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ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE 11th ABLOS BIENNIAL CONFERENCE
IHO Secretariat, Monaco, 4-5 October 2022

References:

- A. Terms of Reference and Rules of Procedures of the IHO-IAG Advisory Board on the Law of the Sea (ABLOS)

Dear Hydrographer,

1. Under the provisions of Reference A and in accordance with the IHO Work Programme for 2022 approved by the IHO Member States, the 11th biennial conference organized by the IHO-IAG Advisory Board on the Law of the Sea (ABLOS) will be held in Monaco from 4 to 5 October 2022. The theme for the 11th ABLOS Conference is:

“From the past Century to the Future Decade”

2. The 11th ABLOS Conference will be held at the IHO Secretariat in Monaco. This venue will accommodate no more than 60 delegates; therefore places will be allocated in order of receipt of registration. Registrations will be accepted on a first come, first served basis, subject to full payment of the registration fees.

3. Registrations should be made via the dedicated ABLOS conference website (<https://www.ablos.org/conferences/>), hosted by the Technical University of Denmark (DTU). The cost of registration is 300 Euros. The registration fee may be waived for full-time first degree students who are accepted to deliver presentations.

4. Abstracts, presentations and papers can be uploaded via the conference website. The site also provides details of the management of the Conference session topics and session programme.

5. Logistics information regarding the 11th ABLOS Conference will also be available on the IHO web site (<https://iho.int/en/ablos11-conference-2022>). This web page will be updated as more information becomes available.

6. As in previous ABLOS Conferences, all presentations will be in English with no interpreting provided. Presentations will only be considered for inclusion in the programme upon receipt of a supporting abstract. All abstracts should be submitted to the organizing committee for consideration via the ABLOS Conference website.

7. On behalf of the ABLOS, the IHO Secretariat requests Member States to circulate the invitation to attend the Conference both within their organization and among other relevant national authorities and educational institutions.

On behalf of the Secretary-General
Yours sincerely,

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Director