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# **MENTORS AVAILABLE**

Do you need a mentor to help you achieve your next level of professional registration? The South Western and South Wales Branch has mentors available to help you. Please contact Vicki Stevenson for more information:

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We are on Linkedin: search for 'South Western & South Wales El Branch'



# **CHAIR'S MESSAGE**

Dear SW & SW Branch Members

Please find enclosed a copy of the El South Western and South Wales branch programme of events for calendar year 2017. I hope you will find the events of interest.

To ensure the success of the branch we need your ideas, suggestions and participation in branch events. We are currently pursuing a number of received suggestions and looking at new opportunities to broaden professional development within our branch.

If you would like further information on how you can get involved, whether as a committee member, professional review interviewer, mentor, speaker at an event or in some other capacity then please do contact me.

All are welcome to our events, many of which are free to attend. I hope you can make every effort to join us at a future event and I look forward to meeting you soon.

Yours sincerely,

#### Dr Colin Chapman CEng CSci FEI Chair

**PS.** Please note more regular communications about forthcoming branch events and changes to the programme will be sent out to EI members via email. To make sure you are on the EI's mailing list, please send your email address to **communications@energyinst.org** 

#### www.energyinst.org/branches/south-westernand-south-wales





# **2017 PROGRAMME**



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## Weds 1 March Membership Workshop & Networking

*Time: 13:30–16:30 Venue: Penryn Campus, University of Exeter, Cornwall, TR10 9FE* 

#### 13:30 for 14:00 Membership Workshop

Join us in the *Exchange Lecture Theatre* for a workshop aimed at all student / graduate / pre-professional members looking to upgrade.

### 16:00 Networking Tea

Join us in the Exchange Red Seminar Room for a networking session with tea/coffee, and a chance to meet 1-2-1 with Terry Winter, the El's new membership development officer.

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## Thurs 23 March

#### An Evening of Talks & Discussion at Penryn Time: 17:30 for 18:00

Venue: Chapel Lecture Theatre, Penryn Campus, University of Exeter, Cornwall, TR10 9FE

**18:00 Prof David Infield** - "Wind Farm Wake Model Validation in Moderately Complex Terrain".

A year of SCADA data from Whitelee Wind Farm near Glasgow has been used to investigate wind turbine wake development in moderately complex terrain. **19:00 Philip Hosken** - "Steam Technologies, from Trevithick to Bioethanol"

Philip Hosken is a Cornishman who has held senior management positions developing international motor and construction companies. He has led teams to build working replicas of the world's first steam vehicles and was chairman of the Trevithick Society for thirteen years.

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#### Weds 26 April A Talk by George Mills - "A Chemist's Walk Through Time and the Elements"

*Time:* 19:00 *Venue: School of Chemistry, University of Bristol, Cantock's Close, Bristol, BS8 1TS.* As chemical 'elements' can be interpreted in more ways than one, the lecture will examine historic thought, scientific discovery, economic growth and some thermodynamics. The audience will be encouraged to engage in chemical, economic and ecological debate about "Our Common Future". *Contact: Alastair Stevens GradEl* 

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Note – this is a joint event presented with the Royal Society of Chemistry

## Thurs 25 May

#### **Energy Conference, organised by ICE Wales** *Time: 08:30-16:30*

Venue: Novotel, Schooner Way, Cardiff, CF10 4RT This annual event is organised by the Institution of Civil Engineers, and supported by the Energy Institute and other bodies. There will be 4 main technical sessions, followed by an expert panel discussion. The key themes are as follows:

- Strategy & Policy
- Local Energy
- Energy Storage & Distribution
- Nuclear Energy
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Book online: <u>www.ice.org.uk/near-you/uk/wales</u>

# Weds 5 July

#### Branch AGM

Time: 19:00

Venue: TBC, Bristol

The Annual General Meeting is your chance to get involved with your branch, meet your committee, and influence the branch's future activities during the rest of 2017/18. All members within our branch area will be very welcome to attend. Full details will be announced via the online branch calendar when confirmed, later in 2017.

#### To Be Confirmed - July 2017 July (Saturday TBC) - Summer Social - Cornwall *Time: 10:00 - 17:00*

We are currently shortlisting suitable attractions in the Cornwall area for our annual branch summer social. This is an informal event, and friends and family will all be very welcome. *Contact: Paul Evans e: pevans@wardell-armstrong.com* 

#### February - October 2017 I-SEE Seminars, University of Bath Time: 16:00 Tea. 16:30-17:45 Seminar

Venue: 3.22 Lecture Theatre, 8 West, Univ of Bath

The Institute for Sustainable Energy and the Environment hosts a series of seminars by highprofile speakers on a wide range of topics, from fracking to population growth, encompassing all aspects of energy production, use and future challenges. Talks confirmed so far for 2017:

- 7 Feb Prof Geoffrey Maitland, Imperial College London
- 21 Feb Andrew Todd, Verco Ltd
- 7 Mar Prof Aron Walsh, Imperial College London
- 21 Mar Prof Peter Wilson, University of Bath
- 25 Apr Prof Peter Edwards, University of Oxford
- 3 Oct Martin Shorrock, CEO, Tidal Lagoon Power Swansea Bay
- 17 Oct Prof Peter Walker, Univ of Bath
- 31 Oct Humphrey Cadoux-Hudson, EDF Energy

• Further Events to be confirmed in due course *Contact: Alastair Stevens* 

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w: www.bath.ac.uk/i-see/events/index.html

**COMING SOON** – a networking evening in Bristol. Please keep an eye on our branch web page (below) for details.

Evidence of CPD can be made available on request at appropriate events.

<u>Note</u>: Details given here are subject to amendment. For up-to-date details, see your monthly magazine, *Energy World* or *Petroleum Review* or visit:

www.energyinst.org/south-western-and-southwales