



2-3 July 2024

# World Marine Aids to Navigation Day

Genoa, Italy



The International Association of Marine Aids to Navigation and Lighthouse Authorities (IALA) in association with the Italian Coast Guard, the Italian Navy, the City of Genoa and the Port Authority of Genoa is hosting the World Marine Aids to Navigation Day main event on 2 and 3 July 2024 in the city of Genoa, Italy.

## BACKGROUND

At the 13<sup>th</sup> General Assembly of 29<sup>th</sup> May 2018 it was decided to establish the World Day of Marine Aids to Navigation (World Marine AtoN Day) the 1<sup>st</sup> July each year, bearing in mind that this is the date of the creation of IALA, with the first celebration in 2019. The principal objective is to promote greater awareness of IALA and its work by bringing to the attention of the wider public the role of Marine Aids to Navigation and the significance of IALA's technical work in enhancing the safety of navigation worldwide. The General Assembly approved the establishment of a World Marine Aids to Navigation Day and adopted the associated Resolution A13-04.

## TOPICS

Italy is hosting the main event celebrating the World Marine Aids to Navigation Day which will be held 2-3 July 2024 in Genoa.

The event will include a visit to the "Lantern", a centuries-old symbol of Genoa in order to celebrate the nomination as the IALA Heritage Lighthouse of the Year.

## ATTENDEES

Members and non-members are welcome to attend this event. There is no fee. Accommodation and travel must be paid by the participant.

## VENUES

- Palazzo San Giorgio (Ports of Genoa Authority Headquarters)
- Palazzo Ducale
- MSC Fantasia, Old Port

For visa requests, please visit:

<https://vistoperitalia.esteri.it/home/en>



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## PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

### DAY 1 – Tuesday 2 July 2024

08:45-09:30

Welcome / Registration at Palazzo San Giorgio

09:30-10:00

Bus pickup from Palazzo San Giorgio to Italian Navy Ship “Garibaldi”

10:00-12:00

Opening Remarks

12:00-12:30

Celebration of the Lighthouse of the Year Award

12:30-13:00

Historical Background on the ‘Lantern’

13:00-14:00

Lunch

14:00-15:00

Guided tour of S. Lawrence Cathedral or free time

15:00-18:00

Visit of the ‘Lantern’ organized by Italian Navy Lighthouse Service and Municipality of Genoa

19:30

Gala dinner – Palazzo Ducale (Dress code : Business Attire or Uniform)

### DAY 2 – Wednesday 3 July 2024

09:00-09:30

Registration

09:30-10:00

Opening remarks

10:00-11:00

Workshop

Presentations from IALA about the technical work and the results

11:00-11:30

Coffee Break

11:30-13:30

Maritime aids to navigation provided in Italy under IALA

Standard

Closing Remarks

13:30-14:30

Lunch onboard

15:00-18:00

Trip by boat to San Fruttuoso & Portofino or free time (w/ favorable weather conditions)

19:30

Free time for dinner

**NB: A detailed programme with pick up points will be sent to registered participants.**



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**Participant's details**

Surname (family name): -----

First name (given name): -----

Title (Mr. /Mrs. /Dr., etc.): -----

Organization or company: -----

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Address: -----

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Country: -----

Phone (incl. country code): -----

Mobile (incl. country code): -----

E-mail: -----

Dietary requirements (please specify):

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I will participate to the lunch onboard the MSC

Fantasia:

Yes

No

I will participate to the boat trip on 3 July:

Yes

No

I need an invitation letter for visa purposes:

Yes

No

**Attach identity document or passport**

**Events participation**

I will participate to:

Day 1

Day 2

I will participate in the guided tour of the

Cathedral:

Yes

No

I will participate to the Gala dinner on 3 July:

Yes

No