

BSSC 2005
Sopot, 19-23 June 2005
Program

Sunday, June 19

09:00 – 16:00	BOOS Annual meeting, IOPAS building, Sopot
10:00 – 16:20	Workshop: Relative Sea Level changes, Polish Geological Institute building, Gdańsk-Oliwa
14:00 – 20:00	BSSC Registration, Hotel Haffner, Sopot
15:00 -	BMB meeting, hotel Haffner, lecture room “Myśliwska”

Monday, June 20

08:30 – 09:00	Opening	
09:00 – 10:30	<u>Plenary session:</u>	CLIMATE CHANGE Chair: Pentti Mäkki
	9:00 – 9:30	Invited: Hydrographic changes in Northern Seas and their impact on the Ocean Circulation and Climate - Robert R. Dickson
	9:30 – 9:45	BACC – An attempt to summarize and assess knowledge about climate change and impact in the Baltic Sea Catchment area - <u>Hans von Storch</u> , Bodo von Bodungen, Phil Graham, Raino Heino, Heikki Toumenvirta
	9:45 – 10:00	The Baltic Sea 100 years ago - <u>Fred Wulff</u> , Oleg Savchuk, Sven Hille, Christoph Humborg and Falk Pollene
	10:00 – 10:15	The Baltic Sea ocean climate system memory and response to changes in the heat and water balance components - <u>Daniel Hansson</u> , Anders Omstedt
	10:15 – 10:30	Sedimentary records of environmental changes of the central Baltic Sea during the past 1000 years - <u>Thomas Leipe</u> , Sven Hille, Maren Voss, Jan Bartholdy, Christian Christiansen
10:30 – 11:00	<i>Coffee</i>	
11:00 – 12:30	<u>Plenary session:</u>	CHANGING ECOSYSTEM Chair: Pauli Snoeijs

- 11:00 – 11:30 Invited: Baltic Sea research funding collaboration**
Kaisa Kononen, Stanisław Massel
- 11:30 – 11:45 Variability of the environment and their consequences for succession phenomena – Irregular fluctuations causing stable trends? - Hendrik Schubert**
- 11:45 – 12:00 Estuarine ecosystem under the increasing stress of biological invasions: experience in and perspectives for the development of monitoring system (case study of the eastern Gulf of Finland) – Marina I. Orlova, A. F. Alimov, I.V. Telesh., N.A. Berezina, A.A. Maximov**
- 12:00 – 12:15 Changes in function and dynamics of the components of the eastern part gulf of Finland ecosystem - Tatyana Eremina, Alexey Isaev, Alexey Nekrasov**
- 12:15 – 12:30 Assessment of iron bioavailability for Baltic cyanobacteria population in seawater from the Landsort Deep region - Lidia Żeglinska, Johan Gelting-Nystrom, Alicja Kosakowska, Johan Ingri**

12:30 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 15:30 Parallel sessions:

CBO: VARIABILITY

Chair: Vadim Paka, lecture room “Gdynia”

- 14:00 – 14:15 Influence of temperature and precipitation on decadal Baltic Sea level variations in the 20th century - Birgit Hünicke, Eduardo Zorita**
- 14:15 – 14:30 15 years satellite derived Sea Surface Temperature of the Baltic Sea - Herbert Siegel, M. Gerth, G. Tschersich**
- 14:30 – 14:45 Low-frequency variability of the Baltic Sea level fields on the base of the satellite altimeter data - E.A. Zakharchuk, A.K. Gusev, Yu.P. Klevantsov, N. A. Tikhonova, V. R. Foux**
- 14:45 – 15:00 A 10 year simulation of the Baltic Sea –a model-based analysis of sea-level variability, circulation and ventilation rate of the Gulf of Bothnia - Kai Myrberg, Oleg A. Andrejev**
- 15:00 – 15:15 Validation of Boundary Layer Parameters of Climate Model REMO - E. Reimer, B. Streckenbach, M. Woldt, H. Billing**
- 15:15 – 15:30 Centre for Marine Forecasting, DMI - Erik Buch**

BMB: ECOSYSTEM STRUCTURE AND PELAGIC PROCESSES, INCLUDING HARMFUL PHYTOPLANKTON BLOOMS I

Chair: , lecture room “Gdańsk”

- 14:15 – 14:30 Neva Estuary ecosystem: the past and the present – Irena V. Telesh, S.M. Golubkov, A.F. Alimov**
- 14:30 – 14:45 Primary production and chlorophyll “a” concentration as indexes of eutrophication of the Neva Estuary (eastern Gulf of Finland) – Mikhail S. Golubkov, S.M. Golubkov, L.P. Umnova**
- 14:45 – 15:00 Effects of the nutrient addition on the Baltic Sea diatom spring bloom Björn. H. Brodherr**
- 15:00 – 15:15 Seasonal cycle patterns of dominant phytoplankton groups in the Bornholm Basin (Baltic Sea): A comparison of *in situ* fluorescence profiles with a multispectrofluorometer and satellite data – Dirk M. Mengedoh, J. van Beusekom, J.N. Schwarz**
- 15:15 – 15:30 Inter-annual variability of cyanobacteria blooms in the Baltic Sea – Frank Janssen, M. Kahru, T. Neumann, T. Seifert**

BSG: Workshops: Relative Sea Level change

Baltic IODP project (see information at <http://www.pgi.gda.pl>)

15:30 - 16:00 Coffee

16:00 – 17:30 Parallel sessions:

CBO: PROCESSES

Chair: Erik Buch , lecture room “Gdynia”

- 16:00 – 16:15 Detection and description of mesoscale eddies in four deep basins of the Baltic Sea - Jan Reissmann**
- 16:15 – 16:30 Geometry of soliton interactions in shallow water - Tarmo Soomere, Jüri Engelbrecht**
- 16:30 – 16:45 Hydrographic conditions over Baltic Banks - Philip Axe, Helma Lindow**

- 16:45 – 17:00 **Knowledge of the Baltic Sea physics gained during the BALTEX and related programmes** - Anders Omstedt
- 17:00 – 17:15 **Simulations of eddy diffusivity in the Gulf of Finland** - Adolf Konrad Stips, Madis-Jaak Lilover
- 17:15 – 17:30 **On continuous sea level data assimilation in the Gdansk Basin (the Southern Baltic) - numerical study** - Andrzej Jankowski, Jan Jędrasik

BMB: ECOSYSTEM STRUCTURE AND PELAGIC PROCESSES, INCLUDING HARMFUL PHYTOPLANKTON BLOOMS II

Chair: , lecture room "Gdańsk"

- 16:00 – 16:15 **A simple tool for early prediction of the cyanobacteria *Nodularia spumigena* bloom biomass in the Gulf of Finland** - Madis-Jaak Lilover, J. Laanemets
- 16:15 – 16:30 **Near-coast blooms of the cyanobacterium *Nodularia spumigena* (Southern Baltic Sea) – Effects of iron manipulations in short-term microcosm experiments with dense bloom material** – Bianka Schubert, S. Dahlke, A. Schoor
- 16:30 – 16:45 **The influence of harmful algal blooms on development of juvenile salmon** – Maija Balode, M. Zagars, R. Medne, I. Purina, M. Pfeifere
- 16:45 – 17:00 **Improved Phytoplankton Dynamics in the Baltic Sea Applying a 3 Algae Species Model** - Anders Christian Erichsen, L. Bredahl, J.V.T. Sørensen, E.K. Rasmussen
- 17:00 – 17:15 **Could autoinvasions stop the bioinvaders – toxic cyanobacteria blooms and invasion of round goby, the Ponto-Caspian fish, in the Gulf of Gdańsk** – Mariusz Sapota, Monika Graczyk

BSG: Workshops: **Relative Sea Level changes**
Baltic IODP project (see information at <http://www.pgi.gda.pl>)

18:00 – 19:00 BONUS Workshop, convener Chris Hopkins, lecture room "Sopot"

19:00 – 21:00 Reception/icebreaker - IO PAS garden

Tuesday, June 21

09:00 – 10:30 Plenary session: LAST GLACIAL CYCLE RECORDS OF CLIMATE CHANGES

Chair: Leszek Marks, Jörn Thiede

- 9:00 – 9:30 **Invited: The last glacial cycle and its impact in and around northern Eurasia**
Jörn Thiede
- 9:30 – 9:45 **The palaeogeographical and climatic evolution of the Baltic Sea during the Last Interglacial** - Philip Gibbard
- 9:45 – 10:00 **Through the volcanic noise – a well-hidden Holocene paleoclimatic record from the Azores** - Svante Björck
- 10:00 – 10:15 **History the Baltic Sea during the last glacial cycle** - Thomas Andrén
- 10:15 – 10:30 **The Great Belt gateway to the Baltic** – Jorn Bo Jensen, O. Bennike, W. Lemke, A. Kuijpers, R. Endler

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee

11:00 – 12:30 Plenary session: MODELLING

Chair: Bernd Schneider

- 11:00 - 11:30 **Invited: Modelling the Baltic, an over-the-horizon perspective**
David Prandle
- 11:30 – 11:45 **Modeling the age of Baltic Sea water masses: inter-annual variability, steady-state sensitivity experiments, and scenarios** - H.E. Markus Meier
- 11:45 – 12:00 **Upwelling in the Baltic Sea – A numerical model case study** – Andreas Lehmann, H.-H. Hinrichsen
- 12:00 – 12:15 **Validation of oil drift models based on buoy experiments during a rapidly-crossing weather front in the Gulf of Finland** - Maria Gästgifvars, Hannu Lauri, Annakaisa Sarkanen, Kai Myrberg, Oleg Andrejev and Cecilia Ambjör
- 12:15 – 12:30 **Modelling the Carbon Cycle of the Baltic Sea** - Karin Wesslander and Anders Omstedt

12:30 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 15:30 Parallel sessions:

CBO: MODELING I

Chair: Kai Myrberg, lecture room "Gdynia"

- 14:00 – 14:15 **Results of simulation of mean circulation in the south Baltic** - [Robert Osiński](#)
14:15 – 14:30 **Investigations of the sensitivity of the 2003 Major Baltic Inflow using a 3D operational hydrodynamic model, with a view to the frequency of MBIs in future climates –**
[Peter S. Rasch](#), Anders C. Erichsen
14:30 – 14:45 **Operational modelling on the Baltic-North Sea water exchange – the state-of-the-art and future challenges** - [Jun She](#)
14:45 – 15:00 **A simple model of wind wave climate in semi-enclosed sea areas** - [Tarmo Soomere](#)
15:00 – 15:15 **Modeling waves in past and future climates of the Baltic Sea** - [Barry Broman](#),
H.E. Markus Meier
15:15 – 15:30 **Simulations of spreading of waste water in the Neva Bay with a 3-D model –**
[Vladimir Ryabchenko](#), Vladimir Konoplev, Vladislav Rumyanzev, Sergei Kondratjev, Shamil Pozdnyakov
15:30 – 15:45 **The influence of meteorological forcing on the results of an 3D ecosystem model of the Baltic Sea** - [Christine Kremp](#), Torsten Seifert, Frank Janssen

BMB: PELAGIC PROCESSES: BALTIC ZOOPLANKTON AND FISH I

Chair:, lecture room "Gdańsk"

- 14:30 – 14:45 **Zooplankton, layers and interactions** – [Jan Schulz](#), H.-J. Hirche
14:45 – 15:00 **Certain aspects of the zooplankton community state in the different parts of the Baltic Sea at the end of 1990s - beginning of the 2000s years** – [Tatiana A. Shchuka](#)
15:00 – 15:15 **Scyphozoa in the Bornholm Basin (central Baltic Sea) – the role of advection –**
[Kristina Barz](#), H.-H. Hinrichsen, H.-J. Hirche
15:15 – 15:30 **Short term ecological structures of the mesozooplankton in the River Odra estuary –**
[Juliusz C. Chojnacki](#), S. Machula

BSG: MODELING OF SEDIMENTARY PROCESSES AND COASTAL GEOLOGY

Chair: Terry Healy, lecture room "Sopot"

- 14:00 – 14:15 **The erosion risk of surface sediments in the Mecklenburg Bight: Influences of data sets with different temporal and spatial resolutions** – [Björn Bohling](#)
14:15 – 14:30 **Numerical modeling of sand sediments moveability in the south-east Baltic Sea**
[Nikolai Golenko](#), Maria Golenko, Vadim Sivkov, Sergey Shchuka
14:30 – 14:45 **Morphological, geological and hydrodynamic conditions of abrasion of Hel Peninsula in Kuźnica region** – [Leszek Łęczyński](#)
14:45 – 15:00 **Sediment transport and coastline changes in west Estonian archipelago**
[Hannes Tõnisson](#), R. Ravis, U. Ratas, A. Kont, K. Orviku
15:00 – 15:15 **Holocene shore formation of the Baltic basins in the Lithuanian sector**
[Jonas Seckus](#), L. Z. Gelumbaускаite
15:15 – 15:30 **Southern coastal zone of the eastern Gulf of Finland development (from Lebyazhye settlement to St.Petersburg flood protective dam)** - [G.A. Suslov](#), D.V. Riabchouk, E.N. Nesterova, E.K. Fedorova

15:30 – 16:00 *Coffee*

16:00 – 17:30 **Parallel sessions:**

16:00 – 20:00 **CBO: Workshop: Ventilation of the Baltic Sea deep water**

Conveners: Markus Meier, Reiner Feistel, Jan Piechura, lecture room "Myśliwska"

16:00 - [Jürgen Sellschopp](#), Volker Fiekas, Michaela Knoll, Frank Gerdes, Lars Arneborg, Ulrich Lass, Volker Mohrholz, Hans Burchard, Lars Umlauf - Repeated observations during an inflow event into the Arkona Sea

16.15 Fiekas, V., L. Arneborg, H. Prandke, J. Sellschopp, and M. Knoll: Fine-structure and mixing during a salt water inflow into the wintry Arkona Sea (O)

16.30 Burchard, H., H. U. Lass, V. Mohrholz, L. Umlauf, J. Sellschopp, V. Fiekas, K. Bolding, and L. Arneborg: Dynamics of medium-intensity dense water plumes in the Arkona Basin, Western Baltic Sea (O)

16.45 Arneborg, L., V. Fiekas, and H. Burchard: Mixing and dynamics of a gravity plume – observations, theory, and modeling (O)

17.00 Mohrholz, V.: On the contribution of small inflow events to the ventilation of the subhalocline layers of the Baltic (O)

17.15 Paka, V.T., and N.N. Golenko: Features of water exchange in vicinity of the Slupsk Sill and adjoining areas – field experiment (O)

17.30 – 18.00 Break (refreshments) and poster session (2 posters):

Kuzmina, N., B. Rudels, T. Stipa, and V. Zhurbas: The structure and driving mechanisms of the Baltic intrusions (P)

Mohrholz, V., and I. Schuffenhauer: Climatological aspects of the exceptional Baltic summer inflows 2002/2003 (P)

18.00 Zhurbas, V., T. Stipa, V. Paka, and N. Golenko: Observations and numerical modeling of subsurface cyclonic eddies in the Baltic Sea (O)

18.15 Nohr, C., and B.G. Gustafsson: Wind-driven diapycnal mixing in the Baltic Sea deep-water (O)

18.30 Feistel, R., G. Nausch, and E. Hagen: Unusual inflow activity 2002/3 and varying deep-water properties (O)

18.45 Meier, H.E.M., R. Döschner, B. Broman, and J. Piechura: The major Baltic inflow in January 2003 and preconditioning by smaller inflows in summer/autumn 2002: a model study (O)

19.00 Stips, A., R. Feistel, K. Bolding, and H. Burchard: Can we trace salt water inflows into the Gotland Deep with the 3D hydrodynamical model GETM ? (O)

19.15 - 20.00 Discussion

BMB: PELAGIC PROCESSES: BALTIC ZOOPLANKTON AND FISH II

Chair: , lecture room "Gdańsk"

- 16:00 – 16:15 **Geolocation and habitat selection of eastern Baltic cod obtained by using Data Storage Tags (DSTs)** - Hans-Harald Hinrichsen, S. Neuenfeldt, A. Lehmann, C. Mills
- 16:15 - 16:30 **Restriction fragment length polymorphism as a molecular tool for *Gyrodactylus* species identification** - Magdalena Rokicka, J. Muchowski, M. Tryzna, M.S. Ziętara

BSG: HUMAN IMPACT ON BOTTOM SEDIMENTS AND ENVIRONMENTAL GEOLOGY

Chair: Jorn Bo Jensen , lecture room "Sopot"

- 16:00 – 16:15 **Ecogeochemical sedimentology as new scientific field of environmental investigation of the Baltic Sea** – Gennady I. Ivanov
- 16:15 – 16:30 **Lithofacies of Holocene sediments and their anthropogenous change**
Alexander Rybalko, N. Fedorova, O. Korneev
- 16:30 – 16:45 **Some features of distribution of arsenic in the bottom sediments of the Baltic Sea**
Emelyan M. Emelyanov, V.A. Kravtsov
- 16:45 – 17:00 **Permanently anoxic bottoms in coastal basins of the northwestern gulf of Finland**
Henry Vallius
- 17:00 – 17:15 **Seabed sediment monitoring in the Gdańsk Basin – a methodological approach**
Szymon Uścińowicz, J. Ridgway, A. Grigelis, C. Laban, J. Zachowicz
- 17:15 – 17:30 **Distribution of the total, lithogenic and labile forms of microelements in the bottom sediments of the freshwater and marine areas, and ports of eastern and south Baltic Sea – their geocological estimation** - Olegas Pustelnikovas, Grażyna Dembska, Jarosław Geldon, Piotr Szefer, Barbara Radke, Jerzy Bolałek

14:00 – 17:00 The Special Session on the occasion of the Polish Presidency of the Council of the Baltic Sea States. Session is organised by the Earth Branch of Polish Academy of Science and is addressed to the regional and local community leaders, lecture room "Gdynia"

- 14:00 Opening by Vice-President of the Polish Academy of Sciences
- 14:15-14:45 Potential of the Baltic Sea States: factors and conditions of their civilization, technological and institutional development (Z. Meyer, T. Parteka, Poland)
- 14:45-15:15 BONUS-regional ERA Network for Funding Agencies and perspectives of the common research program for the Baltic Sea (K. Kononen, Finland)
- 15:15-15:45 Coffee break
- 15:45-16:15 Biodiversity of the Baltic Sea States as their value at the European scale (S. Olenin, Lithuania)
- 16:15-16:45 Geographic Information System as a monitoring tool of the status and regional development

16:45-17:00 Closing remarks

18:30 BMB Committee meeting , lecture room "Gdańsk"

17:30 – 18:30 POSTER SESSION – IO PAS Building

Wednesday, June 22

09:00 – 10:30 Plenary session: NEW PERSPECTIVE IN BIOLOGY

Chair:

- 9:00 – 9:30 Invited: Are molecular markers throwing new light on the evolution of species in the Baltic Sea?** - Kerstin Johannesson, Carl Andre
- 9:30 – 9:45 Oxidative stress in the Baltic Sea ecosystem: implications for trophic interactions** - Pauli Snoeijs, Markus Forslund and Kalle Haikonen
- 9:45 – 10:00 The pattern of polymorphism in the control region of female mitochondrial genome (mtDNA) in European populations of Mytilus mussel** - Beata Śmietanka, Tomasz Kijewski, Małgorzata Zbawicka, Artur Burzyński, Herman Hummel, Roman Wenne
- 10:00 – 10:15 Abnormal features of Macoma balthica (Bivalvia) in the Baltic Sea: alerting symptoms of environmental adversity?** - Adam Sokołowski, Maciej Wołowicz, Herman Hummel, Katarzyna Smolarz, Denis Fichet, Gilles Radenac, Catherine Thiriot-Quiévreux, Jacek Namieśnik
- 10:15 – 10:30 Ostracod shells from Holocene sediments of the Baltic Sea as proxies for the paleoenvironment** - Peter Frenzel

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee

11:00 – 12:30 Plenary session: SEDIMENTS

Chair: Jan Harff, Szymon Uścińowicz

- 11:00 – 11:30 Invited: Sediments as mirrors of a changing environment – examples from the Baltic** - Jan Harff
- 11:30 – 11:45 Littoral Drift – A Critical Review** - Terry Healy
- 11:45 – 12:00 The thickness of the Holocene mud in the Baltic and paleoreconstruction of the long-term near-bottom currents below halocline** - Emelyan M. Emelyanov
- 12:00 – 12:15 Sediment Deposition and Burial of Carbon, Phosphorus and Nitrogen in sediments of the Eastern Gotland Basin (Baltic Sea) and its Impact to Eutrophication** - Sven Hille, Thomas Leipe
- 12:15 – 12:30 Methane in the seabed sediments of the Bornholm Basin** - Jørn Bo Jensen, T. Laier and Henrik Fossing

12:30 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 15:30 Parallel sessions:

CBO: CHEMICAL OCEANOGRAPHY I

Chair: Detlef Schulz-Bull , lecture room "Gdynia"

- 14:00 – 14:15 Lend Derived Organic Matter In the Southern Baltic Sediments** - Andrzej Staniszewski, Janusz Pempkowiak
- 14:15 – 14:30 The influence of stagnant anoxic deepwater on long-term cadmium trends in the Gotland Basin (57°19,20'N; 20°03,00'E) Baltic Sea** - Christa Pohl, Ursula Hennings
- 14:30 – 14:45 Phosphorus fractions in the sediments of the central Gulf of Finland** - Kaarina Lukkari, M. Leivuori
- 14:45 – 15:00 Concentrations of heavy metals in Copepoda and Cladocera from the Southern Baltic** - Janusz Pempkowiak, J. Walkusz-Miotk, J. Beldowski, W. Walkusz
- 15:00 – 15:15 On redox dynamics in anoxic depths of the Baltic Sea (Mn and Fe)** - Alexander G. Rozanov
- 15:15 – 15:30 The role of biogenic sedimentation in the removal of PCB from the water column in the Baltic Sea** - S.A. Mosharov

BMB: SEDIMENT COMMUNITIES AND PROCESSES

Chair:, lecture room "Gdańsk"

- 14:15 – 14:30 **Biological aspects of sediment erosion and deposition in the Mecklenburg Bight**
Gerhard Graf, M. Friedrichs, F. Peine, K. Ziervogel
- 14:30 – 14:45 **Pigments in the Gulf of Gdańsk as markers of eutrophication of this area**
Małgorzata Szymczak-Żyła, Grażyna Kowalewska
- 14:45 – 15:00 **Community analysis and diversity of epilithic diatoms along the southern Swedish coast** – Anna Ulanova, Pauli Snoeijjs
- 15:00 – 15:15 **Seasonal dynamics of marine plankton in the southern Baltic Sea**
Lidia Dzierzbicka-Głowacka, Luiza Bielecka
- 15:15 -15:30 ***Platichthys flesus*, L. x *Pleuronectes platessa*, L. Hybrids in Southern Baltic-**
Agnieszka Kijewska, Artur Burzyński, Roman Wenne

BSG: EVOLUTION OF THE BALTIC SEA AREA AND SEDIMENTS

Chair: Svante Björck , lecture room “Sopot”

- 14:00 – 14:15 **Early Holocene shore level fluctuations and palaeogeography in the western Baltic Sea area** – Wolfram Lemke, J.B. Jensen, O. Bennike, D. Röbber, Endler, R., H. Lübke
- 14:15 – 14:30 **The palynological investigations of the bottom sediments in the core from the Arcona Basin of the Baltic Sea** – L.F. Yuspina
- 14:30 – 14:45 **Review of the history of the southern Baltic lagoons and barriers**
Szymon Uścińowicz, J. Zachowicz, G. Miotk-Szpiganowicz
- 14:45 – 15:00 **The geodiversity of submarine moraine formations – a case study in the Kvarken Archipelago, Finland** – Anu Reijonen, A. Kotilainen
- 15:00 – 15:15 **Paleogeographical features of sedimentation in the north Baltic (Late- and Post-glacial time)** – Alexey V. Golubitsky
- 15:15 – 15:30 **Reconstructing the geological past to predict future coastal development? Examples from the SW Baltic Sea-** Gösta. Hoffmann

15:30 – 16:00 *Coffee*

16:00 – 17:30 Parallel sessions:

CBO: CHEMICAL OCEANOGRAPHY II

Chair: Janusz Pempkowiak , lecture room “Gdynia”

- 16:00 – 16:15 **Input and behaviour of Persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs) in the Baltic Sea**
Detlef Schulz-Bull
- 16:15 – 16:30 **Distribution of organic material in the Baltic Sea and its contribution to the carbon and nitrogen cycle** - Klaus Nagel
- 16:30 – 16:45 **TBT contamination in sediments and tissues of the clam *Macoma balthica* off shipyards and marinas in Helsinki, Gulf of Finland** - Karoliina Munter, Liisa Autio, Kari K. Lehtonen, Ingela Dahllöf
- 16:45 – 17:00 **PAHs in the Gulf of Gdańsk as markers of different pollution sources** - Ludwik Lubecki, Anna Filipkowska and Grażyna Kowalewska
- 17:00 – 17:15 **The distribution and sources of persistent organic contaminants in benthic organisms from the Gulf of Gdańsk** – Ksenia Pazdro, E.Kopańska, M.Pućko, J.Kopecka, J.Pempkowiak
- 17:15 – 17:30 **PCB-transforming and BP-transforming heterotrophic bacteria groups are as biomarkers of bacteriocenosis receptivity to presence of toxicants in the sea water** - A.V. Tsyban, I.V. Mosharova

18:00 – 19:00 CBO Meeting, lecture room “Gdynia”

BSG: SEA BED MAPPING AND SEDIMENTS

Chair: Stanisław Rudowski, lecture room “Sopot”

- 16:00 - 16:15 **New map of the Neva Bay bottom sediments and technogenic objects under the result of side-scan sonar profiling** – Mikhail A. Spiridonov , D.V. Riabtchouk , Y.P. Kropachev , E.N. Nesterova
- 16:15 – 16:30 **New Bathymetric Map of the Baltic Sea** – Natalya. V. Goncharova, E.M. Emelyanov, T.I. Razheva, S. Zakharov
- 16:30 – 16:45 **Muddy bodies and contourites in the Baltic Sea** – Vadim Sivkov, M. Chestnova, D. Dorokhov, V. Gorbatskiy, E. Zykina
- 16:45 – 17:00 **The influence of the ferromanganese concretions forming processes in the Gulf of Finland at the marine environment** – Vladimir. A. Zhamoida, A.G. Grigoriev

17:00 – 17:15 **Holocene depositional sequences of the Archipelago Sea, SW Finland**
Joonas Virtasalo, A. T. Kotilainen

16:00 BMB General Assembly, lecture room “Gdańsk”

17:30 – 19:00 HELCOM Workshop: Ecosystem Assessment Tools for the Baltic Sea and Helsinki
Commission (HELCOM) (Details see at www.helcom.fi), lecture room “Sopot ”

17:30 – 18:30 POSTER SESSION – IO PAS Building

Thursday, June 23

09:00 – 10:30 Plenary session: PROCESSES

Chair: Anders Omstedt

9:00 – 9:30 Invited: Light and photosynthesis in the Baltic Sea

Śławomir Kaczmarek, Bogdan Woźniak

**9:30 – 9:45 Large halocline excursions in the Northern Baltic Proper and associated basin- and
mesoscale processes - Jüri Elken**

9:45 – 10:00 On dynamics of the inflow water in the Baltic Sea - Jan Piechura

**10:00 – 10:15 Models and understanding of the Baltic Sea: long-term large-scale simulation of the
nutrient cycle - Oleg P. Savchuk and Fredrik Wulff**

**10:15 – 10:30 Continuous CO₂ partial pressure measurements on a cargo ship: A useful tool for
studying and monitoring biogeochemical processes in the surface water of the Baltic
Sea - Bernd Schneider**

10:30 – 11:00 *Coffee*

11:00 – 12:30 Plenary session : MANAGEMENT AND CONFLICTS

Chair:

11:00 – 11:30	Invited:	Exclusive economic zones and the structure of global fisheries Daniel Pauly
11:30 – 11:45	Vulnerability of the Baltic Sea habitats to the aquatic alien species invasions <u>Sergej Olenin</u>	
11:45 – 12:00	Tools for data analysis in Nest -- a decision support system for nutrient reduction in the Baltic Sea – <u>Alexander Sokolov</u>	
12:00 – 12:15	Ecophysiology of the non-indigenous cladoceran <i>Cercopagis pengoi</i> in the northern Baltic Sea with special reference to the energetic significance – <u>Leena Karjala</u> , E. Lahdes	
12:30 – 14:00	<i>Lunch</i>	
14:00 – 15:30	<u>Parallel sessions:</u>	
CBO: HUMAN IMPACT, MANAGEMENT		
Chair: - Jüri Elken , lecture room “Gdynia”		
14:00 – 14:15	Studies of aerosol properties in coastal area - <u>Tymon Zieliński</u> , T. Petelski, J. Piskozub, V. Drozdowska	
14:15 – 14:30	The distribution of biogenic components and trace metals in the Gulf of Finland <u>Viktor Kravtsov</u> , Natalia Pankratova, Marina Kravtchishina	
14:30 – 14:45	The acoustical detection and characterization of underwater meadows in Gdańsk Bay (southern Baltic Sea) - <u>Natalia Gorska</u> , Jarosław Tęgowski, Zygmunt Klusek, Dariush Faghani	
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15:00 – 15:15	The introduction of oligochaete <i>Tubificoides pseudogaster</i> into the eastern Gulf of Finland - <u>Alexey A. Maximov</u> , I. G. Tsiplenkina	
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