

TRILATERAL WORKSHOP ON BEST PRACTICES FOR CLIMATE CHANGE ADAPTATION



WADDEN SEA REGION CLIMATE CHANGE ADAPTATION STRATEGY

The Trilateral Task Group for Climate (TGC), consisting of experts from Germany, Denmark and the Netherlands invites: all policy makers, managers, scientists, scholar practitioners, students, nature conservationists, spatial planners, and coastal risk managers to the workshop on Best Practices for Climate Change Adaptation in the Wadden Sea Region

DATE: 26-27 September 2017

VENUE: UNESCO World Heritage Wadden Sea Visitor's Centre, 26382 Wilhelmshaven, Germany

GOALS OF THE WORKSHOP:

The workshop aims to:

- Enhance and strengthen the trilateral network of experts working on climate change in the field of nature conservation and coastal risk management
- Facilitate exchange of knowledge between the three Wadden Sea states
- Gather input for the evaluation of the trilateral climate change adaptation strategy
- Link climate change adaptation to the UNESCO World Heritage goals e.g. sustaining the Outstanding Universal Value and Integrity of the Wadden Sea

THE PROGRAM

Detailed description of the program is presented **<u>HERE</u>**. Keynotes will be provided by:

- Mr. Tim Collins, principle coastal expert; Natural England; and
- Dr. Jacobus Hofstede, scientific director; Federal State of Schleswig-Holstein Ministry for Energy, Agriculture, Environment, Nature and Digitalization.

The workshop consists of plenary sessions and parallel sub-sessions for debating on innovative coastal defence, nature conservation and integrated projects and strategies.

EXCURSION AT THE SECOND DAY OF THE WORKSHOP

An excursion is planned to the salt marsh restoration site "Langwarder Groden" near Wilhelmshaven in the afternoon of 27 September 2017.

REGISTRATION FOR THE WORKSHOP

Participating at the workshop is free of all charges. However participants are required to make own accommodation arrangements in Wilhelmshaven. Information about hotel accommodation, meeting venue and the full workshop program can be found at the workshop website www.waddenclimateadaptation.eu.

The meeting space is limited to 60 participants. Therefore you are advised to register as soon as possible HERE.