

Solutions



BALTIC FLOWS

and Initiatives in Diffuse Load Monitoring

“Solutions and Initiatives in Diffuse Load Monitoring” is a networking event where participants from different sectors can introduce their innovative products and solutions and develop international project initiatives. The event will focus on water quality monitoring of surface waters with special emphasis on diffuse load monitoring in the Baltic Sea catchment area.

Wednesday, October 21, 2015

Office of the Marshal of the Pomorskie Voivodeship

Okopowa 21/27, 80-810 Gdansk, Poland

The event is a part of the Baltic Flows project financed by the European Commission and free for all participants.

EXPO AREA



The Exposition area provides an opportunity for the participants to demonstrate their products and services to potential new clients and find partners for future R&D projects.

The expo area is ideal for networking and finding partners for future joint initiatives. All participants can join existing Baltic Flows cluster initiatives they are interested in.

A separate module of the event will focus on cooperation and joint initiatives. We will introduce existing project initiatives and partners, state new initiatives and find solutions to our challenges. In practise, several new project applications have grown out of these networking actions.

Participants should register their attendance before 18th of October via Google Form at: <http://goo.gl/forms/ekLs1B9KYj>

MAIN HALL



The Main Hall gathers researchers, local and central government officials, engineers, urban planners and representatives from private companies. Participants are from Estonia, Finland, Germany, Latvia, Sweden and Poland.

The speakers present identified best practises and find areas where potential cross-border cooperation could be most effective means of facing the challenges.

MAIN OBJECTIVES

The main objective of the exchange of know-how event is to present the best practises used in different regions and to find further fields, where cross-border cooperation is needed. We will listen to the challenges different actors are facing and bring similar problems and/or potential solutions to those problems together.

A separate module of the event is on cooperation and joint initiatives. We will introduce existing project initiatives and partners, state new initiatives and try to find a way to resolve them.

PARTICIPANTS

The “Baltic Flows” project follows a triple-helix structure to cover the issues as a whole and capitalize on the created synergy. The triple-helix comprises of actors from the public sector, academia and private sector. Participants are from different Baltic Sea Regions and all have a common goal – to improve the state of the Baltic Sea.

- Public sector authorities can find innovative new solutions that will help to carry out their water monitoring responsibilities with greater effect.
- Researchers can present their work and find cooperation and funding opportunities from other BSR countries.
- Private sector companies can present their solutions to potential clients from the public sector and find cooperation possibilities with the academia.

WHO WE ARE

The event is a part of the Baltic Flows project and organized by its stakeholders. The project is being funded by the European Commission under the FP7 framework. Cleantech Estonia has the lead role in organizing this event with the Office of the Marshal of the Pomorskie Voivodeship.

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Timetable:

Cluster building: 

Exhibition: 

Presentation: 






20.00 A non-official dinner at the restaurant Bohemia Cafe on the previous evening

Time	Exhibition area	Presentation area
09.00-09.30	Setting up displays for the solutions or products on exhibition	
9.30-10.00	Registration and welcoming coffee	
10.00-10.10		Opening words: Ms. Marzena Sobaczak - Director of the Department of Environment and Agriculture, Marshal Office
10.10-10.20		Opening words: Ms. Danuta Grodzicka-Kozak - President of the The Regional Fund for Environmental Protection and Water Management in Gdansk
10.20-10.30		Overview of the Baltic Flows project: Ms. Anne Paavolainen - University of Turku
10.30-11.15		Keynote Speaker: A holistic look at the Baltic Sea with focus on the ecosystem protection: Dr. Marianna Pastuszek - National Marine Fisheries Research Institute
11.15-11.40		Point and diffuse load monitoring on the example of the Sulejow Reservoir (MONSUL Project): Dr. Aleksandra Zieminska-Stolarska - Łódź University of Technology
11.40-12.05		Wastewater treatment plant "Gdansk-Wschód" - technology and environment: Ms. Marta Chrzanowska - SAUR Neptun Gdansk S.A.
12.05-12.20		Introduction of the exhibition area organizations. Moderated by Cleantech Estonia
12.20-13.20		Lunch break and networking
13.20-13.45		RISA: developing the rainwater management system of the future: Dr. Christian Ebel - Ministry of Energy and Environment, Hamburg
13.45-14.00		Research on loading from stormwater and agriculture - monitoring challenges and solutions: Dr. Piia Leskinen - Turku University of Applied Sciences
14.00-14.15		Water Monitoring Status and Business in China: Mr. Liu Ning - Ecotech International Ltd.
14.15-14.45		Cooperation possibilities in the Baltic Sea Region. Introduction of existing initiatives. Moderated by Cleantech Estonia
14.45-16.00	Networking to develop cross-border initiatives	
16.00-16.45		Presentation and introduction of new initiatives. Moderated by Cleantech Estonia
16.45-17.00		Conclusions, upcoming events and wrap up
17.00-18.00	Exchange of ideas, networking	

19.00 A non-official dinner at the restaurant Miasta Aniołów

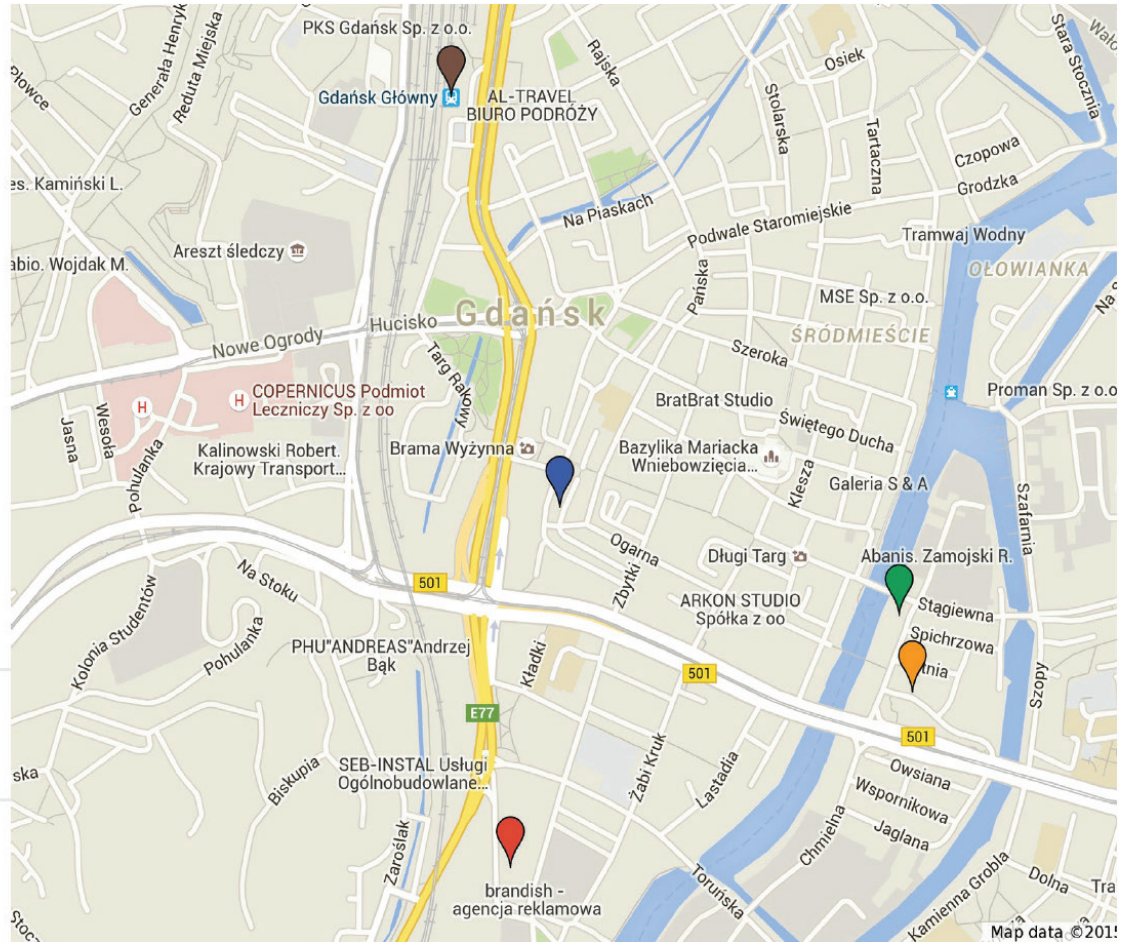
Logistics:

Map Legend

-  Marshal of the Pomorskie Voivodeship (main event venue)
-  Novotel Gdańsk Centrum (30 rooms available under the keyword "Baltic Flows")
-  Cafe Bohemia (Dinner on the 20th of October)
-  Restaurant Miasta Aniołów (Dinner on the 21th of October)
-  Gdansk Główny Train Station

Directions from Marshal of the Pomorskie Voivodeship to Novotel Gdańsk Centrum.

Directions from Gdansk Główny Train Station to Marshal of the Pomorskie Voivodeship (main event venue)



An interactive Google map can be found here: <https://goo.gl/q2s9rk>.

Participants and partners can book a room in the Novotel Centrum Hotel under the keyword "Baltic Flows".

How to get to Gdansk:

By plane:

Gdansk Lech Walesa Airport is situated 15km from the city center and there are regular trains and busses going back and forth. The nearest train and bus station to the Marshall Office is Gdansk Główny and you can get there with bus 210 and N3. A single train or bus ticket costs 0.80 EUR. A taxi from the airport will be about 12 EUR.

By train:

The Gdansk Główny train station is connected with many short and long distance trains. A train from Warsaw will take 3 hours and will cost about 36 EUR.

By bus:

The main bus station is situated just next to the Gdansk Główny train station. There are many international lines connecting Gdansk. A bus from Warsaw will take 5 hours and is 12 EUR.