

Hot and Cold – Assuring fit for purpose joints – Welded and Non-Welded Connections

Good practice, qualification, assurance and testing

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With the ageing Oil and Gas infrastructure in the North Sea, and the desire to maintain up-time whilst paying the highest regard to both safety and cost, both welded and non-welded joints are now fundamental to the integrity management of pressurised equipment.

The aim of this conference is to share knowledge and experiences of different types of hot and cold connections including what to look out for to equip engineers working at all levels to be able to ensure joints are fit for purpose.

We will address the pitfalls and provide tips and important things to watch out for upfront during installation and throughout the life of the joint.

We are looking for abstracts that cover:

- Case histories – including learnings from other industries and perhaps where things have not gone to plan
- Assessment and justification for design life of mechanical connectors.
- Justification of mechanical connectors over welded solutions using ALARP principles.
- Inventive NDT methods to improve productivity of weld testing
- Design, installation and lifecycle management of standardised and bespoke connections
- Management of legacy/equipment after change of ownership
- Assessing material suitability for Change of use of equipment from hydrocarbon to CO₂ transport

This conference, jointly organised by SPE Aberdeen and IMechE will provide a forum for discussing the issues with subject matter experts, leaving you with ideas to consider and workable solutions.

If you have experiences or case histories to share, then we invite you to submit a short 200 word abstract for formal 20 minute presentations or a 200 word abstract for the five minute 'Techbyte' sessions, which are more sales-oriented presentations.

To submit your abstract

Email aberdeen.events@spe-uk.org or visit www.spe-aberdeen.org/events or call **01224 646311**.

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

SPE Aberdeen and IMechE are not for profit organisations and are organisers of this event. All surplus funds raised will get reinvested into various initiatives to help support our future generation of young engineers.

All sponsorship opportunities will ensure your logo is prominently positioned across all promotional materials, including the SPE website, onscreen graphics and abstracts book.

Your company will also be recognised by the Conference Chair. Additional benefits are outlined in each package below. All costs outlined exclusive of VAT.

PLATINUM SPONSOR	£5,000
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Five complimentary delegate passes• Free pop up stand to display in conference hall	
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EXHIBITION STANDS

£1,100

We have a limited number of exhibition stands available. There will be ample opportunity for maximum interaction between exhibitors and delegates during the registration period, coffee breaks and during lunch.

- A basic exhibition space (approx. 3m wide x 2m deep) is suitable for a pop-up portable display stand or table top display. Two or more adjacent units can be combined to make a larger space
- One free delegate to attend the seminar
- Logo in event brochure issued to all delegates
- One trestle table & 2 chairs provided

FURTHER INFORMATION

To discuss these opportunities in more detail, contact The Events Team on 01224 646311 or email aberdeen.events@spe-uk.org

