

Fisheries Transparency Initiative (FiTI)

1st International Advisory Group Meeting

Berlin, 24 July 2015

Agenda

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Thursday – 23 July 2015

18:30 – 21:00 **Informal Dinner**

Welcome by *Gesine Schwan*, Co-founder and President of the HUMBOLDT-VIADRINA Governance Platform

Venue: ALvis Restaurant (in Albrechtshof Hotel – meeting point: bar)
Albrechtstraße 8
10117 Berlin / Germany
<http://www.alvis-restaurant.de>

21:00 **Optional: Scenic walk through the heart of Berlin** (e.g. Brandenburg Gate, Reichstag), approx. 1h

Friday – 24 July 2015

Venue: HUMBOLDT-VIADRINA Governance Platform
c/o Allianz Forum
Pariser Platz 6
10117 Berlin / Germany

Conference Room on upper floor (4.022)

08:30 – 09:00 Arrival of participants

09:00 – 09:30 **Opening remarks**

H.E. Sid' Ahmed Raïss, Minister for Economic Affairs and Development, Islamic Republic of Mauritania

Peter Eigen, Co-founder of the HUMBOLDT-VIADRINA Governance Platform, Chair of the FiTI Advisory Group

09:30 – 10:15 **Brief introduction of participants and their organizations**

10:15 – 10:30 Organizational setup of the current FiTI Conceptual Phase

Sven Biermann, Interim Program Director of the FiTI

- Objectives of Conceptual Phase
- Major activities and events
- Role of the HUMBOLDT-VIADRINA Governance Platform

10:30 – 11:30 Defining characteristics of the FiTI: Process

Peter Eigen, Chair of the FiTI Advisory Group

Sven Biermann, Interim Program Director of the FiTI

- From transparency to accountability: the case of the EITI
- Core elements of the FiTI
- Procedural model of the FiTI
- Discussion with participants

11:30 – 11:45 Coffee break

11:45 – 13:00 Defining characteristics of the FiTI: Content

Sven Biermann, Interim Program Director of the FiTI

- Transparency in the context of the FiTI
- Overview of proposed transparency categories
- Discussion with participants

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 15:45 Kick-off on detailed transparency elements for the FiTI

Group discussion

15:45 – 16:00 Coffee break

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16:00 – 17:00 **Value propositions of the FiTI for governments, companies & civil society**
Break-out session according to stakeholder group

17:00 – 17:30 **Wrap-up, Next Steps and Farewell**