



**2nd ANNUAL REGIONAL MEETING  
FOR  
ARAB WOMEN IN THE MARITIME SECTOR ASSOCIATION  
(AWIMA)**



**Empowering Women in the Maritime Community  
THEME:" AWIMA - Empowering Women in Maritime "Bridging the Gap"**

**Alexandria, EGYPT  
14 -18 APRIL 2019**

**PROGRAMME**

| Time  | Agenda issues  | Presenters      |
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| <b>Day ONE : Sunday, 14 April 2019</b>                                    |  |                 |
| <b>0800 – 0830</b>  | <b>Registration &amp; Networking</b>   |                 |
| <b>0900 – 1030</b>  | <b>Official Opening Ceremony</b>   |                 |
|   | Administrative Remarks   | AASTMT          |
|   | Welcome address  | Egypt           |
|   | Welcome remarks  | AASTMT          |
|   | Opening remarks  | IMO             |
|   | IMO presentation and video on IMO's role: Safe, Secure and Efficient Shipping on Clean Oceans  | IMO             |
|   | Welcome remarks  | AWIMA           |
| <b>1030 – 1100</b>  | <b>Photo Session / Press Conference</b>  |                 |
| <b>1100 – 1130</b>  | <b>Tea/Coffee Break</b>  |                 |
| <b>AWIMA PROGRESS</b>   |  |                 |
| <b>Theme: Frame work for equality &amp; Empowerment in the work place</b> |  |                 |
| <b>1130 – 1230</b>  | AWIMA achievements and challenged / Report by president/ financial status etc. (progress made on the 2017/2019 AWIMA resolution, AWIMA participation at other events ) | AWIMA president |
| <b>1230 – 0100</b>  | launch of the new website  | AWIMA IT        |
| <b>1230 – 1300</b>  | <b>Q&amp;A</b>   | IMO             |
| <b>Lunch Break</b>  |  |                 |
| <b>1400 – 1530</b>  | Training opportunities provided by IMO for women in the region. Gender mainstreaming and career development opportunities  | IMO             |
| <b>1530 – 1600</b>  | <b>Tea/Coffee Break</b>  |                 |

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| 1600 – 1630   | How to establish a national chapter  | IMO  |
| 1630 – 1700   | Q&A  | IMO  |
| 2000 – 2200   | <i>Dinner Sponsored By AASTMT.</i>   | AASTMT                                     |
| <b>Day TWO : Monday, 15 April 2019</b>  |  |  |
| 0900 – 0915   | Welcome and recall of day one  | AWMA                                       |
| <b>Theme: Frame work for partnerships, how associations works &amp; Exchange of experiences</b> |  |  |
| 0915 – 1045   | <b>Gender equality and social protection Systems, sustainable infrastructure for Gender equality and the empowerment of Women and Girls</b>  | Regional Speaker<br><b>WILL ARRANGE IT</b> |
| 1045– 1100  |  |  |
| 1100 – 1130   | <b>Tea/Coffee Break</b>  |  |
| 1130 – 1230   | WOMESA experiences<br>& Signing MoU between AWIMA & WOMESA ( <b>ARRANGED</b> )   | WOMESA                                     |
| 1230 – 1300   | WIMAFRICA experiences  | WIMAFRICA                                  |
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| 1300 – 1400   | <b>Lunch Break</b>   |  |
| 1400 – 1530   | <b>Academy Tour</b>  | AASTMT                                     |
| 1530 – 1600   | <b>Tea/Coffee Break</b>  |  |
| 1600 – 1700   | Country presentations. (Each delegation is expected to deliver either a short presentation of not more than 10 minutes, outlining the status of the implementation of the SDGs, including challenges emphasis on SDGs 4, 5, 8 and 14.) | Member countries                           |
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| 1900 – 2200   | Free Tour around Alexandria City (city center ) (optional)   | AASTMT SHUTTEL BUSS                        |
| <b>Day THREE : TUSEDAY, 16 April 2019</b>   |  |  |
| 0900 - 1000   | Gathering  |  |
| 1000- 0300  | Alexandria port  |  |
| 0300- 0400  | Lunch  |  |
| 0400-0700   | Alexandria library   |  |
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| <b>Day FOUR : WEDNESDAY, 17 April 2019</b>  |  |  |
| <b>Theme: Multi subjects</b>  |  |  |
| 0900 – 0915   | Welcome and recall of day two  | AWIMA                                      |

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| 0915 – 1030                               | Topical issues relevant to the region  | Regional Speaker                          |
| 1030 – 1100                               | Topical issues relevant to the region  | Regional Speaker                          |
| 1100 – 1130                               | <b>Tea/Coffee Break</b>  |   |
| 1130 – 1300                               | Country presentations. (Each delegation is expected to deliver either a short presentation of not more than 10 minutes, outlining the status of the implementation of the SDGs, including challenges emphasis on SDGs 4, 5, 8 and 14.)   | Member countries                          |
| 1300 – 1400                               | <b>Lunch Break</b>   |   |
| 1400 – 1430                               | Topical issues relevant to the region  | Regional Speaker                          |
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| 1530 – 1600                               | <b>Tea/Coffee Break</b>  |   |
| 1600 – 1630                               | Maritime Security  | AASTMT                                    |
| 1630 – 1700                               | Topical issues relevant to the region  | Regional Speaker                          |
| 1900 – 2200                               | Free Tour around Alexandria City (El Raml Square ) (optional)  | AASTMT SHUTTEL BUSS                       |
| <b>Day FIVE : THURSDAY, 18 April 2019</b> |  |   |
| 0900 – 0915                               | Welcome and recall of day Four   | AWIMA                                     |
| 0915 – 1100                               | Governor council responsibilities & duties   | Member Countries/ IMO consultants / AWIMA |
|   | Working groups for meeting report<br>(a)<br>(b)  |   |
|   | Q&A  |   |
| 1100 – 1130                               | <b>Tea/Coffee Break</b>  |   |
| 1130 – 1230                               | Working groups for meeting report<br>(a)<br>(b)  |   |
| 1130 – 1300                               | Conference outcome: Working groups breakout sessions/drafting/updating of AWIMA conference resolution, drafting of a work plan for the Association for 2019-2020, signing of regional MoUs, Governing Council elections and membership. Way forward for the Association. Closing ceremony with certificates. | Facilitators with all                     |
| 1300 – 1400                               | <b>Lunch Break</b>   |   |
| 1400 – 1430                               | Election of the new AWIMA governing council  | IMO – AASTMT – AWIMA Sec.                 |
| 1430 – 1530                               | Final report & Closing ceremony  |   |

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| <b>1530 – 1630</b> | <b>Closing ceremony with certificates.</b> | <b>Governor council</b> |
| <b>2000 – 2200</b> | <i>Dinner Sponsored By AASTMT</i>          | AASTMT                  |

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