# 22ⁿᵈ Port Performance Research Network (PPRN) Workshop Agenda

**Tuesday, 24ᵗʰ June 2025, 09:30-14:30 (local time)**
Bergen, Norway

PPRN Chair and Meeting Coordination
Gordon Wilmsmeier, *Universidad de los Andes (UniAndes), Bogota, Colombia and*
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The Port Performance Research Network (PPRN) is an informal network of maritime economists interested in port policy issues. It was established at the IAME 2001 meeting in Hong Kong to undertake empirical testing of port governance and is currently coordinated by Gordon Wilmsmeier and Thanos Pallis. Since then, PPRN has met 21 times.

With many transitions happening in the maritime and port sectors, it is time to engage in new discussions and analyse the latest developments influencing port performance. The Bergen meeting will focus on the network members' existing and planned research activities. Audience participation is expected in all sessions. We are looking forward to a rich exchange of viewpoints.

## Programme (Draft)

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| **09:15-09:30** | **Arrival of participants** |
| **09:30-09:40** | **Welcome, Agenda, Participant Presentation & Updates** |
| **09:40-10:30** | **Roundtable A: Interdisciplinary research in ports and energy transition**<br>Moderation and introduction by Gordon Wilmsmeier |
| **10:30-11:20** | **Roundtable B: Value creation in/by ports?**<br>Moderation and introduction by Larissa van der Lugt |
| **11:20-12:00** | **Roundtable C: Ports and biodiversity - Working Lunch**<br>Moderation and introduction by Michele Acciaro |
| **12:00-13:15** | **Working Lunch – PPRN members are invited to present their research** |
| **13:15-14:15** | **Roundtable D: Port governance and regulation - PPRN Special Issue – Port Governance "Reloaded"**<br>Moderation and introduction by Thanos Pallis<br><br>**Potential Issues: Awareness, Transparency, Integrity and Corruption, ESG, Stakeholders management, over-tourism, geopolitics**<br><br>**Proposal for a SI** |
| **14:15** | **Outlook PPRN 2026 Singapore, Closing** |

**Registration:** There is no formal registration process. To participate, it is essential to confirm your participation via Doodle: https://doodle.com/sign-up-sheet/participate/25d32d68-8b7f-4b37-83d6-a4dd223951db/select