

Friday 30th September 2016

1845 for 1900 hours



Celebrating IMO World Maritime Day

Devonport Lecture Theatre, Portland Square Building, Plymouth University



"Without shipping the import and export of goods on the scale necessary to sustain the modern world would not be possible. Yet the fact remains that most of the world's population is not aware of the vital role shipping plays in their everyday lives."

The Keynote Speaker at the World Maritime Day celebration in Plymouth will be ;

Mr Peter Hinchliffe OBE

Secretary General

International Chamber of Shipping and International Shipping Federation

Peter had a first career in the Royal Navy. In this exciting career that spanned 27 years, he served at sea in most ship types but specialized as a submariner and commanded diesel and nuclear powered submarines for over 5 years. He also spent 2 years managing the Royal Navy's Tactical Development Centre. He joined ICS in 2001 and for several years, as the Marine Director, he led ICS representation on safety and environmental issues at the IMO as well as speaking on behalf of international shipping at other UN agencies and on conference platforms around the world. He was appointed Secretary General in mid 2010. Peter has an Honours Degree in 'Systems and Management'. He is a Vice-President of the Nautical Institute.

The evening meeting is supported by Plymouth University Marine Institute and the local branches of the maritime professional bodies including The Nautical Institute, IMarEST and the Royal Institution of Naval Architects and the Institute of Chartered Shipbrokers.

The event is FREE and a warm welcome is extended to all.

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