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#### SMW T-shirt Design Competition

Date :	February –March
Organiser:	MPA, SMF, SSA and ASMI

This year, members of the public were invited to showcase their creativity and imagination by creating a t-shirt design inspired by their impressions of Maritime Singapore. This competition is organised with the support of LASALLE College of the Arts. The competition attracted more than 700 entries for both the Open and LASALLE Design Communication categories. The winning and shortlisted entries will be displayed at the SMW Exhibition.

#### "An Insight into Maritime Singapore" Exhibition

Date :	1 – 7 April 2010
Time :	10.00am – 10.00pm
Venue :	Plaza Singapura, VivoCity, nex
Organiser:	MPA, SMF, SSA and ASMI

This year's Singapore Maritime Week (SMW) will be preceded by the SMW exhibition, "An insight into Maritime Singapore", at Plaza Singapura, from 1 - 7 April. Satellite exhibitions will be concurrently held at VivoCity and nex.

As part of our efforts to reach out to the public, the exhibition will feature interesting fun facts about Maritime Singapore. The public will get an inside look into what makes up Maritime Singapore through cross-sections, blueprints and interactive exhibits. The exhibition will also showcase winning and shortlisted entries from the T-shirt Design Competition.

#### The Pozzie Project

Date : 1 – 7 April Organiser: MPA

To showcase the vibrancy and diversity of Maritime Singapore through photographs, MPA organised a photography project titled "The Pozzie Project" for the maritime community. "Pozzie" is one of MPA's three maritime characters designed by a local illustrator. The participating maritime organisations photographed Pozzie in various scenes unique to the organisation and its maritime-related work, and the photographs will be displayed at the SMW exhibition to be held at Plaza Singapura from 1 to 7 April as well as at the launch of SMW on 7 April 2013.

## Amazing Maritime Adventure

Date	:	7 April
Time	:	9.00am - 1.00pm
Venue	:	Selected maritime landmarks; Start/ End point at Plaza Singapura
Organi	ser:	MPA, SMF, SSA and ASMI

The Amazing Maritime Adventure (AMA) to be held on Sunday, 7 April, features a unique series of maritime-themed games, quizzes and activities, around some of Singapore's maritime landmarks. This year, a record 1,100 participants signed up for the event, ahead of the deadline for registration. Jointly organised by MPA, Singapore Maritime Foundation, Singapore Shipping Association and Association of Singapore Marine Industries, this event promises to be both fun and challenging, and at the same time makes a perfect outing for friends and families to bond.

#### Launch of the 8<sup>th</sup> Singapore Maritime Week

Date :	7 April
Time :	4.30pm – 6.00pm
Venue :	The Atrium, Plaza Singapura
Organiser:	MPA

SMW 2013 will be officially launched by Mrs Josephine Teo, Minister of State for Finance and Transport, on Sunday, 7 April at Plaza Singapura.

There will be performances, stage games, as well as prize presentations for SMW's T-shirt Design Competition.

# Talk on Economic Sustainability: Acknowledging the Cost of Environmental Shipping Regulation

Date:	8 April
Time:	2.30 – 5.00pm
Venue:	STI Auditorium, Capital Tower
Organiser:	SSA and ICS

The Singapore Shipping Association (SSA) and International Chamber of Shipping (ICS) are very honoured to invite Mr Masamichi Morooka, Chairman of ICS, to address key concerns of maritime transportation, with a focus on compliance from the shipowners' perspective. Mr Morooka will discuss the impact of environmental legislation on shipping and review some of the recent environmental regulations adopted, agreed or under development at the IMO. A look into the future will highlight some of the biggest challenges that the industry must be prepared for in the next few years. His presentation will be followed by a panel discussion with Mr Peter Hinchcliffe, Secretary General of ICS, Mr Esben Poulsson, Secretary of SSA and Mr Daniel Tan, Executive Director of SSA.

#### Launch of the "Sale of Ships Under the Singapore Form" Publication

The first book to provide a practical annotation to the Singapore Ship Sale Form

Date	:	8 April
Time	:	9:00am - 1:00pm
Venue	:	Vanda Ballroom, Level 5, Marina Mandarin Singapore
Organis	ser:	SMF and LexisNexis

LexisNexis® Singapore (<u>www.lexisnexis.com.sg</u>), a leading global provider of content and technology solutions, and the Singapore Maritime Foundation (SMF) are holding an official book launch to celebrate the launch of the publication, **Sale of Ships Under The Singapore Form** on 8<sup>th</sup> April 2013 at Marina Mandarin Singapore

The maritime industry in Asia has seen significant growth in the last few decades. Today, Asian shipowners control about 50% of the world's merchant fleet. As Asia's economic powerhouses, China and India, continue to witness rapid levels of economic growth and the centre of gravity of global shipping steadily shifting towards Asia, ship sales and purchases will increase exponentially. Maritime arbitration and disputes cases in the region are also expected to rise. In response to the Singapore and Asian maritime community's call for an alternative form that would better cater to their needs, SMF had launched the Singapore Ship Sale Form (SSF) in 2011. To date, more than 200 known ship sale and purchase transactions worldwide have used the SSF as their MOA of choice. To visit the official website of the Singapore Ship Sale Form, please visit <u>www.singforms.com</u>.

The launch of the **Sale of Ships Under The Singapore Form** publication will mark a key milestone for the SSF. The publication seeks to be a definitive guide on the Singapore Ship Sale Form, one that provides readers with a detailed clause-by-clause commentary of the SSF, the case law from which it has drawn inspiration and highlights the key differences between the Singapore Ship Sale Form and other alternative forms. The publication also features useful tips, providing readers with the essential

reference tool for the negotiation, closing and enforcement of any ship sale, including the details of Singapore arbitration proceedings.

It is in much hope that the launch of the **Sale of Ships Under The Singapore Form** will benefit the maritime community, allowing practitioners to better understand the SSF. As part of the launch, renowned maritime legal experts and authors of Sale of Ships Under The Singapore Form, Charles Debattista and Filippo Lorenzon would share salient points about the publication with the industry practitioners comprising shipowners, arbitrators, shipping lawyers, ship brokers and charterers amongst others. About 100 - 150 industry players are expected to attend the launch event and the presentation thereafter.

#### Maritime Learning Journeys

Date :	8 – 12 April
Time :	9.00am – 4.00pm
Organiser:	MPA

The MLJ programme provides a glimpse into maritime operations carried out in Maritime Singapore. Participants will go out to sea, visit Raffles Lighthouse, local shipyards and take a tour of the newly opened Singapore Maritime Gallery to gain firsthand experience of our dynamic maritime industry.

#### Sea Asia 2013

Date :	9 – 11 April
Venue :	Marina Bay Sands Singapore
Organiser:	SMF and Seatrade

This is the 4<sup>th</sup> Sea Asia, held in conjunction with Singapore Maritime Week, bringing together over 14,000 CEOs, presidents, decision-makers and maritime professionals from diverse sectors of the global shipping industry. This 3-day event is one of the most comprehensive showcase of maritime products and services with extensive networking opportunities. The conference will assemble leading industry leaders who will be participating in thought-provoking discussions on current issues facing the industry. Sea Asia provides the ultimate platform to gain knowledge, network and do business in Asia's maritime industry.

As part of its initiative to reach out to youth, the Singapore Maritime Foundation (SMF) will be organising the Sea Asia Youth Tour 2013 on 11 April. This guided tour, held in conjunction with the *Sea Asia* Conference and Exhibition, allows maritime students to gain a better understanding and appreciation of the magnitude and significance of the maritime industry and most importantly, interact with the maritime professionals and gain a better understanding of the roles that the different maritime stakeholders play. More than 150 youth across various Institutes of Higher Learning (IHLs) will participate in the Sea Asia Youth Tour 2013. Maritime representatives from various companies will share insights about their companies, available internship and career opportunities to these young people. Participating maritime companies to date include ABS, GAC Singapore, General Insurance Association of Singapore (GIA), IMC Industrial, Jurong Port Pte Ltd, LOC Group (London Offshore Consultants), PSA Corporation Limited, Sembcorp Marine and SingTel Limited.

## International Chemical and Oil Pollution Conference and Exhibition 2013 (ICOPCE 2013)

Date :	9 – 12 April
Venue :	Pan Pacific Hotel, Singapore
Organiser:	MPA

Asia's ONLY international event on risk mitigation for oil and chemical logistics, ICOPCE 2013 will be a platform to reinforce industry initiatives, and allow participants to learn from peers on best practices around the globe. The conference all address and discuss all aspects of risk management -- safe

shipping, interfacing with complex offshore E&P operations or putting in place strategic response systems, all aspects of risk management will be addressed.

#### 7<sup>th</sup> Singapore Maritime Lecture

Date :	10 April
Time :	4:30pm - 6:30pm
Venue :	Shangri-la Hotel
Organiser:	MPA

This year, Mr James Hughes-Hallett, Chairman, John Swire & Sons Limited, will be sharing his insights on strategic maritime issues at the Singapore Maritime Lecture. The 7<sup>th</sup> Singapore Maritime Lecture will take place at Shangri-Ia Hotel on 10 April. This annual high-level forum, attended by prominent personalities and decision-makers in the maritime industry, is by invitation only. Previous speakers include Singapore's former Minister Mentor Lee Kuan Yew, Mr Nils Smedegaard Andersen, Chief Executive Officer of A.P Moller-Maersk Group and Mr Koji Sekimizu, Secretary-General of the International Maritime Organization.

#### International Sportsweek for Seafarers

Date :	10 – 13 April
Venue :	Yio Chu Kang Stadium and Sports Hall
Organiser:	MPA

The International Sportsweek for Seafarers is an annual event organised by MPA to provide sports and recreational activities for seafarers in port. The event brings together seafarers of various nationalities for a time of fun and interaction. The closing ceremony will take place on Saturday, 13 April at Yio Chu Kang Stadium and Sports Hall, 5.00pm – 7.00pm. It will be graced by Associate Professor Muhammad Faishal Ibrahim, Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Transport.

#### **International Maritime Awards 2013**

Date :	11 April
Time :	6.00pm – 10.00pm
Venue :	Shangri-la Hotel
Organiser:	MPA

The biennial Singapore International Maritime Awards (IMA) is a gala dinner and awards ceremony where individuals and companies are recognised for their outstanding contributions to Singapore's development as a premier global hub port and an international maritime centre. The winner of the Next Generation Container Port Challenge, which was launched at SMW 2012, will also be announced at IMA 2013.

## 11<sup>th</sup> MPA Bunkering Forum

Date	:	12 April
Time	:	9.30am - 12:30pm
Venue	:	Multi-Purpose Hall, Mapletree Business City
Organia	ser:	MPA

The MPA Bunkering Forum is a platform to engage and update the industry on the initiatives implemented as well as the on-going reviews/ measures to innovate and enhance Singapore's bunkering industry. The Forum is a closed-door, "by invitation" only event, targeted at bunker suppliers, bunker craft operators, bunker testing laboratories, bunker surveyors and shipping companies.

#### Launch - Global Marine Trends 2030

Date :	8 April
Time :	5.00pm
Venue :	Raffles Hotel Singapore
Organiser:	Lloyd's Register

What will 2030 look like for the marine industry as such forces as population change, shifts in economic activity, the demand and allocation of resources and the impact of the environment gather momentum and transform the world around us?

Global Marine Trends 2030 is a comprehensive report examining the future of the maritime industries - developed by Lloyd's Register's Strategic Research Group, QinetiQ and the University of Strathclyde.

This cutting edge research is being shared to encourage a broader understanding of global issues that affect the marine industry and their impact in the form of key drivers and scenarios. http://www.lr.org/sectors/marine/Researchandtechnology/

#### The Oxford Bunker Course (Advanced)

Date :	8 – 10 April
Time :	8.00am – 5:00pm
Venue :	Swissôtel Merchant Court
Organiser:	Petrospot Limited

This three-day intensive training course has been held as part of Singapore Maritime Week since 2011.

Using leading experts in their fields, the *Oxford Bunker Course (Advanced)* in Singapore will cover technical, operational, commercial and legal aspects of bunkering to a high level of competence. The highly-intensive course is intended as a 'step up' to the next level for people who have attended the Oxford Bunker Course in the UK and/or who are two or more years in to a career in one side or other of the bunker industry. The programme includes a combination of lectures, exercises and tests.

The Course Director is Nigel Draffin.

Nigel has been involved in shipping for nearly 50 years and with the commercial bunker market for over 25 years. He is a founder member of the International Bunker Industry Association (IBIA) and in April 2012 because it's Chairman. Nigel is also Course Director of *The Oxford Bunker Course*, a member of the Institute of Marine Engineering Science and Technology and past Master of the Worshipful Company of Fuellers.

Nigel is assisted by expert lecturers Douglas Raitt, Global FOBAS Manager, Lloyd's Register, John Phillips, Managing Director, Ocean Intelligence, Matthews George, Operations Manager, DNV Petroleum Services, Trevor Harrison, Maritime Arbitrator, Mediator and Legal Consultant, Acting CEO, IBIA and Chris Edwards, Partner, Clyde & Co. LLP.

## 4<sup>th</sup> Annual FPSO Conference

Date :	8 - 11 April
Venue :	Marina Bay Sands, Singapore
Organiser:	IBC Asia

The 4<sup>th</sup> Annual FPSO offers a key industry platform for offshore field developers, FPSO owners, operators, shipyards and contractors to share know-how, explore synergies and develop sound business partnerships. Once again held in conjunction with the Singapore Maritime Week, it is Asia's

leading offshore conference covering the latest FPSO market updates, technology, design, construction and safety innovations as well as fundamental operational and maintenance strategies.

## 2013 Conference Highlights:

- FPSO Investment Hotspots from Asia and Across the Globe
- Deepwater & Arctic FPSOs
- Shipyard Best Practices in FPSO Construction
- FPSO Topside Standardization
- FPSO Upgrading versus Replacement
- FPSO Leasing versus Ownership
- FPSO Newbuilds, Conversions & Redeployment
- FPSO Self-Propulsion Techniques
- GTL-Integrated & Energy Efficient FPSOs
- FPSO Asset Integrity Management
- Pioneering FPSO Offshore Dry-Docking
- The Latest FPSO Financing & Contracting Strategies
- FPSO Safety & Localization Standards

## Featuring Offshore Field Developers, FPSO Operators & Shipyards:

- Brian Helyer, Vice-President, Operations, Krisenergy, Singapore
- Anthony Cailao, Chief Executive Officer, PNOC, Philippines
- Peter Zeilinger, Chief Executive Officer, OMV, New Zealand
- Vilmar Carneiro Barbosa, Production Project Manager, OGX, Brazil
- Meenakshi Sundaram, General Manager, Production, ONGC, India
- Nick Routledge, Vice-President, Field Development, Aibel, Singapore
- Jeff Davison, Production and Development Manager, Premier Oil, Vietnam
- Hassan Basma, Chief Executive Officer, Bumi Armada, Malaysia
- Lars Odeskaug, Chief Operations Officer, Sevan Marine, Norway
- Maartan Van Aller, Chief Operations Officer, Petrofac Floating Production, Singapore
- Jon Dunstan, Chief Operations Officer, EMAS Production, Singapore
- Alvin Strang, Vice-President, Asset Management and Operations, Bumi Armada, Malaysia
- Kailash C. Gupta, General Manager, Engineering, Tanker Pacific Offshore, Singapore
- Gianluca Orlandi, FPSO PM, Eni, Angola

The 4<sup>th</sup> Annual FPSO Summit is part of IBC Asia's Offshore Vessels & Rigs Conference Series featuring co-located events Offshore Support Vessels and Offshore Drilling Rigs. It is the must attend event that brings 500+ participants with shared opening keynote speeches and networking benefits, plus an expanded exhibitor space in one location, for participants to enjoy. For more information, visit <a href="http://www.fpsoconference.com/">http://www.fpsoconference.com/</a>

## 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Offshore Drilling Rigs

Date :	8 – 11 April
Venue :	Marina Bay Sands, Singapore
Organiser:	IBC Asia

IBC Asia's Offshore Drilling Rigs 2013 event will provide global insight on emerging investment opportunities within the design, engineering, build and operation of offshore drilling rigs by delivering the entire value chain in one place.

## Reasons to attend:

- Comprehensive agenda featuring 2 dedicated tracks
  - Design, Technology and Operations

- Commercial and Investment
- Capitalise on emerging investment opportunities across the entire offshore drilling rig value chain
- Updates on the global offshore drilling rig market trends
- Maximise oil and gas recovery through subsea tiebacks and installations
- Combat downtime risk and high pressure, high temperature (HPHT) drilling challenge
- Best practices for field development in harsh environments: Arctic & Deepwater
- Discover the latest developments in offshore rig design & drilling operations
- Navigate local content laws and sustain long-term business partnerships
- Strategic workshops on Offshore Rig Life Extension & Subsea Field Development and Engineering Solutions in Maximising Oil & Gas Recovery
- Bigger networking platform with the co-location of our OSV and FPSO events

#### 10 discussion themes:

- The Global Offshore Drilling Rig Market Outlook & New Investment Opportunities
- Newbuilds & Latest Rig Designs
- Local Content & Environmental Standards
- Offshore Field Development: Arctic & Deepwater
- Rig Financing, Bunkering and Contracts
- High Pressure High Temperature (HPHT) Drilling
- Competency Building & Crew Management
- Rig Maintenance, Upgrades & Conversions
- Safe & Efficient Offshore Drilling Operations
- Enhancing Offshore Drilling Rig Business: Opportunities & Challenges

For more information, visit <u>http://www.offshoredrillrigs.com</u>. Download ODR 2013 brochure at <u>http://www.ibc-asia.com/conferences/energy/offshore-drilling-rigs/download-brochure</u>.

## 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Offshore Support Vessels 2013

Date :	8 - 11 April
Venue :	Marina Bay Sands, Singapore
Organiser:	IBC Asia

The 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Offshore Support Vessels conference will once again bring together the movers, shakers and leaders of Asia's booming offshore support sector. In keeping with tradition, this premier yearly get-together during Singapore Maritime Week 2013 will be co-located with FPSO and Offshore Drilling Rigs, and feature simultaneous streams on Commercial & Finance and Design & Technology.

IBC's OSV Conference has earned the reputation of a must-attend conference for the offshore maritime industry in Asia. The theme, "Bringing Commercial Trends and Projections to the Forefront" encapsulates market opportunities, and attracts ship owners, shipbuilders, brokers and designers who are looking for business in and outside the region. The 5<sup>th</sup> Annual event will once again be part of Singapore Maritime Week 2013.

"In comparison with other events in Europe and North America, there were new faces and the delegates and speakers were more open to new ideas. The event was really focusing on the

addressed topics with excellent networking opportunities" - Stefan Hadeler, Senior Project Engineer, Naval Architect, VP - Project Design Department, Nordic Yards.

## Reasons to Attend:

- Network with the leaders, movers and shakers of the OSV sector in Asia and across the world
- Learn market strategies of the most successful shipowners and shipyard
- Find out the latest trends and how it would affect demand, pricing and supply
- Hear the latest updates from offshore hotspots: Brazil, West Africa and Arctic regions Discover how the future would shape up and understand the main drivers for all these changes
- Assess the cost and technical challenges for shifting to more energy efficient options
- Find out how you can get financing for newbuilds, projects and operations
- Be inspired with the vision of thought-leaders from CEO roundtable and Keynote sessions
- Deepen your understanding of the Asian market and hear about new upcoming opportunities
- Develop new partners, find new markets and learn how to expand your business globally
- Find out new technical opportunities, new innovative equipments for vessel's improved capabilities and performance

## Highlights at This Year's Event:

- CEO Roundtable Achieving High Fleet Utilisation
- Deepwater and Distant Field Opportunities Discussion trends and new requirements
- Offshore Brokers Panel Segment analysis and predictions
- OSV Financiers Forum
- Optimal Contracting and Chartering Strategies
- Dialogue with Charterer's on their expectations from the OSV market
- Technologists' Panel on Analysing costs involved on using LNG as fuel
- Open discussion on market development strategies on regional offshore hotspots
- Indonesia Update from SKMIGAS (formerly known as BPMIGAS)
- Strategic discourse from the world's largest vessel owners and builders

## **ReCAAP ISC Piracy and Sea Robbery Conference 2013**

Date	:	9 April
Time	:	1:30pm – 5.00pm
Venue	:	Pan Pacific Hotel, Singapore
Organia	ser:	ReCAAP-ISC, BIMCO, INTERTANKO, RSIS

The ReCAAP Information Sharing Centre (ISC), together with BIMCO, INTERTANKO and the S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies (RSIS), will jointly organize the ReCAAP ISC Piracy and Sea Robbery Conference 2013 on 9 April 2013 at the Pan Pacific Hotel, Singapore. The conference will feature a presentation by the ReCAAP ISC on the piracy and sea robbery situation in Asia, sharing of views by the Asian Shipowners' Forum (ASF), update by the International Maritime Organisation (IMO) on international efforts and initiatives; and culminate with a panel discussion involving distinguished speakers from the ReCAAP ISC, IMO, international shipping associations, enforcement agency, shipping company, and crew on anti-piracy measures, lessons learned and challenges encountered. The conference is aimed to provide a platform for interactive discussion between speakers and the audience who comprising government agencies, local and international shipping associations, shipping associations, research institutes and like-minded individuals.

## Singapore Association of Ship Suppliers 33<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary Dinner

Date :	9 April
Venue :	Singapore Island Country Club
Organiser:	Singapore Association of Ship Suppliers

The Singapore Association of Ship Suppliers (SASS) has entered its 33<sup>rd</sup> year and will mark this important milestone with a Gala Evening at the Singapore Island Country Club on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> April 2013.

SASS was established by ship suppliers to promote their economic interests and to assist with the development of their activities both nationally and internationally. Today SASS has over 40 Ordinary Members. These are the general ship supply companies, who attend and supply the products and services required by the many ships and oil-rigs that visit the Port of Singapore and its anchorages every year. Singapore is the world's leading supply port. Over the years, thanks to the endeavours of its ship suppliers, Singapore has developed a superb reputation in the international market for reliable quality, good service and excellent availability of a very broadly based range of marine stores, supplies and spares. A modern ship represents a major investment for its owners, and it is essential that it operates at optimum efficiency. Effective and accurate resupply is essential - this is the task of the SASS members. Efficient ship supply is a key component of the Port of Singapore's shore support services.

In addition to the general ship suppliers, SASS has Associate Members. The Associates do not supply direct to ships, but fulfill the important function as vendors of specialist products and services required by the ship supply industry. The SASS Associate members are not only suppliers to the industry in Singapore, but also have a regional function – they are an important supply source for ship chandlers across the Asian region.

SASS is Singapore's national representative of the International Shipsupply & Services Association (ISSA) with its headoffice in London. ISSA, which was formed in 1955, represents over 2,100 ship suppliers in almost 100 countries. Further information is available on the ISSA website: <a href="https://www.shipsupply.org">www.shipsupply.org</a>

The Gala Evening will start at 6.30pm with a Networking Reception when a number of the vendors to the ship-supply industry – including SASS's Associate members - will showcase their products and services. The Gala Dinner (8pm) will be attended by SASS's members and their guests, and also representatives from a number of regional and overseas ship supply associations. The International Ship Supply Association President – Mr Jens Olsen – will be in attendance. The Senior Guest-of-Honour will be Captain M. Segar, Deputy CEO at MPA.

In summary, the Singapore Association of Ship Suppliers is a vibrant and active Singapore trade association that is marking its 33<sup>rd</sup> Birthday with a Gala Evening at the Singapore Island Country Club on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> April 2013 from 6.30pm.

Further information is available at <u>www.shipsuppliers.sg</u> and from the SASS Secretariat:

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#### Ballast Water Treatment Technology Conference

Date :	4 – 9 April
Venue :	Orchard Hotel, Singapore
Organiser:	Riviera Maritime Media

Riviera Maritime Media is privileged to bring its sixth Ballast Water Treatment Technology Conference to Singapore. We are grateful for the support received from the Singapore maritime community.

Over 600 industry professionals have attended the Riviera Ballast Water Treatment Technology Conference series to date. Approximately one third of the attendees have come from the shipowning/operating community.

Over the next two days we will take an in-depth look at the challenges facing shipowners including: Singapore's key implementation challenges and its efforts to meet these challenges; regulations and the cost of compliance; system selection; when, where, how to install; in-service performance and reliability; testing and compliance; exemptions and fresh water issues affecting inland waterways.

The programme is enhanced with the structured 'spotlight' sessions which have become a hallmark of our conference series. One will focus on high profile shipowners/operators and their perspectives and experiences on all facets of ballast water management, and another will put the spotlight on suppliers.

Our format also includes the ever popular roundtable session which will provide a platform for an open exchange of views on a range of in-service issues and operational experiences. Delegates will be free to attend one or more of the roundtables which will be led by an expert in the subject being covered.

The conference reflects the quality of the Ballast Water Treatment Technology Guide, published by Riviera Maritime Media. Now in its fifth year, this annual publication gives its readers an overview of current legislation as well as the technology from which shipowners, managers, naval architects, marine engineers and shipyards can make the right choices.

Riviera now has a permanent presence in Singapore and will be organising further conferences here this year: Asian Offshore Support Journal Conference (10-11 September 2013) and Asian Dynamic Positioning Conference (12 September 2013).

For more information, visit <u>www.bwttconference.com</u>.

#### Sailors' Society Drinks Reception

Date :	10 April
Time :	6:00pm - 9:30pm
Venue :	Singapore Cricket Club
Organiser:	Sailors' Society

On Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> April 2013 the Sailors' Society will be holding a complimentary drinks reception at the Singapore Cricket Club as part of Singapore Maritime Week. The event will take place from 6pm – 9:30pm.

Over 250 guests will come from across the shipping industry to celebrate the Sailors' Societies latest fundraising event, the Asian challenge. It also acts as a perfect opportunity for new supporters to hear about the Sailors' Societies vital work.

The event is once again sponsored by International law firm Ince and Co alongside Teekay.

The Sailors' Society is an international charity that provides a personal lifeline for seafarers throughout the world. Existing to enrich and enhance the well-being of the world's 1.2 million seafarers, the charity offers practical help, emotional and spiritual support and, when in dire need, financial assistance and family liaison through our port chaplains and Seafarers' Centres. Our port

chaplains visit thousands of ships every year, directly addressing the needs of seafarers - irrespective of a person's belief or nationality - as well as maintaining vital links within the Ports that they operate.

#### Moore Stephens Singapore Shipping Forum 2013

Date	:	11 April 2013
Venue	:	The Tower Club Singapore, Republic Plaza 1, Level 62 Penthouse
Organis	ser:	Moore Stephens

The global shipping industry is set to face continued challenging business conditions as weak demand for goods and services continue to afflict the global shipping ecosystem. The structural imbalance within shipping has created an environment where sentiment fluctuates daily.

The Moore Stephens Singapore Shipping Forum 2013, held in conjunction with the Singapore Maritime Week 2013, will cover the economic trends that affect the shipping industry, as well as what we can expect going forward, both challenges and opportunities in the shipping arena.

Through the presentations and discussions, participants will be able to listen to and interact with leading speakers as well as other Forum Participants in determining the needs of repositioning shipping business in turbulent times.

www.moorestephens.com.sg/SSF2013

## 5<sup>th</sup> Asian Maritime Law Conference

 Date :
 11 – 13 April

 Venue :
 Swissotel Merchant Court, Singapore

 Organiser:
 Maritime Law Association of Singapore, Transport Law Commission of AIJA

 (International Association of Young Lawyers).

The Maritime Law Association of Singapore (MLAS) will organise its 5<sup>th</sup> run of the Asian Maritime Law Conference (5AMLC) from 11 to 13 April 2013 at the Swissotel Merchant Court, Singapore.

The Conference will be organised in collaboration with the Transport Law Commission of AIJA (International Association of Young Lawyers).

The theme of 5AMLC is "The Future of Shipping". As in previous AMLCs, delegates are expected to be from all sectors of the shipping industry.

The topics to be covered at the Conference include:

- The compliance with international sanctions and its increasing impact on shipping and insurance.
- The latest developments in shipping law with focus on sale and purchase of second-hand tonnage, international trade, and charterparties and bills of lading.
- The future direction of maritime arbitration.

The AMLCs always provide delegates opportunities to interact and learn from each other's work and experience. A number of sessions will be interactive, where speakers and delegates will be given the platform to ask questions and share their views. There will also be a cocktail on 11 April and a networking dinner on 12 April to be held at the Resort World in Sentosa, and we are certain that all delegates will benefit from their attendance at the Conference.

On 13 April, delegates have the added option of joining a half-day tour to the Gardens by the Bay, with a lovely breakfast at the Verandah, followed by a tour of the Flower Dome and Cloud Forest. They would also get to experience, first-hand, the Vessel Traffic Information System Simulator at the

Singapore Maritime Gallery, and finish off with a sumptuous lunch at the renowned O'Learys at the Singapore Flyer.