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The Castle of Piombino

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DREDGING IN THE EUROPEAN UNION:  
REGULATIONS, PROBLEMS  
AND BEST PRACTICE

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Piombino - Italy

## TUESDAY 16<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER

- 9.00 Registration
- 9.30 Welcome  
*Luciano Guerrieri, President of the Piombino Port Authority*
- 9.45 The status of dredged material under EU law and international conventions  
  
Practical aspects of permitting and practicing maintenance dredging in Mediterranean ports  
*Erik Mink, European Dredging Association*
- 10.30 Dredging and management of contaminated sediments in the Baltic sea region  
*Göran Holm, Swedish Geotechnical Institute*
- 11.00 Dredging in Greece: Examples from Piraeus, Patras and Alexandroupolis Ports  
*George Ferentinos and George Papatheodorou, University of Patras*
- 11.30 *Coffee break*
- 11.45 Recommendations for the management of dredged materials in the ports of Spain  
*Miguel La Casta Munoa, Porto of Bilbao supervisor*
- 12.15 Dredging in the port of Antwerp: challenges and best practice  
*Agnes Heylen, Port of Antwerp Authority*
- 12.45 Sediment management in Rotterdam  
*Marco Wensveen, Port of Rotterdam Authority*

- 13.15 *Lunch*
- 14.45 Currentology and Sedimentology study for the reduction of dredging campaigns in Le Tréport. Introduction to the methodology guide for port users  
*Didier Jegou, Département de Seine-Maritime*
- 15.10 Sediment in the port of Piombino: first hand experience and possible new applications  
*Sandra Muccetti and Roberta Macii, Piombino Port Authority*
- 15.35 Maintenance and capital dredging in Klaipeda port: legal, environmental and technical aspects  
*Eugenijus Gentvilas, Klaipeda State Seaport Authority*
- 16.00 Best practice in dredging in Galician local ports  
*Gonzalo Diz-Lois Palomares, Portos de Galicia*
- 16.25 *Coffee break*
- 16.45 Four challenges for dredging in Greece  
*Michael Aftias, Ydrohomi Consulting Engineers*
- 17.15 Characterization of dredged sea mud from the port of Koper and its potential applications in civil engineering  
*Ana Mladenovic, Slovenian National Building and Civil Engineering Institute*
- 17.45 Conclusions
- 18.00 End of the workshop

## WEDNESDAY 17<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER

- 9.30 Visit to the Castle of Piombino
- 10.30 Technical visit to the port of Piombino
- 12.30 Departure for Portoferraio
- 13.30 *Lunch*
- 15.00 Visit to the summer residence of Napoleon in San Martino
- 16.30 Departure for Piombino