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## **9<sup>th</sup>Hydra Shipping Conference Saturday September 15<sup>th</sup> 2018**

Every September since 2009, the Fraternity of the Athenian Hydriots, organizes the "Hydra Shipping Conference" in the historic island of Hydra. A tradition in the world of Shipping, with guests from the Maritime Business World and International Speakers.

The 9<sup>th</sup> Hydra Shipping Conference takes place on Saturday September 15<sup>th</sup>, in Hydra's Cathedral Conference Hall and this year's conference theme is:

### **“ROMANTICISM IN SHIPPING”**

Leading Greek ship-owners, as well as senior shipping industry business executives, multinational and Greek company representatives, consultants, academics and members of Hydra's historic shipping families, take part in the conference.

The conference constitutes an informative and entertaining weekend with many networking opportunities at a high level.

### **Conference Chairman**

Mr. GEORGE A. TSAVLIRIS, Principal Tsavlis Salvage Group

### **Confirmed Speakers**

GEORGE D. PATERAS

Chairman, Hellenic Chamber of Shipping, Managing Director, Aegeus Shipping S.A.

HELENA THANOPOULOU

Professor in Operations, Department of Shipping, Trade and Transport of the University of the Aegean

ANTONIS MAVRAKAKIS

EMMANUEL VORDONIS

Former General Manager, Thenamaris

YIANNIS TRIFYLLIS

Executive Committee Member, Hellenic Chamber of Shipping

MARTIN STOPFORD

President, Clarkson Research Service Ltd

JOHN FARACLAS

All about shipping

ALEXANDRA COUVADELLI

UK P&I Club

Nickolas Themelis, Head of Performance Department, LAROS – Prisma Electronics

## **CONFERENCE MAIN TOPICS**

### **PANEL 1: THE IMPORTANCE OF THE MARITIME COLLEGES**

- A. Events in the history of the Greek flag
- B. Happenings which have affected its Evolution
- C. The flag's growth - Interdependent on Greek crew

### **PANEL 2: THE BEGINNING OF THE END OR THE END OF THE BEGINNING?**

- D. Environmental Issues
- E. Pressure of Regulations
- F. Alternative Forms of Energy - Is Gas the Answer?
- G. 100 years from Now – GAS vs HYDROGEN

There will be a **cocktail reception on the Friday evening September 14<sup>th</sup>, 2018**, prior to the Conference, at the President's residence at 9pm, to which you are invited to attend.

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