

## **CALENDAR OF MEETINGS and EVENTS**

-Updated as of 01 May 2025-

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## Dear Members,

Please find below a summary of the main events and meetings that INTERCARGO attended in the recent past and will be attending in the coming months. This calendar is updated on a monthly basis.

## **APRIL 2025**

## CMA SHIPPING, Stamford, USA

### 01-03 April

INTERCARGO is an official supporting organisation of CMA Shipping 2025. INTERCARGO's special adviser and former Technical Committee Chairman Tom Keenan participated in the Dry Bulk Panel Discussion, on 02 Apr, while INTERCARGO's Secretary General Kostas Gkonis joined him in our Association's delegation. For relevant information, please refer <a href="here">here</a>.

### **IACS/INDUSTRY PRE-MEPC 83 MEETING**

### 02 April

INTERCARGO met with IACS and industry partners to discuss the MEPC 83 agenda. INTERCARGO Technical Manager Ed Wroe and Regional Representative Emmanuel Vergetis attended..

## IMO INTERSESSIONAL WORKING GROUP ON AIR POLLUTION AND ENERGY EFFICIENCY (ISWG-APEE 1)

## 02-04 April

Items discussed included CII, and Development of draft amendments to existing instruments and/or development of new instruments. INTERCARGO Technical Manager Ed Wroe and Regional Representative Emmanuel Vergetis I attended. For relevant information, please refer here.

## IMO MARINE ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION COMMITTEE (MEPC 83), London, UK

## 07-11 April

Key topics discussed included: GHG Reduction, Ballast Water, Energy Efficiency (including CII) and Air Pollution. INTERCARGO Secretary General Kostas Gkonis, Technical Manager Ed Wroe, Operations Manager Joe Zhou and Regional Representative Emmanuel Vergetis attended. For relevant information, please refer here.

## **RIVIERA BULK CARRIER WEBINAR WEEK**

## 8-10 April

INTERCARGO was an official supporter of the Bulk Carrier webinar week. For relevant information please refer here.

## **INDUSTRY LIFEBOAT GROUP MEETING**

## 14 April

The ILG meeting is scheduled to be held remotely and discuss issues including follow-up issues from SSE 11 in Feb 2025, the work of the SSE CG to further develop the draft amendments to the LSA Code for partially enclosed

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lifeboats, and discussions on any potential submission to MSC 110 in Jun 2025. Operations Manager Joe Zhou will attend.

### **IEC SHORE POWER WG MEETING**

### 23 April

The IEC Shore Power WG met to discuss INTERCARGO's Paper submitted at MEPC 83 and Further developments with regards to the development of a specific standard for bulk carriers. Regional Representative Emmanuel Vergetis attended meeting.

#### **GENEVA DRY 2025**

## 28-29 April

INTERCARGO is a supporting organisation of Geneva Dry 2025 which was held on Monday 28 & Tuesday 29 April 2025, at the Hotel President Wilson, Geneva, Switzerland. INTERCARGO Chairman Mr John A. Xylas was a speaker on day one. For more information, please refer <a href="here">here</a>.

## RINA HELLENIC TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

## 29 April

The RINA Hellenic Technical Committee met to discuss various developments. Regional Representative Emmanuel Vergetis attended meeting.

## **MAY 2025**

### INTERCARGO SEMI-ANNUAL MEETINGS, Guangzhou, China

#### 11-13 May

INTERCARGO's next semi-annual meetings will take place in Guangzhou, China, on 11-13 May 2025. For more information, please refer <a href="here">here</a>.

## **MARINE INSURANCE GREECE**

## 13-14 May

INTERCARGO is an official supporter of the next Marine Insurance Greece event that will take place on 13-14 May 2025 at The Eugenides Foundation, Athens. For more information, please refer <a href="https://example.com/html/>html

## **JUNE 2025**

### Mare Forum Oslo and Nor-Shipping 2025, Oslo, Norway

### 02-05 June

INTERCARGO is a supporting organisation of Mare forum Oslo and will be attending Nor-Shipping 2025. Secretary General Kostas Gkonis will be a panellist at Mare forum Oslo and will be representing our Association at Nor-Shipping.

## IACS/INDUSTRY PRE-MSC 110 MEETING

## 12 June

INTERCARGO will meet with IACS and industry partners to discuss the MSC 110 agenda. INTERCARGO Technical Manager Ed Wroe and Regional Representative Emmanuel Vergetis will attend.

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## IACS/INDUSTRY SPRING TECHNICAL MEETING

### 16-17 June

IACS will be hosting its usual Spring/Summer technical meeting with industry partners. Draft agenda items include, but are not limited to: Updates related to Tripartite, Safe Decarbonisation, update on CSR revisions, and JIWG/Anchoring Equipment. INTERCARGO Secretary General Kostas Gkonis and Technical Manager Ed Wroe will attend.

## ICS SHAPING THE FUTURE OF SHIPPING ATHENS SUMMIT

#### 11 June

The summit co-hosted by the Hellenic Ministry of Maritime Affairs and Insular Policy, the International Chamber of Shipping and the Union of Greek Shipowners, will include the challenges facing global trade, securing supply chains, decarbonisation and the challenges for the maritime sector in retention, recruitment and training of the future generation of seafarers. INTERCARGO will be duly represented.

## IMO MARITIME SAFETY COMMITTEE (MSC 110), London, UK

#### 18-27 June

Agenda items include; new fuels, security/piracy and the common structural rules. The INTERCARGO Secretariat will attend.

## **JULY 2025**

## KOREAN REGISTER EUROPEAN COMMITTEE, London, UK

### 14 July

Secretary General Kostas Gkonis will attend as member of the Committee.

# IMO SUB-COMMITTEE ON IMPLEMENTATION OF IMO INSTRUMENTS (III 11), London, UK

## 21-25 July

Agenda items include: Port reception facilities, Casualty Investigation and ISM/ISPS Code regarding remote surveys. INTERCARGO will be duly represented.

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