

**FIRST INTERNATIONAL
MARINE CNG STANDARDS FORUM
JUNE 22-23, 2004
St. John's, NL**

FORUM OBJECTIVES:

- **Education** - enhance & understand regulators perspectives on the best means to ensure the evolution and safe, successful implementation of a new maritime industry
- **Dialog** – encourage open dialog to align perspectives and guidance/requirements for an international industry
- **Synthesis** – seek ways to reflect the perspectives voiced at the forum, to embody lessons from international gas shipping history and to extrapolate efficiently into a stable future body of guidance for marine CNG
- **Path Forward Planning & Documentation** [draft “Communiqué” for public]



FINAL Agenda for 1st International Marine CNG Forum

June 22		June 23		June 24	
0800	Coffee	0800	Coffee		
0830	Welcome to MUN & CMCNG Orientation	0815	Break-Out #1 Summaries Day 1 Critique		Organizing Committee ONLY
0845	KEYNOTE ADDRESS Honorary Chair – H. Stanley	0900	Topic 3 – Gas Containers	0900	Forum Summarization & Communiqué drafting Path Forward Planning
0930	Forum Overview by Organizing Chair				
1015	Break	1000	Topic 4 – Inspection/Maintenance		
1030	Overview of Marine CNG Industry by Memorial CNG Engineering Team Leads	1030	Break-Out #2 – Containers & Inspection	1130	ACTIONS & SCHEDULE REVIEW
1200	LUNCH	1200	LUNCH	1200	CLOSE
1300	Class & Regulators Perspective Briefs	1300	Break-Out #2 Summary Presentations		
1330	Topic 1 - Hull & Special Marine Features	1330	Topic #5 – Gas Handling Systems		
1415	Break	1430	Break		
1430	Topic 2 – CNG Terminals & Offshore Ports Rules	1445	Topic #6 - Hazards Mgt		
1530	Break-Out #1 Preparations	1530	Break-Out #3 - Gas Handling - Hazards Management		
1600	Break-Out #1 - Hull & Special Features - Terminal Ports	1700	Break-Out #3 Summary Presentations		
1730	Free Evening	1730	Forward Planning & Forum Wrap-Up		
		1830	Cocktails/Celebration		

For details contact – Jim Gaughan, Organizing Committee Chair (jgaughana@aol.com) or
Dr. Jim Wright, Memorial University (jwright@mun.ca)
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Timing: Workshops - June 22-23, 2004
Summary Session – June 24th

Venue: Engineering Board Room
Main Campus, Memorial University
St. John's Newfoundland, Canada
Memorial University of Newfoundland

Contact:
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Organizing Committee:

Chair – Jim Gaughan, jgaughana@aol.com
Members

ABS Americas, Phil Rynn
BV, Jean-Claude Astrugue
LR, *to be determined*
CNOBP, Dr. Walter Bobby
DNV, Dr. Sverre Valsgard
EnerSea Transport, Chuck White
K-Line, Shigeru Naokawa
MUN, Prof Dag Friis

Fees: (*attendance by invitation only*)
Free to government representatives
Free to Members (up to 3 attendees)
C\$200 – Associate Members
C\$2000 – Invited Non-members

Invited and Confirmed Participants –

- ❖ Canada-NL Offshore Petroleum Board
- ❖ Transport Canada (Marine Safety)
- ❖ Canadian Coast Guard
- ❖ US Coast Guard
- ❖ SIGTTO, OCIMF & IMO
- ❖ Class Societies
- ❖ Energy Technology Institutes (GTI, IFP)
- ❖ Shipowners
- ❖ Operators
- ❖ Technology Providers

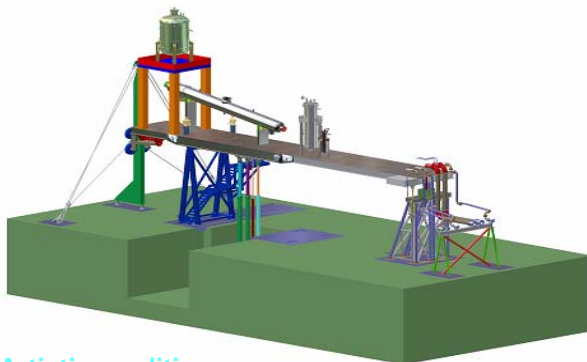
Travel: Direct flights are available from London, Newark, Toronto

Accommodations:

Since the Forum is a small gathering, hotel arrangements are open. Most of the hotels and B&B's in St. John's are located with relatively convenient access to the University. Please visit www.stjohns.ca/visitors/accommodation/index.jsp to view specific listings and ratings of lodgings in the area. Several of those hotels have Corporate Rate discounts for MUN business visitors, so please inquire when making reservations.

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Large Scale CNG Test Facility - Planned



Artistic rendition



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