# DBTG OPERATIONAL AND TECHNICAL CONFERENCE SANTANDER | 7-8-9 NOVEMBER 2022

**OUR UPCOMING CONFERENCE WILL BE AT:**
**EUROSTARS HOTEL REAL FROM 7-9 NOVEMBER (MONDAY-WEDNESDAY) 2022 IN SANTANDER (SPAIN)**

## THE CONFERENCE PROGRAMME INCLUDES:

**Monday 7 November 2022 (start from 12.00 hrs.)**

- Registration and small lunch in Hotel REAL
- A port tour in Gijón/visit our member EBHI (European Bulk Handling Installation)
- The evening drinks Reception in Hotel REAL

**Tuesday 8 November 2022**

- Business sessions from 9.00-14.00 hrs.
- AGM and lunch
- A port tour in Santander/visit our member Grupo GOF
- Dinner and a guided tour in Santillana del Mar

**Wednesday 9 November 2022 (finish at 13.00 hrs.)**

- Business sessions from 9.00-13.00 hrs.
- Lunch and finish

## PRELIMINARY AGENDA BUSINESS SESSIONS

Our Santander 7-9 November 2022 conference will present many challenges for our dry bulk terminal industry in today's rapidly changing world. As we have been in the process of 'defossilisation' of our terminals and our customers, we see that today's practice is putting us 'back to basics'. Due to geopolitical changes we see that the importance of coal and other fossil fuels is requiring to adapt to our 'new' demand.

- What does this mean for our operational processes?
- What effect does it have on our employees?
- Can we temporarily turn back to earlier scenarios?
- How must we manage our operations and investments with a focus on a sustainable future

We will have speakers and a panel on many subjects covering these changes: our own Members showing their insights, a high-level contribution from the world of food and feed/grains. In a panel our grain handling speakers will discuss how they see the grain flows changing and the pressure this gives to be able to sustainably continue 'feeding the world'. We will have contributions from the hinterland transport sector where the change towards coal gives high pressure again; from Mississippi and South America, from Asia and Middle East, from Europe and Africa

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