







## Invitation

Limassol Municipality and Frederick University cordially invite you to participate in the Webinar: Blue Limassol Forum 2020.

## Sustainable Coastal, Marine & Maritime Environment

Friday, 29 May 2020, 17:30-19:30

Blue Limassol Forum is an annual event, established in 2020 by the Mayor of Limassol, Mr Nicos Nicolaides. The Forum aims to air key issues and initiatives directly linked to the Blue Economy, capitalizing upon Limassol's unique characteristics as a leading commercial and shipping centre and a major coastal port city in the SE Mediterranean, as well as promoting maritime and environmental awareness amongst local citizens.

This year's Forum will focus on topics relevant to "Sustainable Coastal, Marine & Maritime Environment". Invited speakers and participants will discuss initiatives already in place and share examples of good practice to stimulate further dialogue and action demonstrating collaborative environmental leadership and promoting wellbeing in Limassol, our Blue City.

The webinar will be conducted in English.

Register <u>here</u>

## Programme

Welcome Address: **Mr Nicos Nicolaides**, Mayor of Limassol

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Dr Christoforos Charalambous, Vice-President of Frederick University Council

Opening Address

Ms Natasa Pilides, Deputy Minister of Shipping, Republic of Cyprus

**Key Note Address** 

Ms Klelia Vasiliou, Environment Commissioner, Cyprus

How Ships will Adapt to New Ecological Demands at Sea, Anchorages and in Ports Mr Prabhat Jha, Group Managing Director, MSC Shipmanagement Limited, Cyprus

Ecological Problems of Ports and Coastal Areas and Measures for their Resolution **Mr Alexander Alexandrov**, Deputy Director-General, Bulgarian Ports Infrastructure Company (BPI Co.), Bulgaria

LNG Bunkerina at Limassol Port: A Greener Alternative

Mr Andreas Alvanis, Business Development Executive, Fameline Holding Group, Cyprus

Gas Exploration & Production – The Israeli Approach to Environmental Concerns

Ms Gina Cohen, Independent Gas Consultant, Author, Lecturer, Technion University, Tel Aviv, Israel

The Major Threats to Limassol Beaches and Coastal Waters & Mitigating Initiatives **Dr Demetris Kletou**, Lecturer, Department of Maritime Transport and Commerce, Frederick University, Cyprus

The Forum Discussion will include the speakers and:

- *Dr Angelos Menelaou*, Head, Department of Maritime Transport and Commerce, Frederick University, Project Manager, Marlow Navigation Co. Ltd
- Mr Ioannis Efstratiou, Head of Marine Environment Unit, Shipping Deputy Ministry
- *Mr Panayiotis Agathocleous*, Limassol Port Manager, Cyprus Ports Authority

## Moderator

 - Captain Eugen Henning Adami, Chairman of Cyprus Foundation of the Sea (CyFoS), Lecturer, Department of Maritime Transport and Commerce, Frederick University, Cyprus