



# Colombo International Maritime & Logistics Conference 2022

Connecting Oceans, Creating Value Chains



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Pre / Post conference Colombo port and city visits

**“Connecting oceans, creating value chains”**

Tentative  
Programme







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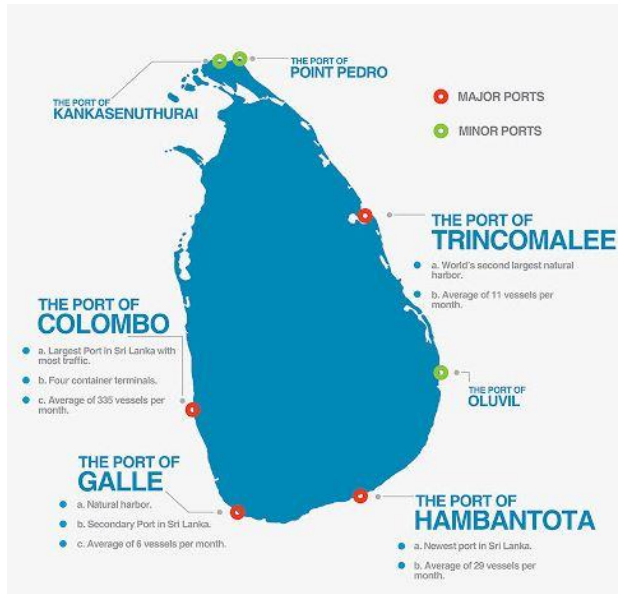
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**13.30hrs-14.00hrs- Registration**

# Session 1

## 14.00hrs-16.00hrs - Maritime space Sri Lanka & Maritime Transport (120mins)



- When will Sri Lanka reach the top 15 container ports ranking in the world?
- Hambantota -the business prospects beyond shipping
- Trincomalee- a bunker port and beyond?
- Present and future with current challenges of the maritime industry
- Ship owners' / ship operators' perspective on the next decade on the Indian subcontinent



## Session 2

16.00hrs -18.30hrs - Logistics 2040 & beyond (150mins)

### Top 3 Technologies Shaping the Future of Logistics Industry



- The Role of logistics in the national economy
- Structural change of global logistics
- What are the future trends in logistics?
- The role aviation logistics , what is the next innovation
- Customers' perspective on future market trend and logistics



19.00hrs-21.30hrs – Inauguration followed by networking cocktails (150mins)







NOVEMBER  
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**REGISTRATION**

08.30hrs- Registration

## Session 3

8.45hrs-9.45hrs- The Indian subcontinent connectivity & logistics (60mins)

- Why do Indian manufacturers need to focus on smart supply chain management and logistics?
- How well is the Indian subcontinent connected to global trade





## Session 4

9.45hrs – 11.00hrs- (75mins)



### The ship sizes and future ports

1. Transshipment & MLO's  
(Hub and spoke model  
and feeder services  
trends)

2. NVOCC's future



# Session 4 outcomes and take aways

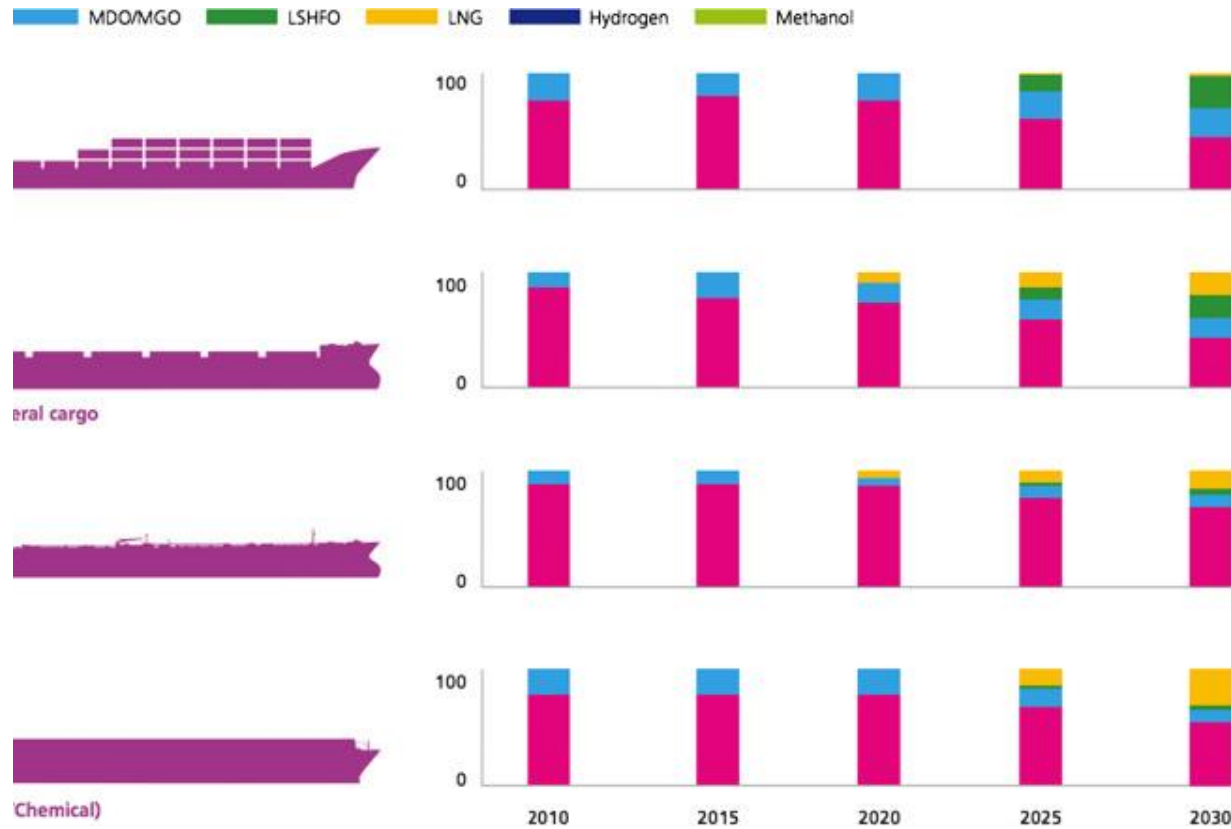
- Overview of the position of ports and logistics services in South Asia
- Detailed presentation on the business development of seaports and terminals, infrastructure, expansion plans, and achievements.
- How to develop ports to become sustainable hubs that attract international shipping lines and supply chain operations.
- Strategies for ports and terminals expansion in partnership with the private sector.
- Prospects of transformation into intelligent green ports, intelligent shipping & supply chain future.
- Digitization of port and logistics services to facilitate the trade.
- Port readiness and implementation of international maritime conventions.
- Investing in information technology that serves the renaissance of the shipping industry, port operation and management, and logistics operations.



## Session 5A:

Parallel session 11.00hrs-12.30hrs-Bunkering –The new fuel era, how to be more competitive (90mins)

South Asia bunker market , what are Sri Lanka's future prospects



Parallel Session 1 :

# Session topics

- Overview of the bunker industry and regional development
- Oil and gas prices; stability and future perception.
- Trincomalee infrastructure readiness to oil and gas export.
- The security of the offshore industry in a turbulent region.
- Cooperation and competition situation.
- Role of exploration and offshore companies; opportunities and plans



## Session 5B Parallel 2 session 11.00hrs-12.30hrs- Maritime HR and crew management (90mins)

- Current manpower and training.
- Strengthening human resources training and specialized professionals to contribute to the renaissance of this vital sector.
- Encouraging the implementation of modern innovative techniques in the field of training and maritime education.
- Expanding human resource capabilities, qualification and management in the shipping and offshore industries.
- Youth reluctance to study the maritime academic programs (issues and solutions).





**12.30hrs-13.30hrs-  
Lunch (60mins)**



## Session 6

13.30hrs-15.00- Maritime/logistics cyber security- cargo safety (90mins)

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Demonstration of best practices, knowledge & expertise in IT and cyber security of port operations.



## Session 7

15.00hrs-16.30hrs-  
Supply chain technologies  
(90mins)

- Introducing the latest technologies and innovations in shipping, ports & logistics
- Artificial Intelligence & autonomous logistics
- Logistics 4.0: using innovative technologies for the supply chains

### GLOBAL RETAIL LOGISTICS MARKET 2020-2024



Market growth will **ACCELERATE** at a **CAGR** of over

**7%**



Incremental growth (\$B)

**451.47**



The market is **FRAGMENTED** with several players occupying the market



Growth Contributed by **APAC**

**50%**



Growth

**11%**



Market **NEC**

**17000+** Reports covering niche

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## Session 8

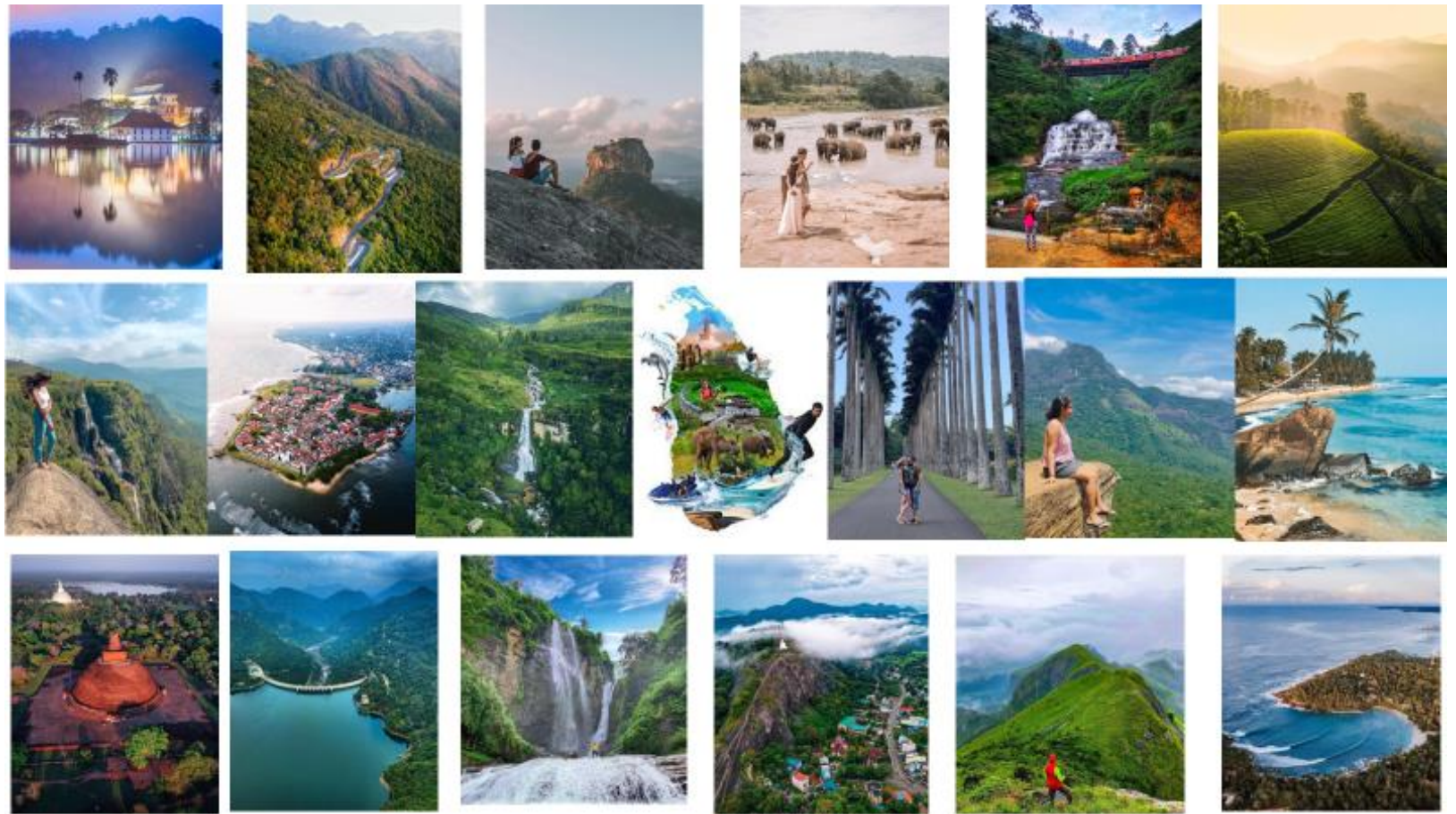
16.30hrs-18.00hrs- Sri Lanka Logistics industry- the way forward (90mins)

- Legislation position that is necessary to facilitate Investments in logistics
- The obstacles and concerns of the finance sector in investing in the logistics industry
- Introducing general concepts of investments in shipping and logistics.
- Panel discussion

- Logistics Infrastructure, Legislation & Policies for the Logistics and Transport Sector



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