



# “Science and Sustainable Management of the North Sea: Belgian case studies”

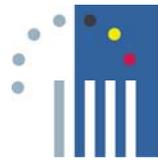
*Workshop in the framework of the Belgian Science Policy cluster covering the projects GAUFRE, BALANS, MAREBASSE and TROPHOS*

## SUMANOS Sustainable Management of the North Sea

Thursday 23 and Friday 24 November 2006

Conference room ‘Rector Vermeylen’  
Het Pand, Onderbergen 1, 9000 Ghent, Belgium



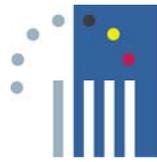


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## Programme SUMANOS workshop - DAY 1 - 23/11/2006

<b>9u00-9u30</b>	<b>Registration &amp; coffee</b>
9u30-10u00	Welcome and introduction <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Workshop and day programme Prof. Frank Maes, Maritime Institute</li><li>• Federal Science Policy, clusters and projects David Cox, Belgian Science Policy</li></ul>
10u00-10u15	Overview of the different research project ir. Jan-Bart Calewaert, Maritime Institute
<b>10u15-11u00</b>	<b>coffee break</b>
11u00-12u30	PART 1 Chair: Prof. dr. Magda Vincx <b>Fundamental research for policy and sustainable management</b>  Presentation TROPHOS (30 min) dr. Jan Vanaverbeke, Prof. dr. Filip Volckaert and dr. Eric Stienen  Expert contributions <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Expert 1 Prof. dr. Carlo Heip (10 min)</li><li>• Expert 2 Prof. dr. Mike Elliot (10 min)</li><li>• Project coordinator/chair (10 min)</li></ul> Discussion (30 min)*
<b>12u30-14u00</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
14u00-15u30	PART 2 Chair: dr. Michael Fettweis <b>Bridging gaps towards other disciplines and end-users</b>  Presentation MAREBASSE (30 min) dr. Vera Van Lancker  Expert contributions <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Expert 1 Prof. dr. Michael Collins (10 min)</li><li>• Expert 2 Erik Mink (10 min)</li><li>• Project coordinator/chair (10 min)</li></ul> Discussion (30 min)*
<b>15u30-16u00</b>	<b>coffee break</b>
16u00-16u30	Day 1 achievements & prospects



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## Programme SUMANOS workshop - DAY 2 – 24/11/2006

9u00-9u15	<b>Introduction to the day programme</b> - Prof. dr. Frank Maes
9u15-10u45	<b>PART 3A. Chair: Prof. dr. Frank Maes</b> <b>Policy system thinking for sustainable management</b>  Presentation BALANS (30min) ir. Serge Scory  Experts contributions <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Expert Dr. Guy Engelen (15 min)</li><li>• Project coordinator/chair (15 min)</li></ul> Discussion (30 min)*
10u45-11u00	<b>coffee break</b>
11u00-12u30	<b>PART 3B. Chair: Prof. dr. Frank Maes / Co-chair: ir. Jan-Bart Calewaert</b> <b>Towards a spatial structure plan for sustainable management</b>  Presentation GAUFRE Prof dr. Frank Maes  Expert contribution <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Expert 1 Dr. Charles Ehler (10 min)</li><li>• Expert 2 Prof. Richard Kenchington (10 min)</li><li>• Project coordinator/chair (10 min)</li></ul> Discussion (30 min)*
12u30-14u00	<b>Lunch</b>
14u00-14u15	DAY 2 achievements & prospects
14u15-14u45	Partner and expert statements on overall SUMANOS achievements, future prospects and vision for future research and cooperation (in preparation of the following discussion)*
14u45-15u00	<b>coffee break</b>
15u00-16u30	Discussion on recommendations, future prospects and development of a common vision for scientific support of sustainable management and policy for the North Sea in preparation of a joint statement *  Compilation of main elements for the final chapter of the SUMANOS publication  Final conclusions & closing session

\* Discussions and final session are moderated by Graham Lymbery  
General expertise contributed by dr. Martin Le Tissier