



LOOKOUT
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Ahoy Customer,

Set course for our latest Lookout issue: Discover our journey in the "Protecting Blue Whales and Blue Skies" programme, where our commitment to reducing vessel speed and protecting marine life has placed us in the highest category available.

Additional topics of this Lookout edition:

- Silke Lehmköster to become Managing Director Fleet at Hapag-Lloyd
- Donya-Florence Amer is "Women of the year" – Beyond Gender Agenda
- Captain Tonci Botica in Marco Polo's footsteps
- Interview with Sanjam Sahi Gupta – Breaking up traditional gender roles

Whale Protection: Hapag-Lloyd upgraded from Gold to Sapphire Status



For several years, **Hapag-Lloyd has been involved in the “Protecting Blue Whales and Blue Skies” programme** to protect marine life and reduce air pollution in the San Francisco Bay Area and the Santa Barbara Channel region. **Our commitment and ambitious measures in 2023 paid off:** being over 80 percent compliant with the maximum speed of 10 knots in designated areas raises our tier from gold to sapphire, the highest possible category.

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Silke Lehmköster to become Managing Director Fleet at Hapag-Lloyd

Effective 1 April 2024, **Silke Lehmköster has taken over the role of Managing Director Fleet at Hapag-Lloyd**, with responsibility for Fleet Management, Fleet Innovation & Technology and Chartering as well as the Newbuildings Project Group.

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Donya-Florence Amer is "Women of the year"

We are very proud to announce, that Donya has been awarded the "Women of the year" title from Beyond Gender Agenda. With the **"Women of the Year"** campaign, **Beyond Gender Agenda honours outstanding women in the German economy** who are committed to diversity and equal opportunities.

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Captain Tonci Botica in Marco Polo's footsteps

Tonci Botica comes from Korcula in Croatia, and the traveling ancestor is none other than Marco Polo, famous for his travelogues from China, where he held several positions, including as an ambassador under Kublai Khan in the 13th century.*

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"As if the women didn't exist, I was furious about that"

The Women's International Shipping & Trading Association (WISTA) connects **female leaders and decision makers in the maritime industry around the world**. Sanjam Sahi Gupta has brought it to India. In this interview, she tells us about **her efforts to break up traditional gender roles**, about her struggles in the maritime industry, and what we at Hapag-Lloyd can do to help.



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Picture of the month: "Montevideo Express"



This month's picture of the month shows our 335 metre long and 51 metre wide "**Montevideo Express**" in the Port of Rotterdam. The ship can carry 13,312 standard containers (TEU).