

**IHO Colours & Symbols Maintenance Working Group (C&SMWG)  
15th Meeting, BSH, Rostock, Germany, 2-4 May 2005**

**Logistic Information - How to reach C&S15 in Rostock and where to stay?  
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**The town**

Rostock is situated in the north eastern part of Germany at the coast of the Baltic, nearly equally distant from Hamburg and Berlin. Rostock is a safe city and a quite nice one too:

<http://www.rostock.de/Internet/stadtverwaltung/gaeste/default.htm>

**How to come in?**

Hamburg Fuhlsbüttel Airport

or

Berlin Tegel Airport

would be the two options to come in by plane. There are regular train services from Hamburg Main Railway station and Berlin Zoologischer Garten Railway station to Rostock Main Railway station. The online time table of the railway company „Die Bahn“ are available under

<http://www.db.de/site/bahn/en/start.html>

For foreigners it would be recommended to come in via Hamburg or Berlin on Sunday and stopover there. We will start on Monday not earlier than 13:00 at BSH in Rostock.

**Where to sleep?**

It turned out that during the days of the meeting most of the city hotels of Rostock are already fully booked (because of a congress), therefore I made block bookings in a smaller hotel in a not verydistant suburb but reachable by public transportation and, of course by taxi. The block booking is guaranteed until first of April, so please decide to come to C&S15 quite soon and make use of the code "BSH" for reservation under:

[http://www.landhaus-dierkow.de/default\\_e.htm](http://www.landhaus-dierkow.de/default_e.htm)

The costs are 60,- Euro including breakfast. If someone needs assistance with the booking, please ask me for help.

The hotel staff will tell you how to reach BSH by public transportation. If you are interested to know it in advance, please visit

<http://www.bsh.de/en/The%20BSH/Organisation/Directions/Rostock.jsp>

Finally, I herewith encourage you to come – the BSH-people and myself in particular would be happy to welcome you at our new premises and host a productive C&SMWG meeting.

See you in Rostock!

Mathias Jonas  
Chairman of C&SMWG