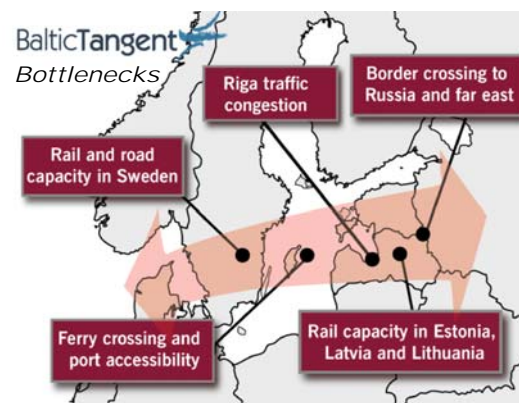


Baltic Tangent Final Conference

Riga, 26th – 27th of March 2007

Very welcome to the Baltic Tangent project's final conference in Riga! This is a first announcement. An invitation with a programme and venue for the conference will be sent out within a few weeks.

- What are the most significant bottlenecks in the Baltic Tangent and what can we do to eliminate them?
- How can an improved spatial planning contribute to a sustainable transport system?
- In what way can logistic centres/networks stimulate the developing of co modality?
- How can our Russian partner help to facilitate transport on the TransSiberian railroad to/from the Far East?



These are some of the questions to be discussed and answered at the conference. The aim of this hopefully high-class conference is to present the final results and conclusions of the Baltic Tangent project. Interventions from distinguished speakers from Governments, EU and Baltic Sea Region organizations will be followed by round table discussions and workshops. The draft programme for this lunch to lunch conference looks like below.

Monday 26th of March

- Summary of the main outcomes of the BT project
- Interventions from invited speakers from the Estonian, Latvian, Lithuanian, Russian and Swedish Government as well as from the EU Commission, TEDIM and Baltic Development Forum
- Round table discussion
- Dinner

Tuesday 27th of March

- Main conclusions regarding spatial planning and logistics for better accessibility
- Parallel workshops
- Presentation of PPP networks for realisation of the BT project proposals
- Presentation of the concept of a Baltic Tangent 2 project
- Adoption of a joint declaration about follow-up activities

Please make a reservation in your calendar for this interesting and important event! For more information, contact Bertil Eifrem, +46 706 56 15 56 or Lars Öhrman, +46 702 51 27 34.

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