

AQUABEST- SUBMARINER

PROGRAMME
for the Åland Aquaculture Week
9.10-12.10.2012
Mariehamn/Åland

DAY 1: Session 1

12:00-13:00	Registration	Alandica
13:00-13:15	Opening by moderator <i>Ulrika Bergman, Swedish Board of Agriculture</i>	Ramsö
13:15-13:30	Welcome address by the Åland Government <i>Fredrik Karlström, Minister of Trade and Industry and Carina Aaltonen, Minister of Social Affairs, Health and Environment</i>	Ramsö
13:30-14:00	Keynote speaker: Nutrient loop and future availability of feed sources <i>Anders Kiessling, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences</i>	Ramsö
14:00-14:30	Baltic Sea diets as fish feed: the Rimito trial <i>Jouni Vielma, Finnish Game and Fisheries Research Institute</i>	Ramsö
14:30-15:00	The Åland consultation work and action plan for fishfarming <i>Carina Aaltonen, Minister of Social Affairs, Health and Environment, Åland</i>	Ramsö
15:00-15:15	Coffee break	Alandica lobby
15:15-15:45	The future of the fish farming sector in Sweden <i>Ola Öberg, Svensk Fiskodling Ab/Swedish Fish Farmers' Association</i>	Ramsö
15:45-16:15	Rawmaterials from the Baltic: Challenges for feedproducers <i>Knut-Olof Lerche, Raisio Agro</i>	Ramsö
16:15-16:45	Wrap up of the day <i>By moderator</i>	Ramsö
17:00	Short introduction to the Åland buses fuelled by fish biodiesel	Ramsö
17:15	Departure from Alandica to the Åland Maritime Museum with the "fishdiesel mini-train"	Alandica entrance
17:30-18:30	Guided tour in the Åland Maritime Museum	

18:30 Åland farmed fish dinner at Restaurant Nautical

DAY 2: Session 2

8:30-9:00 Registration Alandica lobby

9:00-9:15 Welcome by moderator Ramsö
Anders Kiessling, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences

09:15-09:45 Sustainability in the fishfeed sector's perspective: BioSustain Ramsö
Vidar Gundesen, BioMar

09:45-10:05 Åland fish farming development over time in the light of policy decisions Ramsö
Rosita Broström, chief executive, Åland Fish Farmers' Association

10:05-10:20 Coffee break Alandica lobby

10:20-10:35 Statement by the Swedish Government Ramsö
Ulrika Bergman, Swedish Board of Agriculture

10:35-11:05 The aquaculture situation in Sweden today: special focus on new feed sources Ramsö
Jens Andersson, responsible for aquaculture at the Swedish Association of Local Authorities and Regions

11:05-11:45 The permit system and the Environment Protection Act in Finland Ramsö
Ari Ekroos and Inga-Liisa Pavola, Helsinki University

11:45-12:00 Introduction to the interactive group work session Ramsö
By Anders Kiessling

12:00-13:00 Buffet Lunch Alandica lobby

Session 3: WHAT IS NEEDED FROM DIFFERENT SECTORS TO ESTABLISH A BALTIC SEA NUTRIENT LOOP? Roundtable discussions

13:00-15.30 Meeting in groups Ramsö and Husö
Group work facilitators and rapporteurs

14:30-15:00 Coffee will be available Alandica lobby

15:30-16:30 Plenary: Group work results presentation Ramsö and Husö
Rapporteurs of groups 1,2,3, 4

16:30-17:30 Summary of the day including group work Ramsö and Husö
Anders Kiessling, moderator

DAY 3

Session 4: MUSSEL FARMING IN THE BALTIC SEA – PREREQUISITES AND POSSIBILITIES

8:30-9:00	Registration	Ramsö
9:00-9:15	Welcome by moderator <i>Jens Andersson, Region of Jämtland. Sweden</i>	Ramsö
9:15-9:45	Keynote speaker <i>Jens Kjerulf Petersen, Danish Shellfish Centre</i>	Ramsö
9:45-10:15	Challenges for Baltic Sea Mussel Farming <i>Nardine Stybel, EUCC - The Coastal Union Germany</i>	Ramsö
10:15-10:45	Perspectives for mussel farming in the Baltic Sea Region <i>Odd Lindahl, the Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences, Sweden</i>	Ramsö
10:45-11:00	Coffee break	Alandica lobby
11:00-11:30	Eco-forecasting: Mussel farms towards environmental sustainability in the Baltic Sea <i>Eliecer Diaz, BalticEcoMussel, ARONIA, Novia University of Applied Sciences, Finland</i>	Ramsö
11:30-12:00	Panel discussion	Ramsö
12:00-13:00	LUNCH	Alandica lobby
Session 5:	MUSSEL FARMING EQUIPMENT FOR HARSH CONDITIONS	Ramsö
13:00-13:30	Choosing Effective technologies to develop offshore mussel culture-Åland <i>John C. Bonardelli, Shellfish Solutions, Norway</i>	Ramsö
13:30-13:45	Experiences of ice as a challenge to mussel farms <i>Odd Lindahl, the Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences, Sweden</i>	Ramsö
13:45-14.00	Experiences of ice as a challenge to mussel farms <i>Torbjörn Engman, Åland Government mussel project</i>	Ramsö
15:00-15:30	Exclusive taste testing: Åland mussels (and coffee)	Alandica lobby
15:30-16:00	The purpose of mussel farming <i>John Tyrstup, Kingfisher, Sweden</i>	Ramsö

16:00-16:30	Mussel farm system - reducing cost and labour <i>Mads van Deurs, Smart Farm Norway and Nordshell, Denmark</i>	Ramsö
16:30-17:00	Summary of the day <i>Jens Andersson, moderator</i>	Ramsö
Ca 18:00-	Dinner	Alandica

DAY 4

Session 6: MUSSEL FARMING WORKSHOP INCLUDING EXCURSION TO ÅLAND GOVERNMENT MUSSEL FARM

9:30	Departure from Alandica to Långnäs harbor by car	
10:15-11:15	Boat ride Långnäs to Kumlinge	
11:15-12:45	Study visit to the Kumlinge mussel farm	Synderstö
12:45-15:30	Lunch session: Mussel farming workshop Sampling: Protocol methods & benefits across sites <i>John C. Bonardelli, Shellfish Solutions, Norway/Canada</i> Background: The Åland Government mussel farm <i>Torbjörn Engman, Åland Government mussel project</i> Husbandry & risk management: Optimizing value out of mussel culture <i>John C. Bonardelli, Shellfish Solutions, Norway/Canada</i>	Seglinge Andelshandel
16:00-17:00	Boat ride back to Långnäs (possibility leave by ferry also at 14:00)	
17:00	Departure from Långnäs to Mariehamn by car	
The latest 17:45	Arrival back in Mariehamn	