



# INVITATION

TO THE PRESENTATION OF

## POLITICAL STATE OF THE REGION REPORT 2011 THE BALTIC SEA REGION

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For some time, recognized experts have been dealing with questions concerning the Baltic Sea Region (BSR) within a newly established think tank, prepared to give advice, and to initiate, develop and follow up political processes.

The Political State of the Region Report 2011, to which 23 authors from the entire BSR have contributed, provides an overview of political and economic developments in the region and its countries over the period from January 2010 until July 2011. Its country chapters focus on the respective policies towards the BSR and stance on the newly established EU Strategy for the Baltic Sea Region (EUSBSR). The report further analyzes concrete issues which are of relevance for the BSR and regional co-operation, in particular within the framework of the EUSBSR: security, energy, environment, migration/demography, labour mobility, transport and communication as well as region branding.

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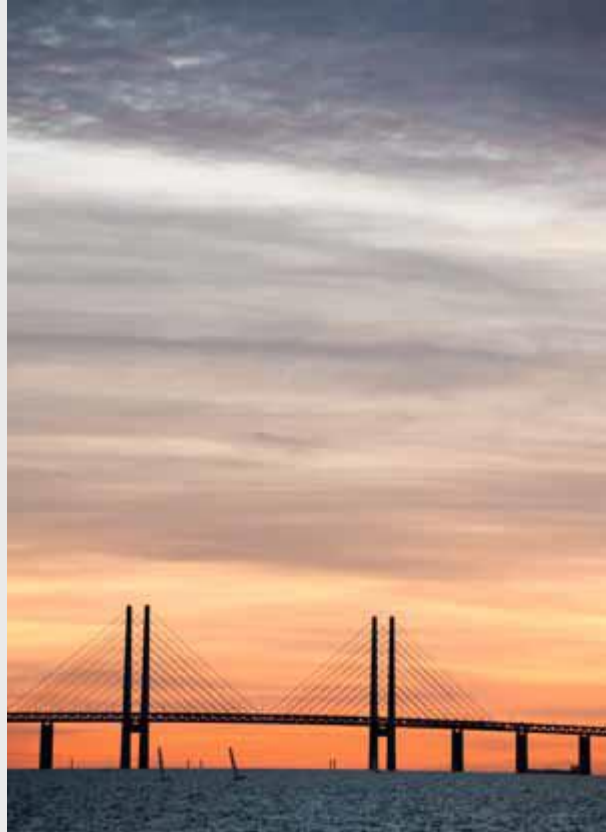
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**25 January 2012 - 12 am to 2 pm - Hanse-Office**

The event will be held in English, a light lunch will be provided.

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