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**BUP Summer Course on Sustainability, River Basin
Management and Climate Change in the Baltic Sea**

21 – 24 September 2010, Hamburg, Germany

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Introduction

The Summer Course is an initiative of the German office of the Baltic University Programme in Hamburg and is organized in cooperation with the Interreg IVB Baltic Sea Region project WATERPRAXIS. It is meant to acquaint delegates from various countries about matters related to sustainable development, river basin management and climate issues in the Baltic, as well as foster international and multicultural learning. The course will offer a state-of-the-art overview of matters related to sustainable development and river basin management and will be a timely contribution towards efforts in the internationalisation, networking and cultural interaction among local government officials, practitioners and students from Baltic countries.

Participants

People from local governments, officials, engineers, practitioners and students from Baltic countries may register for the Summer Course. Students from all subjects currently registered at universities across the Baltic Sea are especially welcome to attend the Summer Course. Interested participants need to register until the 30th June 2010 (see registration form). This is a final date and no registrations will be accepted after this deadline.

Format of Modules and Accreditation

The Summer Course consists of seven Modules:

Module I: The Baltic, its environment and climate change

Module II: Putting in a legal frame: adaptation to climate change – an essential element of the climate policies in the Baltic Sea region

Module III: Common property and open access regimes in the context of water management and good governance

Module IV: The European Water Framework Directive – Implications on river management in the Baltic

Module V: Potential impact of climate change on the water quality of the Baltic Sea

Module VI: Environmental management and legislation

Module VII: Approaches, methods and case studies on sustainable river basin management in the Baltic Sea

Each module will be delivered by means of lectures, followed by discussions. In some modules, group work will be performed. Upon completion of the Summer Course, participants will be required to write short essays (8-10 pages) on river-basin management issues, which will subsequently be assessed. The work performed in the framework of the Summer Course can be used as certificate of further education (Weiterbildungszertifikat) or as a partial fulfillment to requirements in graduate or post-graduate studies.

Certificate

An official Certificate of participation will be issued by the Baltic University Programme to all participants who have attended the Summer Course and have successfully submitted their essays.

Registration and other Details

Registration is free of charges and needs to be done until the 30th June 2010 at the latest. No registrations after the deadline may be accepted. Participants are expected to cover their own travel costs. Exceptions may be discussed on an individual basis. Accommodation will be provided free of charges to all registered participants for the period of Tuesday 21st September 2010 (arrival) until the morning of Saturday the 25th September 2010 totalling four nights.



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21 – 24 September 2010
Hamburg, Germany

Tuesday, 21st September 2010

18.00 Uhr
Arrival and welcome dinner

Wednesday, 22nd September 2010

09.00 – 09.30 Uhr
Arrival and coffee

Room 1.07, HAW Hamburg, Campus Bergedorf
Lohbrügger Kirchstraße 65, 21033 Hamburg

09.30 – 10.00 Uhr
Official opening and welcome remarks

10.00 – 11.00 Uhr
Module I: The Baltic, its environment and climate change
Prof. Walter Leal, HAW Hamburg, Germany

11.00 – 12.00 Uhr
Module II: Putting in a legal frame: adaptation to climate change – an essential element of the climate policies in the Baltic Sea region
Maris Clavins, BaltCICA

12.00 – 12.30 Uhr
Discussion

12.30 – 14.00 Uhr
Lunch

14.00 – 15.30 Uhr
Module III: Common property and open access regimes in the context of water management and good governance
Prof. Joost Platje, University of Opole, Poland

15.30 – 16.00 Uhr
Coffee break

16.00 – 17.30 Uhr
Group work

18.00 Uhr
Dinner and evening discussion

Thursday, 23rd September 2010

07.30 – 08.30 Uhr
Breakfast at your hotel

09.00 – 10.30 Uhr
Module IV: The European Water Framework Directive – Implications on river management in the Baltic
Prof. Bernd Delakowitz, University of Applied Sciences Zittau/Görlitz, Germany

10.30 – 11.00 Uhr
Coffee break

11.00 – 12.30 Uhr
Module V: Potential impact of climate change on the water quality of the Baltic Sea
Prof. Susanne Heise, HAW Hamburg, Germany

12.30 – 14.00 Uhr
Lunch

14.00 – 15.30 Uhr
Module VI: Environmental management and legislation
Prof. Sergei Zenchenko, MESI, Belarus

15.30 – 16.00 Uhr
Coffee break

16.00 – 17.30 Uhr
Group work
Evening: Individual reports

Friday, 24th September 2010

07.30 – 08.30 Uhr
Breakfast at your hotel

09.00 – 12.30 Uhr
Module VII: Approaches, methods and case studies on sustainable river basin management in the Baltic Sea

12.30 – 14.00 Uhr
Lunch

14.00 – 17.00 Uhr
Field visit with a boat around the Elbe River

17.00 – 19.00 Uhr
Free time

19.00 Uhr: Farewell dinner

Saturday, 25th September 2010

Departure of participants

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Registration form (please type or use block letters!)

Title: _____ First name: _____ Nationality: _____

Family Name: _____ male female

University: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Course/Degree Programme you are attending: _____

Postal Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Fax: _____

E-mail: _____

Mobile phone (if available): _____

Do you require a Visa to enter the Federal Republic of Germany?

Yes No

Do you have any dietary requirements?

Yes No

If so, which ones: _____

Please scan and email this form to **ftz-als@ls.haw-hamburg.de**
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