



Official Program & Panels

Schedule	2 June	Schedule	3 June	4 June	5 June	Schedule	6 June
09:30 - 10:00	<b>Opening Ceremony</b>  <b>Rear Admiral Nuno de Noronha Bragança</b> <i>(Coordinator, Atlantic Centre)</i>  <b>José Manuel Bolieiro</b> <i>(President of the Regional Government of the Azores )</i>	09:30 - 10:45	<b>Panel 3</b> <b>Climate Change and challenges for International Law</b>  <b>Moderator: Bernardo Brito e Abreu</b> <i>(Advisor to the President of the Government of the Azores, Blue Azores Program Coordinator)</i>  <b>Speakers:</b> <b>Dr Patrícia Galvão Teles</b> <i>(United Nations International Law Commission)</i> <b>Prof Aldino Campos</b> <i>(Chairperson of Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf, United Nations)</i> <b>RADM Omar Yesid Moreno</b> <i>(Head of the Comprehensive Naval Education Office, Colombian Navy)</i>	<b>Panel 7</b> <b>Role of Higher Education and International Organisations</b>  <b>Moderator: Prof Pedro Seabra</b> <i>(Assistant PROFESSOR Iscte - University Institute of Lisbon, Deputy Director at Center for International Studies)</i>  <b>Speakers</b> <b>Dr Jon-Hans Coetzer</b> <i>(Senior Programme Specialist, Online Learning and Education Unit, Division for Peace, UNITAR)</i> <b>Tayeb Ghazi</b> <i>(Senior Economist at the Policy Center for the New South )</i> <b>Prof Bernardo Ivo Cruz</b> <i>(Invited Professor, Portuguese Catholic University and Nova School of Law, former Secretary of State for Internationalisation)</i>	<b>Panel 11</b> <b>Extreme Weather events and Crisis Response Operations</b>  <b>Moderator: Jennifer Bélanger</b> <i>(External Relations Advisor, NATO's Climate Change and Security Center of Excellence)</i>  <b>Speakers</b> <b>VADM Issah Yakubu</b> <i>(Former Chief of Naval Staff, Ghana Navy)</i> <b>Lt.Gen César da Silva Rodrigues</b> <i>(Operational Commander of the Azores)</i> <b>Capitán Nicolás Grasso</b> <i>(Commander of the Argentine Navy Amphibious Infantry Brigade)</i> <b>Eléonore Duffau</b> <i>(HADR Specialist, Institut de Relations Internationales et Stratégiques)</i>	09:30 - 10:45	<b>Panel 13</b> <b>Atlantic Centre Research Project: Climate Change and Security in the Atlantic</b>  <b>Moderator: Prof Sandra Balão</b> <i>(Associate Professor School of Social and Political Sciences of Lisbon)</i>  <b>Speakers</b> <b>Elizabeth Nwarueze</b> <i>(PHD Candidate, University of Oxford)</i> <b>Col. (Ret) William Lyons</b> <i>(Director, Center for Global Resilience &amp; Security, Norwich University)</i> <b>Juliet Obeng</b> <i>(Research Manager, Gulf of Guinea Maritime Institute)</i> <b>David Willima</b> <i>(Maritime Security and Development Researcher, Institute for Security Studies)</i>
-	<b>Transition Roundtable</b>	10:45-11:00	<b>Coffee Break</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>	10:45-10:55	<b>Transition</b>
10:00 - 11:30	<b>Climate Change in the Atlantic: A threat without borders</b>  <b>Moderator: Navy Cpt. João Fonseca Ribeiro</b> <i>(CEO Blue Geo Lighthouse, Lda.)</i>  <b>Speakers</b> <b>Suzi Barbosa</b> <i>(Former Minister of Foreign Affairs, Guinea-Bissau)</i> <b>Prof. Andreas Kraemer</b> <i>(Founder and Director EMERITUS of the EcoLOGIC Institute)</i> <b>VADM Issah Yakubu</b> <i>(Former Chief of Naval Staff, Ghana Navy)</i> <b>Prof. Dan Hamilton</b> <i>(President, Transatlantic Leadership Network)</i>	11:00 - 12:15	<b>Panel 4</b> <b>Climate Change and Migration: An Atlantic Displacement</b>  <b>Moderator: David Willima</b> <i>(Maritime Security and Development Researcher, Institute for Security Studies)</i>  <b>Speakers</b> <b>Dr Tarik Iziraren</b> <i>(Permanent Secretary, African Atlantic States Process)</i> <b>Prof Susana Ferreira</b> <i>(Lecturer of International Relations, Universidad Complutense de Madrid)</i> <b>Navy Cpt. Mamadou Ndiaye</b> <i>(Secretary General of HASSMAR, Senegal)</i>	<b>Panel 8</b> <b>Climate Change and Civil Society: The value of local and regional initiatives</b>  <b>Moderator: Lt. Francisco Oliveira</b> <i>(External Relations and Cooperation Advisor, Atlantic Centre)</i>  <b>Speakers</b> <b>Eng. Jailson Pereira</b> <i>(Coordinator of the Mangrove Protection and Restoration Project, Tiniguena)</i> <b>Julia Heemstra</b> <i>(Founder AMANZI: Water to Schools)</i> <b>Nana Kweigyah</b> <i>(Head of Ghana Canoe and Fishing Gear Owners Association)</i>	<b>Panel 12</b> <b>Extreme Weather Events: Examples from the Atlantic</b>  <b>Moderator: Col (Ret) William Lyons</b> <i>(Director, Center for Global Resilience &amp; Security, Norwich University)</i>  <b>Speakers</b> <b>RAdm Nélío de Almeida</b> <i>(Commander of the Marine Corps Doctrine Development Command)</i> <b>Navy Cpt Cheikh Mohamed El Mamoune</b> <i>(Head of Operations of the Mauritanian Navy)</i> <b>Navy Cpt Massimo Tozzi</b> <i>(Italian Navy)</i> <b>Dr Maurino Évora</b> <i>(National Defense Director, Ministry of Defense of Cabo Verde)</i>	-	<b>Closing of the V MSC</b>
11:30- 11:35	Transition	12:15- 12:45	Transition to lunch	Transition to lunch	Transition to lunch		
11:35 - 11: 40	<b>Group Photo</b>	12:45 - 14:15	<b>LUNCH</b>	<b>LUNCH</b>	<b>LUNCH</b>	-	
12:00 - 13:45	<b>LUNCH</b>	14:15 - 15:15	<b>Panel 5</b> <b>Competition at the Poles: The Arctic and the Antarctic</b>  <b>Moderator: Dr Vanessa Rei</b> <i>(Portuguese Directorate-General for National Defense Policy)</i>  <b>Speakers</b> <b>Ambassador Paola Di Chiaro</b> <i>(Secretary of Malvinas, Antarctica, Ocean Policy and South Atlantic)</i> <b>Dr Katja Lindskov Jacobsen</b> <i>(Interim Director, Centre for Military Studies, University of Copenhagen)</i> <b>Dr Dwayne Menezes</b> <i>(Founder and Managing Director of Polar Research and Policy Initiative)</i>	<b>Panel 9</b> <b>Climate Change and Atlantic Island States: A regional overview</b>  <b>Moderator: Dr Bernardo Calheiros</b> <i>( Senior Advisor, Atlantic Centre)</i>  <b>Speakers</b> <b>Ambassador Esterline Gonçalves Género</b> <i>(Ambassador of São Tomé and Príncipe to Portugal)</i> <b>Tonya Ayow</b> <i>( Deputy Executive Director, CARICOM IMPACS)</i> <b>Daniela Costa</b> <i>(Secretary General of Advisory Council for the Outermost Regions)</i>	<b>Extreme Weather events - operational exercise -</b>		
	<b>Afternoon Session</b>	15:15-15:30	<b>Coffee Break</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>		<b>Coffee Break</b>	
14:00 - 15:30	<b>Panel 1</b> <b>Climate Change in the Atlantic: Mitigation, Prevention or Adaptation? What does Science tell us?</b>  <b>Moderator: RADM João Marreiros</b> <i>(Hydrographic Institute of Portugal)</i>  <b>Speakers</b> <b>Prof Larissa Basso</b> <i>(Institute of Advanced Studies, São Paulo University)</i> <b>Prof Tannecia Stephenson</b> <i>(University of the West Indies)</i> <b>Prof Stefan Rahmstorf</b> <i>(Head of Earth System Analysis, Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research)</i>	15:30 - 17:00	<b>Panel 6</b> <b>Climate Change and Critical Infrastructure in the Atlantic: Adaptation measures from the Atlantic</b>  <b>Moderator: Navy Cpt. João Fonseca Ribeiro</b> <i>(CEO Blue Geo Lighthouse, Lda.)</i>  <b>Speakers</b> <b>Ambassador Erika Mouynes</b> <i>(Chair of the Advisory Board, Atlantic Council's Adrienne Arsh Latin American Center)</i> <b>Eng Ana Aguilar</b> <i>(Co-Founder of Climate Resilient)</i> <b>Prof Maria Ana Baptista</b> <i>(Portuguese National Committee for the Decade of the Ocean, Instituto Superior de Engenharia de Lisboa)</i> <b>Prof Bruce M. Howe</b> <i>(Chair, Joint Task Force SMART Subsea Cables)</i> <b>Tantoh K. Rowland</b> <i>(Projects Manager, Port Management Association of West and Central Africa)</i>	<b>Panel 10</b> <b>Climate Change' impacts and the role of Industry and Private Sector</b>  <b>Moderator: Navy Cpt. Luís Costa Cabral</b> <i>(Deputy Coordinator, Atlantic Centre)</i>  <b>Eng António Nunes</b> <i>(Board Member at ANTOSC and Anglobal Internacional)</i> <b>Dr Manuel Aguiar</b> <i>(President, Fondation Ondjylo)</i> <b>Navy Cpt. Pedro Frazão</b> <i>(Adviser to the Chairman, Grupo Sousa)</i>		<b>São Miguel Island Visit</b>	
15:30-16:00	<b>Coffee Break</b>	17:00- 17:15	<b>Daily Collection day 2</b>	<b>Daily Collection day 3</b>			<b>TRANSITION to dinner</b>
16:00 - 17:30	<b>Panel 2:</b> <b>Emerging Technologies &amp; Extreme Weather Events</b>  <b>Moderator: Navy Cpt. Luís Costa Cabral</b> <i>(Deputy Coordinator, Atlantic Centre)</i>  <b>Speakers</b> <b>Dr Mafalda Carapuço</b> <i>(Deputy Executive Director, Air Centre)</i> <b>Dr Josué Barão</b> <i>(Business Development, Tekever)</i> <b>Dr Luca Longo</b> <i>(TEDx Speaker, Artificial Intelligence Expert, Technological University Dublin)</i> <b>Arturo Ojeda Demaria</b> <i>(ICT Specialist, UN Department of Operational Support)</i>						<b>Thank You for Participating</b>
17:30-17:45	<b>Daily Collection day 1</b>						