CEDA-MIG Joint Symposium on Advances in Dredging Technology
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Room ABC, building C, floor 0

09:00-09:30 Opening
Welcome and introduction to the day. Anna Csiti, CEDA General Manager
Welcome and introductions to MIG (Kazimierz Szefler, Director) and GSTP (Radosław Wika, Director)

09:30-11:00 Session 1: Highlights from the CEDA Environment Commission
Chair: Frederik Roose, Chair CEC, Ministry of the Flemish Community Maritime Access Division, Belgium
Short introduction to the CEDA Environment Commission (CEC). Frederik Roose, Chair CEC, Ministry of the Flemish Community Maritime Access Division, Belgium
Sustainable management of the beneficial use of sediments; a case-studies review. Luca Sittoni, Chairman of the CEDA Working Group ‘Beneficial Use of Dredged Sediments’, Deltares, the Netherlands
The relevance of the MSFD descriptor ‘seafloor integrity’ for dredging. Speaker to be confirmed.
Energy efficiency during dredging projects. Speaker to be confirmed.

11:00-11:25 Coffee break
11:25-12:40  Session 2: Highlights from the CEDA Dredging Management Commission  
Chair: Koos van der Geer, Van Oord Dredging and Marine Contractors, the Netherlands  
Short introduction to the CEDA Dredging Management Commission (DMC). Koos van der Geer, Van Oord Dredging and Marine Contractors, the Netherlands  
Checklist for successful dredging management. Kathleen De Wit, IMDC, or Johny Van Acker, Dredging International, Belgium  
Dredging technology developments versus requirements. Mark Winkelman, Damen Dredging Equipment, the Netherlands  
Dredging contract management. Charles Wilsoncroft, HKA, UK

12:40-13:40  Lunch

13:50-16:40  Site visit to Port of Gdansk

16:50-18:15  Session 3: Spotlight on local projects  
Chair: Grażyna Pazikowska-Sapota, Maritime Institute in Gdansk, Poland  
Dredged material disposal sites in SE Baltic Sea. Grazyna Dembska, Maritime Institute in Gdańsk, Poland  
The Baltic Sea region’s port market in 2017. Przemysław Opłocki, Baltic Transport Journal, Poland  
Baltic Blue Biotechnology Alliance. Advancing marine biobased product development. Monika Kurska, Pomeranian Special Economic Zone, Poland  
Reviving Baltic resilience. Andrzej Rogala, Gdańsk University of Technology, Poland

18:15-18:30  Closing remarks by the organisers

18:30  Walk to restaurant (name to be confirmed)  
19:00  Brainstorm session + dinner sponsored by Van Oord Dredging and Marine Contractors