

**XVII INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL FORUM
«BALTIC SEA DAY»**

Place of Meeting: Hotel Park Inn Pribaltiyskaya, St. Petersburg, Korablestroiteley str. 14

22 MARCH 2016, TUESDAY

- 8.00-9.00** **Registration of participants**
- 9.00 - 9.30** **Official opening**
Outcomes of the ecological school for students «Ecorubikon» - graduation
GREETING BY YOUTH
Formal greetings:
 - *Government of St. Petersburg*
 - *Government of the Leningrad region*
 - *Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment of the Russian Federation*
 - *HELCOM Secretariat*
- 9.30 -11.00** **PLENARY SESSION**
HELCOM priorities
Regional plan on marine litter
The Gulf of Finland Year 2014: Outcomes

11.00-11.30 **Coffee break**

11.30 -12.35 *Continuation of plenary session*

13.05 -13.30 *Award ceremony for personal contributions to the development of cooperation in the Baltic Sea Region (Non-governmental V.I. Vernadskiy Ecological Fund.)*

13.30-14.30 **Lunch**

14.30-18.30 **SECTION SESSIONS – roundtable discussion**
 1. *Organic agriculture and BAT in agriculture*
 2. *Marine litter*
 3. *Protected areas*
 4. *Cleantech cluster*
 5. *Maritime spatial planning*
 6. *Creative meeting of the environmental filmmakers*

16.00-16.30 **Coffee break**

16.30–18.30 Continuation of the section sessions work

19.00–21.00 Official dinner (by invitations)

23 MARCH 2016, WEDNESDAY

10.00 – 13.00 **SECTION SESSIONS – continuation of work of the roundtables discussions**

11.30-12.00 **Coffee break**

PLENARY SESSION

13.00 – 15.00 *Outcome by moderators – main conclusions of the roundtables discussions*
CLOSING THE FORUM