



Wadden Sea Day 2019

World Heritage Interpretation

How to transfer knowledge on the Wadden Sea World Heritage

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UNESCO Wadden Sea World Heritage Visitor Centre
Wilhelmshaven, Südstrand 110b

Organised by Common Wadden Sea Secretariat & National Park Authority “Niedersächsisches Wattenmeer”

Programme

09:00 – 09:30	Registration
09:30 – 10:00	Opening and welcome addresses Olaf Lies , <i>Minister of the Environment, Energy & Climate Protection, Lower Saxony</i> Andreas Wagner , <i>First Mayor of the City of Wilhelmshaven</i> Brief statements by: Karin Lochte , <i>Chairperson of the Wadden Sea Board</i> Thomas Borchers , <i>Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Protection and Nuclear Safety</i> Peter Südbeck , <i>Head of the National Park Administration Wadden Sea Lower Saxony</i> Sascha Klöpper , <i>Interim Executive Secretary of the Common Wadden Sea Secretariat</i>
10:00 – 11:40	Session I <i>Moderated by Sascha Klöpper, Common Wadden Sea Secretariat</i>
> 10:10	Why World Heritage sites need interpretation <i>Carolin Kolhoff, German Commission for UNESCO</i>
> 10:30	Wadden Sea World Heritage Education Strategy <i>Anja Szczesinski, International Wadden Sea School / WWF Germany</i>
> 10:50	Visitor education now and then – Case studies of the Vadehavsentret and Multimar <i>Klaus Melbye, Vadehavsentret, + Claus von Hoerschelmann, Multimar Wattforum</i>
> 11:10	The future of visitor studies in the Wadden Sea area <i>Lars Wohlers, KON-TIKI Interpretive Planning, Training and Evaluation</i>
> 11:30	Questions & Answers – Session I
11:40 – 13:10	Lunch

13:10 – 14:50	Session II <i>Moderated by Peter Südbeck, National Park Authority “Niedersächsisches Wattenmeer”</i>
> 13:20	Beachexplorer App – Visitors become citizen scientists <i>Rainer Borchering, Schutzstation Wattenmeer</i>
> 13:40	Reaching out to the youngest - Junior Rangers <i>Stefanie Lenz, National Park Authority “Niedersächsisches Wattenmeer”, + Silke Ahlborn, Wadden Sea National Park Authority Schleswig-Holstein</i>
> 14:00	Example of interdisciplinary approaches to understanding the Wadden Sea <i>Klaus Melbye, Vadehavscentret</i>
> 14:20	Questions & Answers – Session II
> 14:30	Example of interactive knowledge transfer exercises - Wadden Sea Flyway Initiative <i>Tim Dodman, Wadden Sea Flyway Initiative</i>
14:50 – 15:50	Coffee break
15:50 – 17:00	Session III <i>Moderated by Karin Lochte, Wadden Sea Board</i>
> 16:00	Kids ask Adults – Wadden Sea Day edition <i>Interviewees: Imme Flegel, National Park House Neuwerk/ Verein Jordsand, Meindert Schroor, Waddenacademie, Poul Franck, Fridays for Future, Wiebke Endres, Neues Gymnasium Wilhelmshaven</i>
> 16:40	Plenary discussion
> 16:50	Closing remarks <i>Karin Lochte, Wadden Sea Board</i>
17:00 – 18:30	Reception: 10 years Wadden Sea World Heritage