

MARINE LITTER/UNDERWATER NOISE SEMINAR

AGENDA

Tallinn, Estonia

24-24 January, 2013

24 January – “Marine litter”

Tallink Spa & Conference Hotel, Sadama 11a, Tallinn, Estonia

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| 11.00 – 11.30 | Registration |
| 11.30 – 11.40 | Introduction of the GES-REG project by project coordinator Urmas Lips (<i>Marine Systems Institute, Estonia</i>) |
| 11.40 – 11.50 | Introduction to the day by Georg Martin (<i>Estonian Marine Institute</i>) |
| 11.50 – 12.20 | “Marine Litter in Europe” Thomas Maes (<i>Centre for Environment, Fisheries & Aquaculture Science, UK</i>) |
| 12.20 – 12.50 | "Microscopic anthropogenic particles along the Swedish Coast – methods for monitoring and results from a survey" Kerstin Magnusson (<i>IVL Swedish Environmental Research Institute</i>) |
| 12.50 – 13.00 | “Baltic Marine Litter” Marek Press (<i>MARLIN project, Estonia</i>) |
| 13.00 – 14.00 | Lunch |
| 14.00 – 14.20 | “Coastal litter survey in Estonia” – Henn Ojaveer (<i>Estonian Marine Institute</i>) |
| 14.20 – 14.40 | “Back to 80’s: grazing experiments with plastic beads and zooplankton” Outi Setälä (<i>Finnish Environment Institute, Marine Research Centre</i>) |
| 14.40 – 15.00 | "Potential toxicity of marine litter on pelagic and benthic organisms" Maija Balode & Liene Muzikante (<i>Latvian Institute of Aquatic Ecology</i>) |
| 15.00 – 15.20 | Coffee break |
| 15.20 – 17.20 | Workshop/Discussion on marine litter indicators |

25 January – “Underwater noise”

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9.00 – 9.30	Registration
9.30 – 9.40	Introduction to the day by Urmas Lips (<i>Marine Systems Institute</i>)
9.40 – 10.10	“Monitoring anthropogenic noise effects on the marine environment” Michel André (<i>Technical University of Catalonia, BarcelonaTech, Spain</i>)
10.10 – 10.30	“Sources of underwater noise and assessing levels of noise in the Baltic Sea” Janek Laanearu & Aleksander Klauson (<i>BIAS project, Estonia</i>)
10.30 – 10.50	“Ecologically sensitive areas of the Baltic Sea: special focus on impacts of noise” Samuli Korpinen (<i>HELCOM</i>)
10.50 – 11.10	Coffee break
11.10 – 11.30	“Finnish approach for management of the MSFD descriptor 11” Jukka Pajala (<i>Finnish Environment Institute</i>)
11.30 – 11.45	“Monitoring of underwater noise in the Tallinn Bay – approach and first results” Urmas Lips (<i>Marine Systems Institute</i>)
11.45 – 12.00	“Static Acoustic Monitoring of the Baltic Sea Harbour Porpoise: introduction of the SAMBAH project” Ivar Jüssi (<i>ProMare, Estonia</i>)
12.00 – 13.00	Lunch
13.00 – 14.50	Workshop/discussion on underwater noise indicators
14.50 – 15.00	Closing of the seminar