Symposium important dates and deadlines:

15 May 2010
1st Announcement
Invitation to take part in the Symposium

1 October 2010
Deadline for conference registration and abstract submission
(on-line registration through the website: http://transnav.am.gdynia.pl)

1 November 2010
2nd Announcement
Confirmation of applications and notification of authors.

1 February 2011
Submission of final camera-ready papers deadline

1 March 2011
Announcement of papers acceptance

1 April 2011
3rd Announcement
Information on the preliminary Symposium's Programme

1 June 2011
4th Announcement - final version of Symposium Programme, chairman list confirmation

15 June 2011
The First Day of Symposium (Wednesday)
Opening ceremony, plenary session, round table panel discussion and parallel invited specialist sessions

16 June 2011
The Second Day of Symposium (Thursday)
Parallel provided specialist sessions and poster sessions

17 June 2011
The Third Day of Symposium (Friday)
Parallel provided specialist sessions and poster sessions, plenary session and closing ceremony

18 June 2011
Day after Symposium (Saturday)
Touristic trip to Mulbart Castle and Ship Handling Research and Training Centre in Biały

Faculty of Navigation
Gdynia Maritime University

have the honour to invite to

9th INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM
ON
MARINE NAVIGATION
AND SAFETY OF
SEA TRANSPORTATION
TransNav 2011

Gdynia, 15-17 June 2011

INVIATION

We kindly inform that the 9th Navigational Symposium will be held in Gdynia, Poland from 15 to 17 June 2011 (Wednesday to Friday).

The Symposium is organized by the Faculty of Navigation of the Gdynia Maritime University and The Nautical Institute.

Symposium participants

The Symposium is addressed to scientists and professionals in order to share their expert knowledge, experience and research results concerning all aspects of navigation, safety of navigation and sea transportation. The goal of the TransNav is to bring together experts from the field of navigation, transport, ocean engineering and marine technology to discuss on the state-of-the-art and to present new research findings and perspectives of future developments with respect to the conference themes.

On-line registration and abstract submission

The Organizing Committee welcomes the online registration and submission of abstracts and full papers through the Symposium homepage http://transnav.am.gdynia.pl for oral or poster presentations at the Symposium. Authors of papers are invited to submit filled application forms to the Symposium Office at our web site together with papers' abstracts for consideration by the Scientific Programme Committee.

Paper submission

Only papers not previously published or submitted for presentation at another national or international meeting will be accepted. All papers will be refereed by at least two members of the Scientific programme Committee. The limit for each paper is 8 pages.

Symposium Proceedings

Papers submitted on time will be published in the TransNav Symposium Proceedings - series of a few monographs under the common title: Advances in Marine Navigation and Safety of Sea Transportation. Some best papers will be recommended to be published in the professional journals (see media partners).

Symposium language

The official language of the Symposium is English (no translation is provided).

Symposium Venue

Information about Symposium Venue and hotels accommodation is available at our web site: http://transnav.am.gdynia.pl. Due to summer season it is our suggestion to book the hotels rooms as soon as possible after your paper acceptance.

Round Table Plenary Session

Organizing Committee would like to inform that on 15th of June (Wednesday) - the First Day of Symposium - will be organized the Round Table Panel Discussion under chairmanship of Prof. Vidal Ashkenazi, UK. The title of Round Table Plenary Session will be announced later.
Symposium Fees
Payment of the conference fee is required for paper publication. To avoid any problem the best idea is to transfer conference fee at the beginning of February, immediately after paper acceptance by Programme Committee. The organizer reserves the right to require some papers for presentation.

Honorary Committee:
VAdM Jaroslaw M. Marciniak - President of the International Hydrographic Bureau
Capt. Anna Wypych-Namietko - Undersecretary of State in the Ministry of Commerce, Poland
Mr Mirosław Struk - Marshal of the Pomorian Voivodship
Capt. Richard Coates, FNI - President of the Nautical Institute

Prof. Radosław Czartoryski - Rector of Gdynia Maritime University

Scientific Programme Committee:

Symposium Fees:
1 Euro = 4 PLN

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Symposium Main Topics:
- Maritime navigation
- Safety and security of maritime shipping
- Sea transport and transportation technology
- Technology development in navigational operation
- Safety and environmental protection at sea
- beaches and future perspectives of shipping
- Ship design, technology and maritime cartography
- Development and technological support of human activity at sea
- Geomatics and GIS in maritime applications
- Spatial data analysis
- Remote access to systems ICS and IDSCEs
- Island, sea, river, lake and river navigation systems
- Presently used navigation-related information
- Buildings planning and monitoring, passage plans
- Integration of navigational systems (ERS, bridge/bridge systems) and
- Navigational concept
- Navigational systems (e.g. LORAN, GPS, GLONASS and Galileo)
- Coastal navigation
- Dredging as a support to vessel navigation
- Systems of control, guidance and monitoring of traffic, VTS
- Virtual reality navigation
- Remote controllability and due to hydrodynamics of ships
- Ship design and stability
- Ship operation and ARPA, AIS, VDR
- Ship operation, safety and anti-collision
- Safety, surveillance and rescue
- Safety, surveillance technology
- Maritime search and rescue
- Life-saving service
- Sea rescue, environmental and protection issues
- Human factors, maritime accident, human errors
- Crew management, safety management, motion and fatigue
- Navigational systems - the future expectations
- Medical and medical and social
- Maritime simulation, full motion, bridges, navigational simulator
- Computer-based assessments in training
- Standardisation of navigational terminology
- Maritime education and training: model courses validation
- Public administration
- New research on the history of navigation
- Nautical navigation and cartography
- Climate change
- Global warming, cyclones and impact of extreme storms
- Polar research, safety and sustainable Arctic conditions
- Economic containerization
- Coastal zone management
- Maritime & coastal protected areas
- Maritime and protection of common areas
- Maritime law, insurance and assistance
- International records and regulations
- Environmental impact and assessment
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- Environment and ecological impact assessment
- Marine environmental protection
- Aquaculture and marine technology
- Oceanography and marine technology
- Marine technology and management
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- Remote sea...