

# 3RD CSN GREECE SHIPPING ICT CONFERENCE

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SHIPPING EVENTS

NAVIGATING THE FUTURE WITH AI-POWERED  
MARITIME DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES

**21 Nov 2024**

**LOCATION:** STAVROS NIARCHOS FOUNDATION CULTURAL CENTRE

## Starting the day

**09:00**

**Registration and Welcome Coffee**

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**09:30**

**Note from the organisers**

*Adonis Violaris, Managing Director - CSN*

**09:35**

**Welcome from the chairman of the conference**

*Manos Kioussis, Key Account Manager - Weathernews*

**09:40**

**Welcome Address**

*Dr. Matthew Maheras, CIO - Metrostar Management /  
Vice-President - AMMITEC*

## Revolutionising Shipping with Digital Technologies

**09:45**

**What defines "I" in AI?**

*Ioannis Sideris, Senior Sales Manager - Weathernews*

**10:00**

**The Enterprise Path to Artificial Intelligence**

*Paris Paraskevas, Chief Operating Officer, Xenatus Global*

**10:15**

**Beyond Borders: Navigating 'Mobility' in IT for the  
Maritime Sector**

*Fulvio Solari, Head of Sales - SEMEA & APAC - Arribatec  
Marine / Daniele Bottazzi, Manager Asset Management  
- MSC Cruises*

**10:30**

**Coffee break**

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**10:45**

**Panel discussion:**

**"Digital Disruption: Transforming the Maritime Industry  
with Cutting-Edge Technologies"**

**Moderator:**

*Dr. Matthew Maheras, CIO - Metrostar Management /  
Vice-President - AMMITEC*

**Panellists:**

- Katerina Raptaki, Digital Transformation, Cyber Security & e-Governance specialist, Navios Group of Companies*
- Fouad Chaarani, Managing Partner, Xenatus Global*
- Fulvio Solari, Head of Sales - SEMEA & APAC - Arribatec Marine*
- Daniele Bottazzi, Manager Asset Management - MSC Cruises*
- Elena Matzaridou - Combuss Business Consultants*

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## AI-Driven Transformation: AI and Human expertise in Maritime Operations

**11:40**

### Shaping a Harmonious AI Future Starting with a Human-Centric Approach

Chrysoula Patrikiou, Business Development Director  
– Pyli Net

**11:55**

### Navigating the Future: Generative AI's Impact on the Maritime Industry

Elias Stavropoulos, Account Technical Leader – IBM

**12:10**

### AI at the Helm: Charting a new course for the shipping industry

Theofano Somaripa, CIO – Newport SA

**12:25**

### Coffee break

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**12:40**

### Panel discussion: "AI-Powered Maritime Revolution: Elevating Automation, Communication and Human Involvement"

#### Moderator:

Vlassis Papapanagis, Chief Commercial Officer –  
Tototheo Global

#### Panelists:

- Chrysoula Patrikiou, Business Development Director  
– Pyli Net
- Yiannis Sofianidis, IT Director, A.M. Nomikos  
Transworld Maritime Agencies S.A.
- George Gorgolis, Managing Director – K2 informatics
- Elias J. Makris, Director EU Business Development,  
Weathernews
- Ioannis Rizos, Head of ICT Infrastructure – Dynagas Ltd

## Closing the day

**13:35**

### Closing remarks from the chairman

Manos Kiousis, Key Account Manager – Weathernews

**13:40**

### Charity Ceremony

– Stella Violari, Editor – CSN

– Anastasios Katsoulakos, President – KEEPEA

**13:55**

### Thank you from the organisers

Adonis Violaris, Managing Director – CSN

**14:00**

### Lunch

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