



## B7 Baltic Islands Network

### B7 Saaremaa Chairmanship 2008

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## B7 Brussels Event

31 March – 3 April 2008

### Accommodation:

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Permanent Representation  
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 Rue Guimard 11/13  
 1040 Brussels

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### Participants:

	First Name	Surname	Position in County / Municipality	Island	B7 Position
1	Toomas	<b>Kasemaa</b>	County Governor	Saaremaa	B7 President 2008
2	Eva	<b>Nypelius</b>	County Mayor	Gotland	B7 Steering Committee,
3	Björn	<b>Jansson</b>	Municipal Commissioner, Municipality of Gotland	Gotland	B7 Steering Committee
4	Hannes	<b>Maasel</b>	County Governor	Hiiumaa	B7 Steering Committee
5	Uwe	<b>Ahlers</b>	County Councillor	Rügen	B7 Steering Committee
6	Tommy	<b>Eliasson</b>	Deputy Chairman of Council of Morbylångå Municipality	Oland	B7 Steering Committee
7	Roger	<b>Eriksson</b>	Minister of Administration and EU Affairs, Government of Åland	Åland	B7 Steering Committee
8	Bo	<b>Dahlöf</b>	Chief Executive Officer, Municipality of Gotland	Gotland	B7 Steering Committee, Observer
9	Ulla	<b>Pettersson</b>	Director for International Affairs, Municipality of Gotland	Gotland	B7 Board
10	Reet	<b>Kokovkin</b>	Adviser to County Governor	Hiiumaa	B7 Board
11	Christoph	<b>Löwen</b>	Spatial Planner, Landkreis Rügen	Rügen	B7 Board
12	Anu	<b>Vares</b>	Adviser to County Governor	Saaremaa	B7 Board, Chairperson 2008
13	Susanne	<b>Bredesjö Budge</b>	Project Coordinator, Öland Local Federation of Local Authorities	Oland	B7 Board
14	Hanna	<b>Bertell</b>	The Unit for European Affairs, Government of Åland	Åland	B7 Board
15	Kaira	<b>Kivi</b>		Saaremaa	B7 Secretariat 2008
16	David	<b>Hunt</b>	Regional Development Unit, Regional Municipality of Bornholm	Bornholm	B7 Facilitator

### Draft programme:

<b>Monday</b> <b>31 March</b>		Arrivals Individual meetings 20.00 Dinner at Hotel Bedford Brussels
<b>Tuesday</b> <b>01 April</b>	09.00 - 12.00	Board meeting (at the Permanent Representation of Estonia to the EU) & Informal SC meeting (at Hotel Bedford Brussels)
	12.00 – 13.30	Lunch at Arthur´s (Rue de Treves 26)
	14.00 – 15.30	<b>Meeting with DG Regio (Mr Dirk Ahner, Director-General, and colleagues)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>EU Strategy for the Baltic Sea Region</li> <li>Future of the EU Cohesion Policy (2014+)</li> </ul>
	16.00 – 17.30	<b>Meeting with the Baltic Europe Intergroup of the European Parliament</b> (EU Strategy for the Baltic Sea Region)
	19.00	Dinner at Restaurant Chez Vincent (Rue des Dominicains 8-10)
<b>Wednesday</b> <b>02 April</b>	12.00 – 13.00	Lunch at Crowne Plaza Brussels Europa Hotel (Rue de la Loi 107)
	13.00 – 16.30	Steering Committee meeting (at the Permanent Representation of Estonia to the EU)
	19.00	Dinner at Restaurant La Rose Blanche (Grand Place 11)
<b>Thursday</b> <b>03 April</b>	9.30 – 11.00	<b>Meeting with the Maritime Policy Task Force (Ms Izolda Bulvinaite and Mr Haitze Siemers)</b> (Follow up Commission's proposal for the EU Maritime Policy) The representative of the CPMR (Mr Enrico Mayrhofer) to attend the meeting Departures