



AGENDA

Day 1 – 21 May 2026

08:00 – 09:15 | WELCOME COFFEE & REGISTRATION

Venue : **CAROB MILL** (Vasilissis Street, 3042 Limassol)

09:15 – 09:45 | OFFICIAL OPENING - **Richard Hall, Carob Mill**

09:45 – 11:00 | HIGH-LEVEL PANEL - *How can the future Multiannual Financial Framework support the implementation of the Ocean Pact?* - **Richard Hall, Carob Mill**

11:00 – 11:20 | COFFEE BREAK – **Karatello Restaurant, Carob Mill**

11:20 – 12:35 | BLUE INDUSTRIAL LEADERSHIP- **Richard Hall, Carob Mill**

12 :35 – 13 :50 | LUNCH- **Karatello Restaurant, Carob Mill**

13:50 – 14:50 | MARITIME SECURITY COOPERATION IN THE EU- **Richard Hall, Carob Mill**

13:50 – 15:05 | PARALLEL WORKSHOPS (Session 1)

- Algae Solutions for a Thriving Blue Economy – **Stretto Café**
 - Pathways for Resilient Islands & Coastal Areas – **Berangaria Hall, Carob Mill**
 - Coastal Manufacturing: Ocean Energy as a New Client – **Queen Eleanor, Carob Mill**
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13:50 – 16:30 | SIDE EVENT- *Decarbonising Ports and Shipping Lanes in the European Maritime Space*

Organised by: Directorate-General for Mobility and Transport

Venue: **Bernhard Schulte Management (BSM) Maritime Training Centre**

15 :15 – 16 :30 | PARALLEL WORKSHOPS (Session 2)

- **Aquaculture’s Market Potential in the EU: ensuring food security & trade balance in a sustainable blue economy – **Berangaria Hall, Carob Mill****
 - **Making the Sea-Basin approach work through MSP – **Richard Hall, Carob Mill****
 - **Marine robotics for security and surveillance – **Stretto Café****
 - **Sustainable tourism as resource for coastal communities – **Queen Eleanor, Carob Mill****
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16 :40 – 17 :55 | PARALLEL WORKSHOPS (Session 3)

- **Vision 2040: Transitioning Fisheries & Aquaculture for a Sustainable Future – **Richard Hall, Carob Mill****
 - **Sea Basin Strategies as a Tool for Reinforced Maritime Regional Cooperation in the Eastern Mediterranean – **Queen Eleanor, Carob Mill****
 - **Advancing Marine Restoration: From Demos to Impact – **Stretto Café****
 - **Powering Maritime Decarbonisation with Blue Energy – **Berangaria Hall, Carob Mill****
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19:00 – 21:00 | NETWORKING RECEPTION - **Gazebo Mare Restaurant (Limassol Marina)**





AGENDA

Day 2 – 22 May 2026

08:30 – 09:00 | REGISTRATION

Venue: **CAROB MILL** (Vasilissis Street, 3042 Limassol)

09:00 – 10:00 | HIGH-LEVEL PANEL - *Present and future: sustainable and competitive EU fisheries and aquaculture sectors*- **Richard Hall, Carob Mill**

10 :00 – 10:15 | TRANSITION BREAK / COFFEE BREAK– **Karatello Restaurant, Carob Mill**

10:15 – 11:15 | PANEL - *Strengthening Europe's Role in the Global Ocean Observing System and the importance of the “OceanEye”*- **Richard Hall, Carob Mill**

11 :15 – 11:25 | TRANSITION BREAK

11 :25 – 12:40 | PARALLEL WORKSHOPS (Session 4)

- How to exchange classified information in Europe through CISE for safe European seas – **Stretto Café**
 - Waves of SHE: Women Shaping the Blue Economy – **Queen Eleanor, Carob Mill**
 - ACs knowledge on SSCF, MSP & co-management – **Richard Hall, Carob Mill**
 - Ocean Funding under the next MFF – **Berangaria Hall, Carob Mill**
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12 :40 – 13 :40 | LUNCH– **Karatello Restaurant, Carob Mill**



13 :40 – 14:55 | PARALLEL WORKSHOPS (Session 5)

- **Science and Innovation for Coastal Resilience – Richard Hall, Carob Mill**
 - **Shaping the Future of Maritime Technology Skills – Berangaria Hall, Carob Mill**
 - **Towards EU-Wide Marine Munitions Removal Strategy – Queen Eleanor, Carob Mill**
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14 :55 – 15 :05 | TRANSITION BREAK / COFFEE BREAK

15 :05 – 16 :20 | PARALLEL WORKSHOPS (Session 6)

- **Gear to Governance: Sustainable Fish Value-Chain – Berangaria Hall, Carob Mill**
 - **Setting Sail: The Potential of EU Wind Propulsion – Queen Eleanor, Carob Mill**
 - **R&I for Sustainable Blue Tide – Stretto Café**
 - **Shaping Ocean Observing Needs with Blue Economy – Richard Hall, Carob Mill**
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16 :20 – 16 :30 | TRANSITION BREAK

16:30 – 17:15 | ENERGY TRANSITION FOR THE EU FISHERIES AND AQUACULTURE- Richard Hall, Carob Mill

17:20 – 18:10 | CLOSING SESSION- Richard Hall, Carob Mill

