



THIRD PACIFIC REGIONAL ENERGY & TRANSPORT MINISTERS' MEETING



SIDE-EVENT PROGRAMME

The High Ambition Coalition for Shipping Emissions Reduction

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Fa'onelua Convention Centre, Nuku'alofa, Tonga

Thursday 27th April 2017

[Immediately after the formal afternoon sessions]



Side-Event on the High Ambition Coalition for Shipping Emissions Reduction

- Welcome by Anais Rouveyrol, Team Leader Members and Partners Services, Pacific Islands Development Forum Secretariat.
- Introduction by the Master of Ceremony Mr. Albon Ishoda, Deputy Head of Mission, RMI Embassy in Fiji.
- Presentation by Cornie Huizenga, Secretary General, SLoCaT Partnership – The Paris Process on Mobility and Climate (PPMC), Transport in the UNFCCC (NDCs and SDGs) and International Shipping.
- Presentation by Benoit Adam and Nicolas Udrea, Leads for Belgium and France in IMO – The IMO work plan for reducing shipping emissions; the “High Ambition” Coalition for shipping approach; and the benefits of partnership between Pacific, European countries and the growing consortium of IMO members, including industry working to a common goal.
- Presentation by Tristan Smith, Head of University College London Energy Institute’s Shipping Efficiency and Emission Research Program – The latest science of shipping emissions and climate change, the options available to the industry and the challenges now faced.
- Question and answer session, and concluding remarks.



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