





Tuesday, June 24, 2025	
7:45 am – 2:00 pm	Technical visits to DP World Callao and APM Terminals Callao <i>(Pre-registration is required – Limited availability)</i>  
1:00 pm – 9:30 pm	Registration at the Westin Hotel
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm	Coffee & Networking Point hosted by 
3:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Expanded Meeting of the AAPA Latam Board of Directors
7:00 pm – 9:30 pm	Welcome Reception at the Westin Hotel hosted by 
Wednesday, June 25, 2025	
7:30 am	Registration at the Westin Hotel
8:30 am – 9:00 am	OPENING CEREMONY <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Juan Andrés Duarte, Executive President of AAPA Latam • Zulma Dinelli, General Director of the AAPA Latam Congress • José Fernando Suriano, Vice Minister of Transportation and President of the National Port Commission of Guatemala – Member of the Board of Directors of AAPA LATAM • Cary Davis, President & CEO of AAPA • César Sandoval Pozo, Minister of Transport and Communications of Peru • Juan Carlos Paz, Chairman of the Board of the National Port Authority (APN), Peru
9:00 am – 9:45 am	Inaugural conference Perspectives on the global economy and its impact on the demand for the maritime and port industry <p>The global economic landscape is constantly evolving, influencing international trade and reshaping maritime and port transportation dynamics. Geopolitical tensions and economic shifts are altering trade patterns and requiring new strategies to stay competitive in the port sector. This conference will offer</p>

	<p>expert insights into the key drivers of port service demand, the impact of logistical and technological changes, and the economic challenges shaping the industry's future.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Juan Andrés Duarte, Executive President of AAPA Latam • Dinesh Sharma, Managing Director, Drewry Maritime Research
9:45 am – 10:30 am	<p>The Peruvian Port System and Its Commitment to the Future</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Juan Carlos Paz, Chairman of the Board of the National Port Authority (APN), Peru • Luis Del Carpio, Executive Director, Proinversión, Peru
10:30 am – 11:00 am	<p>Coffee & Networking hosted by</p> <p>PRO INVERSION </p>
11:00 am – 12:30 pm	<p>Port Expansion in Latin America: Success Stories and Strategic Challenges</p> <p>Port expansion in Latin America is vital to enhancing the region's global competitiveness in a context of shifting logistics and increasing demands for efficiency, sustainability, and resilience. This panel will bring together industry leaders to analyze flagship expansion projects, highlighting innovative strategies in terminal modernization, technological integration, and public-private partnerships. Participants will explore lessons learned and future challenges, offering a comprehensive perspective on how port infrastructure can position the region as a strategic global logistics hub.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eduardo Abedrapo Bustos, Chairman of the Board of San Antonio Port Company, Chile • Marliz M. Bermudez Richard, Head of Investments - Americas, APM Terminals, Panama • Kenny Pauwels, General Manager of Katoen Natie Terminal Cuenca del Plata - TCP, Uruguay • Luiz Fernando Garcia da Silva, President of Portos do Paraná, Brazil • Guillermo Misiano, President & CEO of PTP Group, Argentina <p><u>Moderator:</u> Jimena López, President of the Port Management Consortium of Quequén, Argentina</p>
12:30 pm – 1:00 pm	<p>AAPA Latam Legacy Awards</p> <p>Legacy Award for Port Development – “Ing. Valentín Morán” Terminal Internacional del Sur S.A. – Tisur, Peru</p> <p>Legacy Award for Sustainable Development – “Agustín Díaz” Portos do Paraná, Brazil</p> <p>Legacy Award for Human Capital Development – “Armando Duarte Pelaéz” Porto do Itaquí, Brazil</p>

1:00 pm – 2:00 pm	<p>Lunch</p> <p>3rd and 4th Floor Foyer of the Westin Hotel – Full accreditation must be shown upon entry</p>
2:00 pm – 3:00 pm	<p>Automation and Technology: Redefining the Landscape of Global Ports</p> <p>Automation is no longer a future promise but a reality transforming ports worldwide. This panel will showcase concrete success stories in the implementation of advanced technologies, ranging from fully automated terminals to the use of artificial intelligence and digital solutions to optimize port logistics. Attendees will gain firsthand insights into how these innovations have enhanced operational efficiency, reduced costs, and improved sustainability in key ports. How can Latin American ports replicate these experiences and remain competitive on a global scale? Discover the answers in this forward-looking panel.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Miguel Montesinos, CEO, Prodevelop, Spain • Luis Perez Madariaga, Business Development Manager, Indra, Spain • Andrés Osorio, President & CEO of the Port of Barranquilla, Port Society, Colombia <p><u>Moderator:</u> Cary Davis, President & CEO, AAPA</p>
3:00 pm – 4:00 pm	<p>Logistics Innovation for International Development</p> <p>Logistics innovation has become a key factor in integrating Latin America into major global value chains. In this panel, industry leaders will analyze how new technologies, collaborative models, and improvements in port connectivity are transforming the way we move goods, coordinate free trade zones, and optimize the relationship between different modes of transport. A strategic look at the future of regional logistics and its impact on international competitiveness.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Roberto Gamboa Aguilar, Director of the Port Company of Arica, Chile • Julio Rodriguez, Executive Director, Free Trade Zones Association of the Americas (AZFA) – Colombia • Eduardo Cerdeira, General Manager of Terminales Portuarios Euroandinos (TPE) – Peru • José de la Peña, Chairman of the Board of Directors of Santo Tomás de Castilla Port Company (EMPORNAC) – Guatemala <p><u>Moderator:</u> Eva María de los Dolores Muñoz Pineda, President of AMACARGA – Mexican Association of Freight Forwarders – Mexico</p>
4:00 pm – 4:30 pm	<p>Coffee & Networking hosted by</p> 

4:30 pm – 5:45 pm	<p>Success Stories in Port Operations Sustainability and Decarbonization</p> <p>Sustainability and decarbonization are no longer just long-term goals but immediate priorities for ports striving to remain relevant in a global context of increasing environmental regulations and market expectations. This panel will showcase real success stories in implementing sustainable strategies, including the electrification of port equipment, the use of renewable energy, and the optimization of logistics processes to reduce emissions.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marco Hernández, General Manager of DP World Callao, Peru • Enrique Piqueras, CEO of PSA International Terminal, Panama • Erik van Eekelen, Director of the BwN III Program, EcoShape, Netherlands • Estela del Carmen Luck Archbold, Sustainability Manager, Panama Canal, Panama <p><u>Moderator:</u> Milaika Capella-Ras, General Manager of the Caribbean Shipping Association</p>
5:45 pm – 6:15 pm	<p>AAPA – CIP/OEA AWARD CEREMONY: 2025 EXCELLENCE IN THE PORT INDUSTRY AWARDS</p> <p>Technology and Innovation: Santo Tomás de Castilla Port</p> <p>Port Performance and Growth: Portos do Paraná – Brazil</p> <p>Public-Private Partnerships: DP World Posorja – Ecuador</p> <p><u>Honorable Mentions:</u> Technology and Innovation: Perú LNG Port Performance and Growth: DP World Callao Public-Private Partnerships: Manta Port Terminal TPM S.A.</p>
6:15 pm – 6:30 pm	<p>Presentation of Guatemala as AAPA Latam 2026 Host</p>
6:30 pm – 8:00 pm	<p>Cocktail hosted by National Port Commission of Guatemala</p> <div>  <p>Comisión Portuaria Nacional Guatemala</p> </div>

Thursday, June 26, 2025

8:30 am – 09:45 am	<p style="text-align: center;">Integrated Logistics: The New Horizon of the City-Port Relationship</p> <p>The connection between ports and cities goes far beyond infrastructure; it is a key relationship for driving economic development, improving sustainability, and ensuring more efficient logistics. With advancements in digitalization, smart urban planning, and new logistics chains, ports are redefining their role as integrated players within the communities they serve. An essential look at the future of integrated logistics and its impact on regional competitiveness.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jason Guillén Flores, HSSEQ Manager, COSCO SHIPPING Ports Chancay Peru S.A. • Pablo Genta Buzzetti, President of the National Port Administration (ANP), Uruguay • Omar Garcia, Chief External Affairs Officer, Port of Corpus Christi, USA • Álvaro Rodríguez Dapena, Deputy Director of Strategy and Business Development at Puertos del Estado, Spain <p><u>Moderator:</u> Roxana Ortega, Senior Project Manager, Hutchison Ports PPC, Panama</p>
9:45 am – 11:00 am	<p style="text-align: center;">Global shipping strategies and their impact on the regional port system</p> <p>Global maritime transport is undergoing a phase of strategic reconfiguration. Shipping lines are adapting their operations, adjusting services, and exploring new business models to meet the demands for efficiency, sustainability, and logistical resilience. This panel will explore how these changes are shaping the planning, connectivity, and operations of the Latin American port system — and what opportunities lie ahead for ports that can swiftly adapt to this evolving global landscape.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Antonio Domínguez, President for Latin America and the Caribbean, A.P. Møller Maersk, Panama • Colin De Souza, President for Latin America at Ocean Network Express (ONE), Brazil. • Carlos Leaño, Executive Vice President of Evergreen, Colombia <p><u>Moderator:</u> Carlos Urriola, Advisor to the Board of Directors, SSA Marine MIT, Panama</p>
11:00 am – 11:30 am	<p style="text-align: center;">Coffee & Networking hosted by</p> <div style="text-align: right;">  </div>

11:30 am – 1:00 pm	<p>Innovation and Resilience: Trends and Challenges for Container Terminals in Latin America</p> <p>In a context of global disruptions and rapid change, container terminals must reinvent themselves to ensure operational continuity and competitiveness. This panel will discuss the latest trends in automation, digitalization, and sustainability, along with strategies to address challenges such as congestion, cybersecurity, and crisis resilience. Real-world examples will demonstrate how innovation is key to transforming ports into smart and agile hubs that meet the demands of international trade.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Carlos Urriola, Advisor to the Board of Directors, SSA Marine MIT, Panama • Lisbeth Inurreta Salinas, Terminal Manager, Grupo CICE, Mexico • Juan Carlos Acosta, General Manager, Cartagena Container Terminal, CONTECAR, Port of Cartagena Group, Colombia • Robert Barceló, Senior Business Development Manager, Port Everglades, USA <p><u>Moderator:</u> Miguel Garín, Director of International Development, Fundación Valenciaport, Spain</p>
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm	<p>Lunch</p> <p>3rd and 4th Floor Foyer of the Westin Hotel – Full accreditation must be shown upon entry</p>
2:00 pm – 3:00 pm	<p>Drug Trafficking in Port Terminals: Challenges and Innovative Solutions</p> <p>Ports are increasingly targeted by organized crime, leveraging complex logistics chains to infiltrate their operations. This panel will explore how drug trafficking is evolving its tactics, challenging traditional port security measures. With a focus on innovative solutions, it will showcase success stories in the use of advanced technology, collaborative intelligence, and new regulations to address this threat and safeguard the integrity of terminals in Latin America.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Major General Carlos Fernando Triana Beltrán, President of AMERIPOL and General Director of the National Police of Colombia • Colonel Margriet Zoethout, International Advisor, Seaport Police Rotterdam, National Police of the Netherlands • Liborio Cuellar, CEO, Regional Port Society of Buenaventura, Colombia • Leonel Molina, Director General of the Designated Authority of the National Port System, Guatemala. <p><u>Moderator:</u> John Saylor, Director of International Trade Development, Commonwealth Trading Partners, Inc.</p>

3:00 pm – 4:00 pm	<p>Port Innovation for Bulk Cargo: Challenges and Opportunities in an Evolving Landscape</p> <p>The handling of bulk cargo remains essential to the global economy, yet ports must adapt to new demands and challenges. In a scenario shaped by market fluctuations, sustainability, and regulations, innovation is key. Practical case studies will illustrate how ports can enhance productivity, reduce costs, and maintain relevance in an increasingly demanding trade environment.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Juan Francisco Linares, General Manager of the Port of Bahía Blanca, Argentina • Javier Vidal, Operations Director, APM Terminals Callao, Peru • Beatriz Calzada Ojeda, President of the Port Authority of Las Palmas, Spain • César Rojas, General Manager of the Port of Paracas, Peru <p><u>Moderator:</u> Rodrigo Torras, President & CEO of Grupo Compas, Colombia</p>
4:00 pm - 4:30 pm	<p>Coffee & Networking hosted by</p> 
4:30 pm- 5:30 pm	<p>The Future of Cruises: Sustainability, Innovation, and Adaptation in an Evolving Industry</p> <p>The cruise industry is undergoing a profound transformation in response to sustainability challenges, demands for more efficient ports, and the pressure to innovate in a highly competitive market. Through success stories, the discussion will highlight key strategies to ensure the sector's resilience, fostering sustainable growth and effective adaptation in times of change.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vagner Elbiorn Vega, General Director of APIQROO, Mexico • Andrew Hecker, Deputy Port Director & CFO, PortMiami, USA • Luis Enrique Runín, Chairman of the Board, Chacabuco Port Company, Chile • Javier Massignani, Managing Director of MSC Cruises Argentina & Latam <p><u>Moderator:</u> Humberto de Castro, General Manager of the Curaçao Port Authority</p>
5:30 pm – 6:00 pm	<p>AAPA Latam 2025 Closing Ceremony led by Authorities</p>
8:45 pm – 12:30 am	<p>Closing Party at MALI Museum hosted by</p> 

Friday, June 27, 2025

8:00 am – onwards

Technical Visit to the Port of Paracas
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8:30 am – onwards

Technical Visit to the Port of Chancay
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