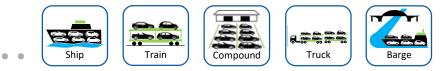


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# **Maritime & Ports Working Group**

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## Activities 2017 – 2018



### 4 meetings:

- ✓ Port of Wallhamn with Grimaldi (July '17)
- ✓ Port of Bremen on board a barge with STVA/Egerland (September '17)
- ✓ Port of Southampton with ABP (November '17)
- ✓ Port of Cuxhaven with Cuxport/Rhenus Logistics (March '18)



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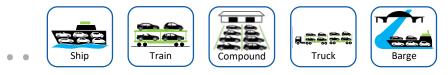


### • Next meetings:

✓ 7-8<sup>th</sup> June @ Port of Tarragona with Bergé Logistics
✓ September @ Port of Nantes Saint-Nazaire

#### Average attendance:

+/- 35 participants (shipping lines, ports, terminals and LSPs – occasionally invited OEMS)



# **Topics discussed & guests invited**



- Green Award certification scheme for Ro-Ro: Keita Shinohara, Certification Manager, Green Award Foundation (Wallhamn)
- EC DG TAXUD Trade Contact Group: Ives Taelman, Corporate Director Customs and Tax, GEFCO (Bremen) – *R.I.P. 24/02/2018*
- Developments on SECAs and marine emissions: Kobe Scheldeman, Royal Belgian Institute of Natural Sciences (Bremen)



# **Topics discussed & guests invited**



- Brexit: **Damian Viccars**, World Shipping Council (Southampton)
- AIAG Port Quality Assessment Tool & Project on Port Efficiency – trial by ABP & proposal by Renault-Nissan-Mitsubishi (Southampton)
- EU Digital Transport and Logistics Forum (DTLF): focus on electronic documents & Maritime Single Window



### ESSF - European Sustainable Shipping Forum



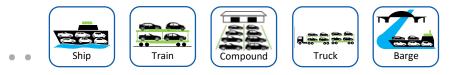
- ECG accepted as observer to ESSF plenary meetings (next one on 1<sup>st</sup> June in Brussels)
- Full member of Subgroup on Competitiveness (attended latest meeting in September 2017)



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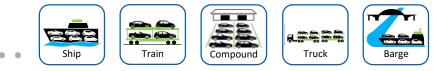
- Currently two new Work Packages, on:
  - Enhancing the competitiveness of EU Short Sea Shipping (leader KVNR – Dutch Shipowners)
  - Mapping and fitness check of the applicable EU and international regulatory framework (leader ECSA)



# **Future projects for M&P WG**



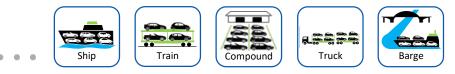
- Maintain meetings at ports, with focus on visits to members' terminals (also inland ports)
- Advance on ECG projects such as Green Award, Port Quality & Port Efficiency (while prioritising members' concerns)
- Continue working within ESSF towards 2020 deadline for worldwide sulphur cap of 0.5%



# **Future projects for M&P WG**



- Enhance collaboration with ECSA, WSC and ESPO on SECAs, emissions, PECs, e-Manifest, Single Window etc.
- Invite European Commission officials for regular updates (from Ports & Inland Navigation and Maritime Transport & Logistics Units)







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# Thank you for your attention

### **Questions?**

