International Shipping & Trading Association in Peru (WISTA Peru), will hold the Webinar "Successful Practices in Social Responsibility in Ports", on Thursday, September 26, 2024 at 11:00 am Washington, D.C..

The webinar will feature the participation of experts from DP World Callao, Peru, from the company COMPAS, Colombia and APM Terminals Moín, Costa Rica, who will present on the responsibility and impact of their operations on society and the environment.

For more information, please contact Monica Blanco from the CIP Secretariat at mblanco@oas.org



XXXIII La Jolla Energy Conference

October 16-17, 2024

The Institute of the Americas (IOA) announces the XXXIII La Jolla Energy Conference, to be held on October 16 and 17, 2024, in La Jolla, United States.

This year, the event aims to discuss the future of energy in Latin America and the Caribbean, exposing the main trends, challenges and opportunities within the energy industry.

For more information click [here](#).



Conference on Integrating Dredging in Sustainable Development

October 18, 2024

Registration for the Conference on Integrating Dredging in Sustainable Development, organized by the International Association of Dredging Companies (IADC) and PIANC, is now open. The event will take place on October 18, 2024, in Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam.

This conference aims to provide essential knowledge for planners, designers, decision-makers, regulators, contractors, project owners and environmental advocates on sustainable dredging and related issues.

For more information click [here](#).



**5th Hemispheric Conference on Port Security and Protection: Resilient Ports
for a Resilient Hemisphere**

October 30 - November 1, 2024

The CIP Secretariat, in coordination with Barbados Port Inc. (BPI), and with the institutional support from the United States Maritime Administration (MARAD) and financial support from the United States Department of State through the United States Permanent Mission to the OAS, is pleased to announce the 5th Hemispheric Conference on Port Security and Protection: Resilient Ports for a Resilient Hemisphere, to be held October 30, 31, and November 1, 2024 in Washington D.C..

This Hemispheric event will bring together public and private decision-makers from the port and maritime sectors to discuss the challenges and opportunities for increased resiliency in the region's ports. The conference will also address the competitive advantages of integrated risk management in ports and offer actionable recommendations to bolster security, operations, digitalization, and the use of emerging technologies.

For more information, please contact Ms. Mona Swoboda, mwsoboda@oas.org cc. Ms. Sabina Malnis, smalnis@oas.org from the CIP Secretariat.



**5th Hemispheric Seminar on Public Policy, Legislation and Regulation and
18th Port Maritime Congress**

November 6 - 8, 2024

The CIP Secretariat in collaboration with the National Port Commission of Guatemala (CPN) are pleased to announce the 5th Hemispheric Seminar on Public Policy, Legislation and Regulation and the 18th Port Maritime Congress to be held in November 6 - 8, 2024 in Guatemala City, Guatemala.

This event will bring together port experts from the hemisphere that will tackle the biggest challenges the sector faces and discuss trends on topics such as legislation,

sustainability, security, among others.

For more information click [here](#) or contact Mona Swoboda at mswoboda@oas.org
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National Award of Order and Distinction

The CIP Secretariat has the honor to extend a cordial congratulation to the President of Maritime Caribbean University, Professor Andrew Spencer who has received the national award of Order of Distinction (OD) in the rank of Commander (CD).

The OD is a national order in the Jamaica Honours System awarded to citizens who have rendered outstanding and important service to the country.



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Comprehensive Measures for Port Security

The CIP Secretariat is pleased to announce the publication of the article "Comprehensive Measures for Port Security" written by Commander Enrique Ochoa.

This article addresses the main needs of port safety and security such as terrorism, cybersecurity and protection against accidents and natural disasters.

To read this article, please click [here](#)

The logo for Resilience4Ports, featuring the text "Resilience4Ports" in a bold, red, sans-serif font. The text is contained within a white rectangular box with a thin black border.

Resilience4Ports (R4P) program launches framework to enhance port resilience

Resilience4Ports (R4P) is a multi-stakeholder whole-system approach in the global maritime sector that seeks to enhance the resilience of ports and the communities that rely on them. As the world undergoes fundamental shifts due to decarbonisation, technological advancement and climate change, R4P seeks to ensure that maritime systems can withstand, recover from and respond to these changes. The programme is led by the [International Coalition for Sustainable Infrastructure \(ICSI\)](#) (previously Resilience Rising) and supported by core partners [Arup](#), the [Climate Champions Team](#) and [Lloyd's Register Foundation](#).

The [R4P framework](#) is developed to enhance port resilience and it aligns with the ambitions of the Adaptation and Resilience Breakthroughs defined by the UN High Level Climate Champions for the shipping sector. [It supports Breakthroughs and three of the Resilience Impact Systems defined in the Sharm El Sheik Adaptation Agenda \(SAA\) and will track and report progress against these three targets.](#) For more information, please visit: [Resilience4Ports - International Coalition for Sustainable Infrastructure \(sustainability-coalition.org\)](#)”

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To receive information on collaboration opportunities, please click [here](#) or communicate directly with the CIP Secretariat.
