



## International Conference

### The Common Good on our Common Seas



**Friday, 3 May to Sunday 5 May, 2019  
in Copenhagen, Denmark**

**Description:** Catholic organizations are coming together with other Christian Churches to celebrate and discuss life on, around and in the seas, which are a common heritage of all humankind. This Conference comes from a faith-based core and draws from the “integral” approach spearheaded by the encyclical letter *Laudato si'* published in 2015 and shortly followed by the adoption of the UN Sustainable Development Goals. Following this approach, we will encompass the perspectives from various fields including theology, policies at national and multilateral level, human rights, ecology, business and industry.

In the old seafaring capital of Copenhagen, we will host an enriching and cross-pollinating dialogue pragmatically engaging key stakeholders across sectors, hearing their visions, disseminating knowledge, sharing challenges and hope. By doing so, the Conference aims to bring an inspiring contribution to a so needed broader and sustained dialogue on our common seas; such a dialogue has to take place with an integral approach and needs also to take into consideration the wisdom and genuine principles from faith communities.

The event will give participants concrete knowledge and tools to take home to their dioceses and parishes.

**Organisers:** Justitia et Pax Denmark, Justice and Peace Europe, The Dicastery for Promoting Integral Human development, The Global Catholic Climate Movement and Stella Maris/Apostleship of the Sea.

**Confirmed speakers and moderators:**

Ambassador Peter Thomson, UN Special Envoy for the Ocean  
Mrs. Cecilia Dall'Oglio, European Programs Manager at the Global Catholic Climate Movement, IT  
Dr. Cleopatra Doumbia-Henry, President of the World Maritime University, SE  
President of the Global Catholic Climate Movement, Amy W. Echevarria, USA  
Bishop Peter Fischer-Møller, The Danish Church, DK  
European Regional Coordinator of Stella Maris, The Apostleship of the Sea, Martin Foley, UK  
Bishop Czeslaw Kozon, Catholic Diocese of Copenhagen, DK  
Mr. Stefan Lunte, General Secretary of Justice and Peace Europe, BE  
Dr. Jens Olaf Pepke Pedersen, Senior scientist, National Space Institute of the Technical University, DK  
Dr. Jessica Sparks, Research Fellow in Antislavery and Ecosystems, Nottingham University, UK  
Bishop Noel Treanor of Connor and Down, President of Justice and Peace Europe, NI  
Cardinal Peter K.A. Turkson, Prefect of the Dicastery for Promoting Integral Human Development, VA  
Mr. Tebaldo Vinciguerra, Official of the Dicastery for Promoting Integral Human Development, VA  
Professor Ingeborg Gabriel, Professor, Institute of Social Ethics, University of Vienna, AU  
Professor Jean-Paul Lehnens, Holder of the UNESCO Chair in Human Rights at the University of Luxembourg, LU  
Professor Bjørn Thomassen, Department of Social Sciences and Business at the Roskilde University, DK  
Professor Grammenos Mastrojeni, Global Island Partnership, IT

**The Venue:** Justitia et Pax Copenhagen will host this event across venues in central Copenhagen. The main event will be in IDA conference center by the port <https://idaconference.com/moeder-konferencer/kongressalen/>, but we will also visit the cathedral and other venues. This will be described in detail in the final programme and logistics note, which will be sent to you in early April.

**Registration and accommodation:**

Deadline for registration is 17 April or when sold out and your registration is confirmed when we receive your payment. We have secured a limited number of rooms at a very nice and very affordable hostel (but check the website, it may not be what you think of as a hostel), but these are only available until 8 March, so it's for the early birds. After this we can only guarantee regular hotel rooms at slightly more expensive rates.

If you are staying in Copenhagen for the General Secretaries of Justice and Peace or the Annual Meeting of the Stella Maris/ Apostleship of the Sea, we recommend you register for option number three or five at your earliest convenience.

*1) Conference Only: € 140*

This fee applies if you do not need the assistance of the Organizers for booking an accommodation in Copenhagen.

The fee includes:

Access to all events

Dinner Friday and Saturday

Lunch Saturday and Sunday.

*2) Early Bird Super Affordable registration including accommodation for two nights in a shared double room: € 255*

**Please note: This option is only available until March 8.**

This option includes:

Access to all events

Dinner Friday and Saturday

Lunch Saturday and Sunday

Two nights in a shared double room including breakfast at this very modern hostel in central Copenhagen: <https://www.danhostel.dk/hostel/danhostel-copenhagen-city>

3) *Early Bird Super Affordable registration including accommodation for three nights in a shared double room: € 320*

**Please note: This option is ideal if you are on a budget and attending the General Secretaries Meeting of Justice and Peace or the Stella Maris Annual Meeting. This option is only available until March 8.**

The option includes:

Access to all events

Dinner Friday and Saturday

Lunch Saturday and Sunday

Three nights in a shared double room including breakfast at this very modern hostel in central Copenhagen: <https://www.danhostel.dk/hostel/danhostel-copenhagen-city>

4) *Early Bird Affordable registration including accommodation for two nights in a single room: € 365*

**Please note: This option is only available until March 8.**

This option includes:

Access to all events

Dinner Friday and Saturday

Lunch Saturday and Sunday

Two nights in a single room including breakfast at this very modern hostel in central Copenhagen: <https://www.danhostel.dk/hostel/danhostel-copenhagen-city>

5) *Early Bird Affordable registration including accommodation for three nights in a single room: € 490*

**Please note: This option is ideal if you need the privacy of a single room and are attending the General Secretaries Meeting of Justice and Peace or the Stella Maris Annual Meeting. This option is only available until March 8.**

This includes:

Access to all events

Dinner Friday and Saturday

Lunch Saturday and Sunday

Three nights in a single room including breakfast at this very modern hostel in central Copenhagen: <https://www.danhostel.dk/hostel/danhostel-copenhagen-city>

6) *Registration including hotel accommodation for two nights in a single room: € 430*

This option includes:

Access to all events

Dinner Friday and Saturday

Lunch Saturday and Sunday

Two nights in a single room including breakfast a lovely budget hotel in central Copenhagen. [www.wakeupcopenhagen.dk](http://www.wakeupcopenhagen.dk)

7) *Registration including hotel accommodation for three nights in a single room: € 575*

This option includes:

Access to all events

Dinner Friday and Saturday

Lunch Saturday and Sunday

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