



UNITED NATIONS  
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## **United Nations/Croatia Workshop on the Applications of Global Navigation Satellite Systems**

Organised jointly by  
**The United Nations Office for Outer Space Affairs and  
the Faculty of Maritime Studies of the University of Rijeka**

Co-organized by  
**The International Committee on Global Navigation Satellite Systems**

Hosted by  
**The Faculty of Maritime Studies of the University of Rijeka**

**Baška, Krk Island, Croatia**

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### **PROGRAMME-AT-A-GLANCE<sup>1</sup>**

#### **Tutorials**

RINEX-based global navigation satellite systems (GNSS) performance data analysis

#### **Thematic Sessions**

##### **Session 1: Current and planned global and regional navigation satellite systems and satellite-based augmentation systems**

- Programme updates-GNSS: Global Positioning System (GPS), GLObal NAvigation Satellite System (GLONASS), European Satellite Navigation System (GALILEO), COMPASS/BeiDou Navigation Satellite Systems (CNSS), Indian Regional Navigation System (IRNSS), Quasi-Zenith Satellite System (QZSS)
- GNSS space-based augmentation systems: Wide-Area Augmentation System

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<sup>1</sup> The Workshop programme will include plenary sessions and sufficient time for discussions among participants to identify the priority areas where pilot projects should be launched and examine possible partnerships that could be established in the region.

(WAAS), System of Differential Correction and Monitoring (SDCM), the European Geostationary Navigation Overlay Service (EGNOS), GPS Aided Geo-Augmented Navigation (GAGAN), the Multi-functional Transport Satellite Satellite-based Augmentation System (MSAS)

### **Session 2: GNSS user applications**

- New capabilities in efficiency and safety across all modes of transportation: aviation, maritime, rail and highway
- Applications in surveying and mapping, geodesy, science and timing, environment, agriculture, and remote sensing with GNSS and integrated sensors
- Space and atmospheric weather: observation of space weather phenomena through the deployment of ground-based world-wide instrument arrays such as GPS receivers, magnetometers, solar telescopes, very low frequency (VLF) monitors, solar particle detectors, and data analysis and the sharing of recorded data

### **Session 3: GNSS reference station networks and services**

- Regional and national reference frames/systems implementation
- International GNSS Service (IGS) and other initiatives, multi-GNSS environment

### **Session 4: Capacity building, training and education in the field of GNSS**

- Education and training programmes
- GNSS education tools

### **Discussion Sessions**

- Issues, concerns and approaches for pilot projects/initiatives, requirements of implementing, mechanisms and resources of implementing
- Possible follow-up projects and initiatives and proposals for future workshops/training courses