

Fishing in the Past (29th of November 2013) programme

The conference is held in Dutch, but simultaneous translation is provided

09.30-10.00 *Registration and Welcome coffee*

10.00 Welcome
Jan Mees director VLIZ

10.05-12.00 *Session 1 – Inshore Fisheries*

10:05 The GIFS project: Exploring the socio-cultural and economic values of inshore fishing in the Channel and Southern North Sea
Tim Acott, University of Greenwich (UK)

10:30 Inshore fisheries and governance: video messages from government authorities

11:00 Flemish inshore fisheries in a European perspective
Willy Versluys, ship-owner

11:30 Digging up the past: The contribution of inshore fisheries to the archaeological knowledge of the North Sea: an overview and a call
Ine Demerre, Sven Van Haelst en Marnix Pieters, agentschap Onroerend Erfgoed (aOE)

12.15-13.15 *Sandwich lunch*

13.15-14.30 *Session 2 – The “Cierk” (The name that local people called the old fish auction in Oostende because of its circular construction)*

In about 10 short presentations (5 minutes each) you learn about plenty of facts, but also books, websites and images are on the menu. The speakers use objects, images or quotations, to bring you fascinating and long-forgotten stories from history. Amongst others, you may hear about rare rays, red fleets and paper catches. The other participants are free to respond or ask questions.

14.30-15.00 *Coffee-tea break*



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15.00-16.15 **Session 3 – ‘What do you know about... brown shrimp’?**

15:00 Shrimp fisheries past and present: biology, fishing techniques and –fleet, resources and management

Els Torreele, Institute for Agricultural and Fisheries Research (ILVO)

15:25 Brown shrimp processing on board and ashore: past and present

Geertrui Vlaemynck, Institute for Agricultural and Fisheries Research (ILVO)

15:40 The archaeological shrimp: a meager beast

Anton Erynck, agentschap Onroerend Erfgoed (aOE)

15:50 “Knotsen” and shrimp trays. Distribution and consumption of shrimp (late 19th century - 20th century)

Yves Segers, Centrum voor Agrarische Geschiedenis (CAG)

16:05 Horseback shrimp fishing: from Oostduinkerke to Azerbaijan

Ineke Steevens, NAVIGO museum

16.15 *Flemish Beer Reception*



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