

Symposium Program – Preliminary

Sunday 21 June

- 1500 – 1700** **Registration**
Place: Realfagsbygget (Natural Science Building) - the Symposium venue
- 1800 – 1930** Reception at the Archbishop's Palace
- 1930 – 2000** Concert in Nidaros Cathedral

Monday 22 June

- 0800 – 0900** **Registration**
- 0900 – 0910** **Welcome to Strait Crossings**
Eivind Grøv, Chairman Organizing Committee
- 0910 – 0940** **Opening address**
Kjell Bjørvig, Deputy Director, Norwegian Public Roads Administration
- 0940 – 0950** **“Importance of infrastructures”**
Martin Knights, President of ITA
- 0950 – 1000** **“Greeting Speech”**
Mr. Steve Philips, FEHRL
- 1000 – 1030** **Coffee Break**
- 1030 – 1210** **Plenary Session - Invited Speakers**
Chairman: Eivind Grøv
“Safety and security in Strait Crossings”,
Arnold Dix, Private Consultant, Australia
“Thirty years of experience with sub-sea tunnels”,
Bjørn Nilsen, Professor, NTNU, Norway
“Climatic Change and Possible Impact on Coastal Structures”,
Arne Instanes, Professor, Instanes Polar AS, Norway
- 1210 – 1300** **Lunch**
- 1300 – 1440** **Session 1: General aspects of strait crossings**
- 1300 – 1440** **Session 2: Sub-sea tunnels**
- 1300 – 1440** **Session 3: Immersed tunnels**
- 1440 – 1510** **Coffee-break**
- 1510 – 1630** **Session 4: General aspects of strait crossings**
- 1510 – 1630** **Session 5: Sub-sea tunnels**
- 1510 – 1630** **Session 6: Immersed tunnels**
- 1630 – 1800** **Visit to the Coast and Harbour Research Laboratory**
- 1830 – 2300** **Boat trip to Munkholmen, dinner incl.**

Program accompanying persons:

- 1000 – 1300** **Sightseeing in Trondheim**

Tuesday 23 June

- 0830 – 1000** **Plenary Session - Invited Speakers**
Chairman: Olav Ellevset
“Financing of Infrastructure”,
Cesar Queiroz, Consultant, World Bank, USA
“The E39 ferry-connections in Hordaland and Rogaland” – Gas Ferries
Oscar Bergheim. Fjord1, Norway
”Prognosis and actual traffic for strait crossings projects”,
Leif Magne Lillebakk, Senior adviser, Public Roads Adm, Norway
- 1000 – 1030** **Coffee-break**
- 1030 – 1150** **Session 7: General aspects of strait crossings and ferries, safety, risk**
- 1030 – 1150** **Session 8: Sub-sea tunnels**
- 1150 - 1250** **Lunch**
- 1250 – 1410** **Session 9: Bridges**
- 1250 – 1410** **Session 10: Field investigations**
- 1250 – 1600** **Poster Session**
- 1410 – 1440** **Coffee – break**
- 1440 – 1600** **Session 11: Bridges**
- 1440 – 1600** **Session 12: Maintenance and operation**
- 1250 – 1600** **Workshop on submerged Floating Tunnel (SFT)**
Arranged and chaired by Håvard Østlid
- 1930 -** **Symposium Banquet**
Britannia Hotel

Wednesday 24 June

- 0900 – 1020** **Session 13: Bridges**
- 0900 – 1020** **Session 14: Submerged floating tunnels**
- 1020 – 1050** **Coffee-break**
- 1050 – 1210** **Session 15: Bridges**
- 1050 – 1210** **Session 16: Submerged floating tunnels**
- 1210 – 1310** **Lunch**
- 1310 - 1355** **Summary and Closing**
- 1400** **Departure Post-Symposium Tour**