INVITATION

The Department of Maritime Transport and Commerce and the Department of Architecture at Frederick University invite you to a public discussion on

Traffic Congestion and Beach Access: Challenges and Prospects for the coastal city of Limassol

Friday, November 7, 2025 17:30 – 20:00 Frederick University, Limassol Room 306, 3rd floor (18, Marios Agathaggelou str., Ayios Georgios Havouzas)

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The traffic congestion in Limassol leads to time wasted in the streets, pollution and stress that directly affect the quality of life of every citizen. At the same time, the limited and often commercialized access to the beaches deprives citizens of the right to freely enjoy the sea and causes new pressures on the city's road network. Citizens deserve better mobility, a healthy environment and truly free access to their city's coast; they deserve an inclusive city, which will offer better quality of life.

The discussion brings together representatives of relevant bodies, decision makers, experts and active citizens, with the aim to:

- present key issues and challenges,
- discuss alternative approaches,
- present projects that are already underway or planned, offering a comprehensive view of the solutions being developed.

AGENDA

17:30 - 18:30 | Part A: Traffic Congestion in Limassol

Panel moderator: Dr Angelos Menelaou,

Head of the Department of Maritime Transport and Commerce, Frederick University

Panel participants:

- Yiannis Armeftis, Mayor of Limassol
- Yiannis Tsouloftas, EOA Lemesos President
- Fotini Tsiridou, Member of the House of Representatives, Member of the House Standing Committee on Transport, Communications and Works
- Evie Anayiotou, Head of the Sustainable Mobility Section at Public Works Department, Ministry of Transport, Communications and Works
- Dr Loukas Dimitriou, Transport specialist, University of Cyprus

18:30 - 18:40 | Break

18:40 – 19:40 | Part B: Beach Access and Operations

Panel moderator: Dr Yiannis Voudouris,

Assistant Professor, Department of Maritime Transport and Commerce, Frederick University

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- Fotini Tsiridou, Member of the House of Representatives, Member of the House Standing Committee on Transport, Communications and Works
- Professor Byron Ioannou, Head of the Department of Architecture, Frederick University
- **Dr Angelos Menelaou**, Head of the Department of Maritime Transport and Commerce, Frederick University

This discussion is part of the Blue Limassol Forum, an annual event co-organized by the Limassol Municipality and Frederick University, seeking the interaction of the Municipality, the academic community, the maritime industry and civil society towards the sustainable development of the coastal city of Limassol.