

Autonomous Systems in the Maritime Industry

Business Exploration Tour to Norway, 25-27 March 2026

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Wednesday, 25 March – Arrival, Briefing in Oslo, Horten	
	<p>Individual arrival in Oslo Recommended flight: KLM: Amsterdam → Oslo, 10:00-12:30</p>
13:00 – 14:00	<p><i>Transfer time from Oslo Airport to German-Norwegian Chamber of Commerce (Drammensveien 111B) by public transportation approx. one hour</i></p>
14:00 – 16:00	<p>Briefing at German-Norwegian Chamber of Commerce</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Welcome to Norway - Embassy of the Netherlands in Oslo - Embassy of Germany in Oslo - Very brief presentation of the participants - Maritime autonomy in Norway: Ocean Autonomy Cluster - Presentation of the delegation program <p>Address: Drammensveien 111B, 0273 Oslo</p>
16:00 – 17:30	<p>Transport by private bus towards Horten – approx. 1 hour Transfer by public transport (train and bus) – approx. 1.5-2h</p>
17:30	<p>Check-in Delegation Hotel in Horten <u>Hotel: TBD</u></p>
18:30 – 20:30	<p>Joint dinner (internal) in Horten <u>Location: TBD</u></p>

Thursday, 26 March – Project visit Horten, Porsgrunn, Oslo

From ...	Breakfast
08:15	Meet-up at the hotel
08:30 – 08:45	<i>Transfer, ca. 10 minutes by private bus</i>
08:30 – 10:15	<p>Visit Kongsberg Maritime, Horten</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Kongsberg Maritime
10.15 – 10:30	Transfer by private bus (approx. 10 minutes)
10:30 – 12:05	<p>Visit Torghatten, Bastø Ferry</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 10:45-11:20 Horten-Moss - 11:30-12:05 Moss-Horten <p>N.B. Delegation divided in two groups on the ferry.</p>
12:30 – 14:00	<p><i>Transfer by private bus to Porsgrunn (if Yara Birkeland is available), approx. 1,5 hours</i></p> <p>Lunch: Sandwich during bus ride</p>
14:00 – 16:00	<p>Visit Yara Birkeland, Porsgrunn Herøya</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Tour of the Yara Birkeland <p><i>This event is supported by GreenShipping Niedersachsen</i></p>
16:00 – 18:30	<i>Transfer to hotel by private bus back to Oslo, approx. 2,5 hours</i>
18:30	<p>Check-in Delegation Hotel</p> <p><u>Address TBC</u></p>
	Evening free



Friday, 27 March – Trilateral Workshop Oslo & Departure
Autonomous systems in shipping: Innovation uptake in harmony with people

From ...	Breakfast
	NB. Hotel Check-Out
08:15	Meet-up at the hotel and transfer from hotel by public transport
08:30 – 08:45	<i>Transfer to conference location</i>
08:45 – 09:00	Registration
09:00 – 09:10	<p>Trilateral Workshop: “Autonomous systems in shipping: Innovation uptake in harmony with people”</p> <p><i>This trilateral workshop is supported by EDIH NN</i></p> <p><i>Address: tbc</i></p>
09:10 – 09:30	<p>Insights into the Status Quo of Autonomous Shipping</p> <p>Short pitches (5 min) from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ocean Autonomy Cluster • EDIH • Ferry GO!
09:30 – 10:15	<p>The Sky's the Limit: Where Are We Now and Where Is AI Technology Heading?</p> <p>Presentation (15 min): Technology Overview, Technology Provider</p> <p>Discussion with experts and the group:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Norway • Netherlands • Germany
10:15 – 10:45	Coffee break
10:45 – 11:30	<p>Focus on AI: Where Do Humans Fit In?</p> <p>Presentation (15 min): Human-Machine Interaction, Research Institute</p> <p>Discussion with experts and the group:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Norway • Netherlands • Germany
11:30 – 11:45	Wrap-up and Outlook for Future Cooperation
11:45 – 12:00	End
12:00 – 13:00	Business Lunch for all participants to the trip with debrief.
	<p>Individual departure from Oslo</p> <p>Recommended flight:</p> <p>KLM: Oslo → Amsterdam, 19:00-20:55</p>