



CALENDAR OF MEETINGS and EVENTS

-Updated as of 30 September 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.

SEPTEMBER 2025

IMO INTERSESSIONAL WORKING GROUP ON ALTERNATIVE FUELS (ISWG-AF)

01-05 September

The group submitted its report to IMO's CCC 11. INTERCARGO Regional Representative Emmanuel Vergetis and Technical Manager Ed Wroe attended. Please also refer [here](#).

IACS/INDUSTRY JOINT WORKING GROUP-SAFE DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION

04 September

The 1st IACS/Industry Joint Working Group-Safe Digital Transformation (JWG – SDT) meeting, Module: Digitalization, is expected to discuss issues including Maritime Digitalisation, Cyber Resilience and Cybersecurity Controls for Ships in service. INTERCARGO was represented by Operations Manager Joe Zhou.

IACS/INDUSTRY CCC 11 BRIEFING

02 September

INTERCARGO met with IACS and industry partners to discuss the CCC 11 agenda. INTERCARGO Technical Manager Ed Wroe and Regional Representative Emmanuel Vergetis attended.

ECSA TASK FORCE FUEL EU

02, 16, 30 September

The task force met to discuss issues related with FUEL EU implementation. INTERCARGO Regional Representative Emmanuel Vergetis attended.

INTERCARGO QUALITY PANEL WEST

03 September

INTERCARGO's Quality Panel West met to discuss and progress its agenda before the periodic meeting with Rightship.

ECSA SHIPPING POLICY COMMITTEE

04-05 September

The European Shipowners' Shipping Policy Committee and Ship Finance Working Group met. INTERCARGO was represented by Secretary General Kostas Gkonis.

BIMCO'S SHIP RECYCLING ALLIANCE: WG ON THE BASEL OPEN-ENDED WORKING GROUP (OEWG)

05 September

This working Group on OEWG discussed issues related to developing a submission to the Basel OEWG and coordination with the IMO and its Member States. INTERCARGO was represented by Operations Manager Joe Zhou.

INTERCARGO QUALITY PANEL EAST

05 September

INTERCARGO's Quality Panel East met to discuss and progress its agenda, before the periodic meeting with Rightship.

IMO SUB-COMMITTEE ON CARRIAGE OF CARGOES AND CONTAINERS (CCC 11), London, UK

08-12 September

Items discussed included: Amendments to the IMSBC Code/Cargoes, Guidelines for use of alternative fuels. INTERCARGO Technical Manager Ed Wroe, Regional Representative Emmanuel Vergetis and Nautical Affairs Manager Alan Nugent attended. Please refer to INTERCARGO's brief [here](#).

INDUSTRY COORDINATION MEETINGS

12 September

Hosted by ICS, these regular meetings among Shipping Associations aim to high level coordination of industry initiatives, sharing updates and information. INTERCARGO was represented by Secretary General Kostas Gkonis.

IMO TECHNICAL SEMINAR ON ONBOARD CARBON CAPTURE AND STORAGE (OCCS) SYSTEMS, London, UK

11 September

The Technical Seminar on Onboard Carbon Capture and Storage (OCCS) Systems is organized by the Future Fuels and Technology (FFT) Project. INTERCARGO Technical Committee Chair Dimitris attended.

XINDE MARINE FORUM LONDON 2025, London, UK

15 September

Our Association was a supporting organisation and INTERCARGO Technical Committee Chairman Dimitris Monioudis moderated Panel 1: Advancing Greener Shipping with Maritime Policies. For more information, please refer [here](#).

INTERCARGO SHORE POWER WG

16 September

The Shore Power working group members will met to discuss next steps and developments of the Bulk Carrier Shore Power Standard.

SAFETY4SEA LONDON FORUM 2025, London, UK

18 September

INTERCARGO was a supporting organisation of the Safety4Sea London Forum as part of this year's London International Shipping Week. INTERCARGO Secretary General Kostas Gkonis delivered a keynote address on Safety & Environmental Regulatory Developments. For more information, please refer [here](#).

INFORMAL MINERS GROUP

22 September

INTERCARGO Technical Committee Chairman Dimitris Monioudis and Technical Manager Ed Wroe met virtually with representatives of major mining companies to deliver a short presentation on the work of INTERCARGO and to express the challenges being faced by members with regards to Australian mooring requirements.

IMO SECRETARY-GENERAL BRIEFING, London, UK

24 September

The IMO Secretary-General held a briefing for observer organisations (intergovernmental and non-governmental organisations), which was followed by a presentation of the BBNJ Agreement. INTERCARGO was represented by Secretary General Kostas Gkonis.

TRIPARTITE JIWG ON AUTOMATED FUEL CONSUMPTION DATA GATHERING, 8th MEETING

24 September

The group aims to establish a common protocol for efficient, and verifiable digital reporting of ship emissions data, aligning multiple regulatory frameworks (e.g., IMO DCS, CII, EU MRV) under standardized procedures based on the IMO Compendium. INTERCARGO Regional Representative Emmanuel Vergetis will attend.

MARITIME AUTONOMOUS SURFACE SHIPS (MASS)

29 September to 3 October

The fourth meeting of the IMO Intersessional Working Group on Maritime Autonomous Surface Ships (MASS) further developed the draft MASS Code in relation to minimum safe manning, human control and supervision, human-centred design, training provisions for remote operators and role of the Master. INTERCARGO was represented by Operations Manager Joe Zhou.

OCTOBER 2025

TOGETHER IN SAFETY MEETING, London, UK

02 October

INTERCARGO is a proud supporter of the 'Together in Safety' Initiative. Its steering committee will meet to review progress and set future directions. INTERCARGO Secretary General Kostas Gkonis will attend. For relevant information, please refer [here](#).

INTERCARGO / RIGHTSHIP MEETING

02 October

INTERCARGO periodic meeting with RIGHTSHIP to discuss the Quality Panel agenda and discuss latest developments including Port State Control Issues, Safety Score and Transparency issues, RISQ inspections and other topics.

INTERCARGO-HOSTED WEBINAR ON THE HONG KONG INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION

03 October

INTERCARGO will host distinguished experts who will present on the Hong Kong International Convention for the Safe and Environmentally Sound Recycling of Ships – Current Implementation and Future Challenges. For more information, please refer [here](#).

TRIPARTITE JIWG ON AUTOMATED FUEL CONSUMPTION DATA GATHERING,

08 October

The group aims to establish a common protocol for accurate, efficient, and verifiable digital reporting of ship emissions data, aligning multiple regulatory frameworks (e.g., IMO DCS, CII, EU MRV) under standardized procedures based on the IMO Compendium. INTERCARGO Regional Representative Emmanuel Vergetis will attend.

EU ESSF - CII Workstream

09 October

The ESSF group will have its 1st meeting on the CII topic under the EU ESSF Workstream. The group will go through the draft workplan from the IMO and discuss general items under the CII. INTERCARGO Regional Representative Emmanuel Vergetis will attend.

IMO MEPC EXTRAORDINARY SESSION, London, UK

13-17 October

INTERCARGO Secretary General Kostas Gkonis and Regional Representative Emmanuel Vergetis will attend.

TRIPARTITE FORUM 2025, Busan, Korea

21-23 October

The annual Shipowner, Shipbuilder and Class Forum will take place in Busan. INTERCARGO will be represented by Secretary General Kostas Gkonis, Technical Manager Ed Wroe, and Regional Representative Emmanuel Vergetis.

INTERCARGO-HOSTED WEBINAR ON PILOT LADDERS (RESCHEDULED)

30 October

The International Maritime Pilots' Association (IMPA) will deliver a presentation titled "A Step Change: Looking Ahead 2028" that will explain the rule amendments for pilot transfer arrangements coming into force in January 2028. For more information, please refer [here](#).

NOVEMBER 2025

INTERCARGO SEMI-ANNUAL MEETINGS & AGM, Athens

03-04 November

INTERCARGO's next semi-annual meetings & AGM will take place in Athens, Greece, on 3-4 November 2025. For more information, please refer [here](#); about the AGM please refer [here](#).

DNV BULK CARRIER FORUM Athens, Greece

05 November

INTERCARGO will be presenting at the forum. Technical Committee Chair Dimitris Monioudis and Regional Representative Emmanuel Vergetis will attend.

CLASSNK GREEK TECHNICAL COMMITTEE, Athens, Greece

06 November

INTERCARGO will be presenting at the Committee. Technical Committee Chair Dimitris Monioudis and Regional Representative Emmanuel Vergetis will attend.

INTERCARGO CARGO PANEL

12 November

INTERCARGO's Cargo Panel will hold its autumn meeting to discuss cargo related matters. The agenda is currently under development.

KR HELLENIC TECHNICAL COMMITTEE, Athens, Greece

14 November

Technical Committee Chair Dimitris Monioudis and Regional Representative Emmanuel Vergetis will attend.