

## Joining instructions 33<sup>rd</sup> meeting of the North Sea Hydrographic Commission.

Ostend 27th-28th March 2018

The venue for the 33rd NSHC meeting is at the offices of the Flemish Hydrography, Vrijhavenstraat 3, 8400 Ostend, Belgium. You can find the exact location of the office via <a href="http://www.afdelingkust.be/en/ostend">http://www.afdelingkust.be/en/ostend</a>

Ostend is rather a busy destination (especially at the Easter period), so make sure to book your travel arrangements as soon as possible. Some hotels offer a reduced rate for all participants of the NHSC meeting by following this link:

https://secure.cubilis.eu/portal/belgie/meetinoostende/extendedSearch?package=1808&code=NSH C2018&lang=en (offer valid until 15 February). Be sure to use the link to get the reduced hotel rate.

Another hotel that you can book at is http://www.hotellouisa.be/

Should you be arriving in Brussels, you need to take a train to Ostend.

Check <a href="http://www.belgianrail.be/jp/sncb-nmbs-routeplanner/query.exe/en">http://www.belgianrail.be/jp/sncb-nmbs-routeplanner/query.exe/en</a> for travelling schedules (travelling time takes about 1h30).