

# SUSTAINABLE SMART PORTS FOR AFRICA

## Agenda

### Leveraging the energy transition for improved performance

#### Regional Online Webinar via Zoom

Thursday, 7 December 2023 (CET)

10:00 am

#### Welcome Remarks

- Frida Youssef, Chief, Transport Section, UNCTAD (Moderator)

10:05 am

#### Session 1: Sustainable Smart Ports - Why? What? How?

##### An evolving landscape for ports and shipping - the IMO perspective

- Aidée Saucedo, Technical Officer, Marine Environment Division, IMO

##### Why are SSPs important and what are relevant principles to develop an SSP?

- Luisa Rodriguez, Economic Affairs Officer, Transport Section, UNCTAD

##### How can we take stock of the SSP status of a port?

- Adson Hofman and Robbert Groenen, UNCTAD Consultants

10:50 am

#### Session 2: Energy transition and ports in Africa - Sharing experiences

##### Strategies, progress, and challenges - a perspective from Mauritius and PMAESA

- Kailash Dhunoo, Senior Manager Technical Services, Mauritius Port Authority

##### Effective collaboration between governments and stakeholders

- Nelson Mojarro, Head of Innovation and Partnerships, International Chamber of Shipping

11:35 am

#### Q&A

- Synthesis wrap-up and closing

