



16<sup>th</sup> Southern African and Islands Hydrographic Commission

(SAIHC) Conference  
Cape Town, South Africa  
2 - 5 September 2019  
(v3.0)



**Programme SAIHC16 incorporating SAIHC ICCWG**

Please note: Dress Code will be Business suit unless otherwise indicated


**Monday 2 September 2019**

**Seminar on Raising Awareness of Hydrography**

08:30 - 08:55		<b>Registration</b> (Host/SAIHC Secretariat)
09:00 - 12:30		<b>Seminar on Raising Awareness of Hydrography</b> - see separate Programme (Annex A to SAIHC Letter No. 5/2019) (CB Coordinator)
12:30 - 14:00		Lunch
14:00 - 17:00		<b>Seminar on Raising Awareness of Hydrography</b> - continued
18:30 - 20:30		Ice Breaker (Hosted by UKHO) Dress Code: Smart Casual

**Tuesday 3 September 2019**

**Day 1 - Plenary**

08:00 - 08:15		<b>Registration</b> (Host/SAIHC Secretariat)
08:15 - 08:25		Delegates to be seated in good time for the start of the Official Opening Session
08:30 - 09:00		<b>Official Opening Session</b>
	1	1.1 Opening Remarks and welcome from Chair
		1.2 Opening Remarks by IHO Director
09:30 - 10:00	2	<b>Administrative Arrangements and Host Nation Comments</b> (Vice-Chair)
	3	<b>Approval of Agenda</b> (Chair/All)
	4	<b>Approval of 15<sup>th</sup> SAIHC Minutes</b> (Chair/All)
	5	<b>Review of 15<sup>th</sup> SAIHC Actions List</b> (Chair/All)
10:00 - 10:30	6	<b>SAIHC Statutes</b> (SAIHC Secretariat)
	7	<b>Relevant International Organizations' Report</b> (session 1 of 2)
		7.1 General Bathymetric Charts of the Oceans (GEBCO) and Seabed 2030 (Norway) 7.2 Crowd Sourced Bathymetry (CSB) (Norway)
10:30 - 10:50	8	<b>IHO Matters</b>
		8.1 IHO Secretariat Report (IHO Director)
		8.1.1 IHO Year Book P-5 (IHO Director) 8.1.2 Status of Hydrographic Surveying and Nautical Charting Worldwide C-55 (IHO Director)
Followed by:	 <b>Group Photo</b>	
11:00 - 11:30		Morning Coffee
11:30 - 12:30		8.2 2 <sup>nd</sup> Meeting of the IHO Council Report (South Africa - SAIHC rep at IHO Council)
		8.3 IRCC11 Report (Inter Regional Coordination Committee) (IHO Director)
		8.4 WENDWG9 Report (Worldwide ENC Database - Working Group) (IHO Director)
		8.5 HSSC11 Report (Hydrographic Services and Standards Committee) (IHO Director)
		8.6 Marine Spatial Data Infrastructure (IHO Director) To inform delegates of MSDI developments from IHO Secretariat.
12:30 - 13:00	9	<b>SAIHC input to IHO meetings (Closed Session)</b> (Chair)
		9.1 SAIHC Report to IRCC12
		9.2 3 <sup>rd</sup> IHO Council considerations
		9.3 2 <sup>nd</sup> IHO Assembly considerations
13:00 - 14:00		Lunch

14:00 - 15:30	10	<b>8th SAIHC INT Chart Coordination Working Group (ICCWG) Meeting</b> - see separate Agenda ( <b>Closed Session</b> ) ( <i>South Africa - INT Chart Coordinator Region H</i> )	
15:30 - 16:00		Afternoon Coffee	
16:00 - 16:30	11	<b>Actions and Recommendations arising from IRCC11</b> ( <i>Chair</i> )	
16:30 - 17:00	12	<b>Marine Spatial Planning and National Oceans and Coastal Information Management System - South Africa</b> ( <i>Department of Environmental Affairs</i> )	
17:00 - 17:10		<b>Summary of Actions</b> ( <i>Chair/SAIHC Secretariat</i> )	
18:00 - 21:00		Informal Dinner (Hosted by SANHO) <b>Dress Code: Smart</b>	
<b>Wednesday 4 September 2019</b>			
<b>Day 2 - Plenary</b>			
08:30 - 09:10	13	<b>SAIHC Committees and Working Groups</b> (session 1 of 3)	
		Southern African and Islands Marine Spatial Data Infrastructure (MSDI) Working Group ( <i>UK</i> )	
09:10 - 09:30	14	<b>Industry presentations</b> - Kongsberg Maritime (session 1 of 9)	
09:30 - 10:40	15	<b>National Reports</b> ( <i>Members</i> )	
	15.1	<b>Members</b>	
	A	France	
	B	Mauritius	
	C	Mozambique	
	D	Norway	
	E	Republic of South Africa	
	F	Seychelles	
	G	United Kingdom	
10:40 - 11:00	16	<b>Industry presentations</b> - AML Oceanographic (session 2 of 9)	
11:00 - 11:20		Morning Coffee	
11:20 - 12:50	17	<b>National Reports</b> ( <i>Associate Members</i> )	
	17.1	<b>Associate Members</b>	
	H	Angola	
	I	Comoros	
	J	India	
	K	Kenya	
	L	Madagascar	
	M	Malawi	
	N	Namibia	
	O	Portugal	
	P	Tanzania	
12:50 - 13:10	18	<b>Industry presentations</b> - Chartwise (session 3 of 9)	
13:10 - 14:00		Lunch	
14:00 - 14:20	19	<b>Industry presentations</b> - Unique Hydra (session 4 of 9)	
14:20 - 14:40	20	<b>Industry presentations</b> - Teledyne CARIS (session 5 of 9)	
14:40 - 15:00	21	<b>SAIHC Committees and Working Groups</b> (session 2 of 3)	
		Southern African and Islands Hydrographic Commission Capacity Building ( <i>CB Coordinator</i> )	
15:00 - 15:20	22	<b>Industry presentations</b> - Underwater Surveys (session 6 of 9)	
15:20 - 15:40	23	<b>Industry presentations</b> - NAVICO (session 7 of 9)	
15:40 - 16:00		Afternoon Coffee	
16:00 - 16:20	24	<b>Industry presentations</b> - iXblue (session 8 of 9)	
16:20 - 16:40	25	<b>Experience in dealing with maritime disasters in relation with IHO guidelines</b> <i>Lessons learnt from Cyclone Idai and Kenneth (Mozambique)</i>	
16:40 - 17:00	26	<b>Industry presentations</b> - Fugro (session 9 of 9)	
17:00 - 17:10		<b>Summary of Actions</b> ( <i>Chair/SAIHC Secretariat</i> )	
18:00 - 22:00		Conference Dinner (Hosted by Industry) <b>Dress Code: Smart Casual</b>	
<b>Thursday 5 September 2019</b>			
<b>Day 3 - Plenary</b>			
08:30 - 09:30	27	<b>Relevant International Organizations' Report</b> (session 2 of 2)	
	27.1	International Maritime Organisation (IMO)	

		27.2	International Association of Lighthouse Authorities (IALA)
		27.3	Southern and East African and Islands Regional Group for Safety of Navigation and Marine Environment Protection (SEAIGNEP)
		27.4	Nairobi Convention (tbc)
09:30 - 10:00			Morning Coffee
10:00 - 10:30	28		<b>Maritime Safety, World-Wide Navigational Warnings Service and NAVAREA Coordination</b> ( <i>South Africa - NAVAREA VII Coordinator</i> )
10:30 - 10:50	29		<b>SAIHC Committees and Working Groups</b> (session 3 of 3)
			Southern African and Islands Chart Coordination Working Group Report (ICCWG8) ( <i>South Africa - INT Chart Coordinator Region H</i> )
10:50 - 11:30	30		<b>Any Other Business</b> ( <i>Chair</i> )
11:30 - 12:30			Lunch
12:30 - 14:00	31		<b>Approval of the Action List</b> ( <i>Chair</i> )
	32		<b>Date and venue of the next meeting</b> ( <i>Chair</i> )
	33		<b>Election of Chair and Vice Chair</b> ( <i>Chair</i> )
	34		<b>Closing Remarks from the Chair</b> ( <i>Chair</i> )
	35		<b>Meeting Closure</b>