

4th Arctic Passion Seminar

March 5, 2009, Program

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- 8.30 Welcome and Opening Words, Mr. Pekka Huhtaniemi, Under-Secretary of State, External Economic Relations, Ministry for Foreign Affairs of Finland
- 9.00 New Arctic Frontiers - Last year's achievements and challenges ahead. Mr. Mikko Niini, President, Aker Arctic Technology Inc
- 9.30 *Keynote speech:* An Oil Major's View on Arctic Developments in the Current Economic Climate. Mr Roger D. Leick, Marine & Arctic Engineering Manager, ExxonMobil Development Company, Houston
- 10.00 Offshore Developments in Russia - with focus on requirements for shipbuilders. Mr Alexander Ya. Mandel, General Director, OOO Sevmorneftegaz, Moscow
- 10.20 Recent Experiences from the Varandei Arctic oil export system in the Pechora Sea. Mr. Vladimir V. Mikhailichenko, Executive Director, Noncommercial Partnership of the Coordination of Northern Sea Route Usages
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- 10.40 Coffee break

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- 11.00 Shtokman Offshore Facilities - Arctic Challenges. Mr Pavel Liferov, Ice Engineering Specialist, Shtokman Development ag, Moscow
 - 11.25 Towards New Ideas and New Model Testing Techniques in Developing Arctic Floaters. Mr Reko-Antti Suojanen, R & D Manager, Aker Arctic Technology Inc
 - 11.50 Demonstration Model Test - The Turret Moored Aker Arctic FPU
Buffet Lunch
 - 13.15 Recent Experiences in Ice Management in Polar Ice. Capt. Anders Backman, Rederi AB Transatlantic, Skärhamn
 - 13.40 On the Development of Guidance Notes for the Classification of Stern First Ice Class Ships. Rob Tustin, Lloyd's Register Asia, Busan
 - 14.10 Azimuth Thruster Applications and Experiences in Ice Offshore. Mr. Arno Keinonen President, AKAC Inc, Victoria
 - 14.30 Coffee break
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- 15.00 Solving the European Union´s challenging goal: the Polar Research Icebreaker - AURORA BOREALIS. Mr Barend Thijssen, Managing Director, Wärtsilä Ship Design GmbH, Hamburg
- 15.30 Baltic Sea Ice Services and possibilities for new ice services in the Arctic, Mr Ari Seinä, Head of Ice Research and Ice Service, Finnish Meteorological Institute, Helsinki
- 16.00 End of the Day
- 16.15 Direct bus transport to Helsinki Vantaa Airport (20 min)