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NEPIC Best Practice in Industrial Asset Management Conference & Expo 2023





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# What to expect.

During the event we will demonstrate transferable lessons from across the manufacturing spectrum, that Production and Engineering Managers can apply to their own operations, as well as showcasing the broad range of asset management capabilities that are available within the region.

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**Exhibitors.** Find out more about each of our exhibiting companies.



**Floorplan.** Please refer to our floorplan to enable you to maximise networking opportunities.

# This is Maint.ai

Reducing opex while delivering unrivalled asset reliability through data-driven solutions and proven global experience.

Maint.ai combines artificial intelligence, expert domain knowledge, and decades of global experience with the power of asset data to reduce maintenance effort by 30% and operating costs by 20%, while assuring production reliability.



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# Useful info.

WIFI	Search for Hardwick Hall Corporate! and enter the password: 01Password!
NETWORKING	Please refer to the agenda on pages 6 & 7 for networking break times.
REFRESHMENTS	Complimentary tea & coffee will be served alongside timetabled breaks.
LUNCH	Lunch will be provided to all registered delegates and exhibitors and served between 13.10 - 14.20.
TOILETS	Toilets are located within the Coleman Suite.

# Event agenda.

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### Find out more.

Read on for further details on each of this year's presentation topics and our speakers' backgrounds within the industry.

# Our speakers.



Kevin Stewart Operations Manager & Product Owner for Maint.ai Wood

**Presentation Title:** Unlock The Power of Your Assets Data Through maint.ai

Assets are being challenged to transform performance and extend operational life by dramatically reducing operating costs and emissions, while improving both safety and production throughput and availability. At the same time, value is being lost due to production shortfall and unforeseen costs. Experienced skilled labour is in short supply and our businesses need to focus on transformational projects which support a safe, secure & stable energy transition.

Wood's intelligent asset optimisation specialists have been working closely with clients, including the Wood-operated CATS Terminal on Teeside, to understand and address the main causes of these issues, deploying advanced analytics and embedding them client side to transform equipment maintenance and end-to-end operations.

#### **About Kevin**

A Chartered Fellow of the Royal Society of Chemistry, Kevin Stewart has a consistent track record in employing best business practices that improve facility efficiency and reduce operating costs while improving asset integrity. Kevin is the Product Owner for maint.ai & leads delivery of the programme for Wood.

Kevin is a highly accomplished operations and maintenance leader with over 10 years of service at Wood & 15 years in the oil and gas industry. Kevin led the decommissioning of the Jacky platform and also spent several years as part of the Beatrice Field Duty Holder Team managing a large operating hub, several NUIs, wind turbines and onshore terminal. He was instrumental in extending the field life of these ultra-late life assets and managing their transition through late and ultra-late life, cessation of production and decommissioning.

# Anthesis 🚿 IFS

# Maximise the value of Enterprise Asset Management software for chemicals companies

Anthesis can unlock the value of IFS Cloud software to help you understand the complete view of your assets, improving availability, reliability and energy usage. Monitor the health of assets, drive predictive maintenance and quickly repair failures without impact to productivity.



# Our speakers.



**Philippa Kendrick** CEO Senior Consultant Frazer-Nash Consultancy

**Presentation Title:** Development of Asset Management Maturity at the UK's leading LNG Importation Terminal

Many operators across the process sector own and operate assets of varying vintages, often with an asset management strategy that is focussed on "operate and maintain". This presents a number of challenges when trying to validate the assets as "fit for service" for continued use and, in parallel, develop a strategy for transition to Net Zero.

Frazer-Nash recently undertook a project with National Grid's Grain LNG site in Kent to help address these challenges. The presentation will outline the approach taken and how the project delivered not only a strong foundation on which multiple re-life projects have been based, but has also improved the maturity of asset management thinking across the organisation.

#### About Phillipa

Philippa is an accomplished engineering consultant with experience of delivering multi-disciplinary asset management projects across varied business sectors. Notably, she recently worked on an asset re-life project for Grain LNG, a major Liquified Natural Gas terminal here in the UK. The site operates a range of assets of varying ages, some dating back to the 1970's.

Using asset management principles, Philippa led the initial study to understand where to put the effort in and when. She then went on to help Grain LNG deliver the large programme of projects recommended during the initial study.



#### lan Nelson

Industry Manager - Chemical Endress+Hauser UK

**Presentation Title:** Innovative network-based asset collaboration in equipment-intensive manufacturing industries

Endress+Hauser and key customers in the process manufacturing industry are sharing structured and unstructured data, such as equipment maintenance strategies and manuals, spare parts data, performance analysis and feedback, in a cloud-based business network that helps them avoid manual information exchange, costly system integrations, and data aggregations. This digital twin of Endress+Hauser equipment consolidates multiple information channels into one.

The presentation will look at: Why SAP Master Data Integration?

- From an OEM as well as User's perspective
- From a maintenance perspective
- From a user perspective
- Procurement in SAP Business Network for Asset Management

#### About lan

lan has 30 years' experience in process control, with over 17 years working at Endress+Hauser.

Now specialising in the Chemical Industry, he the experience gained directly at customer sites and works closely with the company's production centres to ensure Endress+Hauser delivers products, services and solutions of value to customers.

# Our speakers.



Martin Graham Director of Engineering, Piramal Piramal

**Presentation Title:** Effective Engineering Maintenance Strategies and Capital Investment Plans

In a very competitive world and escalating costs it's even more important any capital investment is prioritised and focused in the right areas and all assets are maintained and monitored effectively to minimise any unnecessary expense.

At Piramal new strategies have been introduced around Maintenance Management Systems, Capital Investment Prioritisation and Energy reduction.

The presentation will focus on the approach and adoption of these strategies in a real life example.

#### About Martin

Over 30 years' experience in engineering having been responsible at senior level for managing diverse complex facilities with full P&L accountability for global organisations such as RioTinto Alcan, Philips Electronics, and Corning Glass. Working in industries such as Electronics, Power Generation, Mining, Smelting, Glass Manufacture, Food manufacture, Maritime Industry and now Pharmaceuticals.

As Director of Engineering, Facilities and IT he leads a diversified technical team of over 60 staff in the development and delivery of what is the best-in-class maintenance programs, effective management of capital expenditure and a technical robust IT infrastructure strategy.



#### Ben Caley

Product Manager - Industrial Communications and Cyber Security Siemens

**Presentation Title:** Asset Management and Cyber Security in the Chemical Industry

This presentation will look at OT Cyber Security in the Chemical Industry, encompassing:

- The OT Cyber Security Landscape
- The importance of asset management in cyber security
- Standards, legislation and directives

#### About Ben

Ben Caley heads product management for Siemens Digital Industries' Connectivity and Cyber Security business in the UK. With a background in industrial automation, IoT and cyber security, Ben's focus is to support the adoption of cyber security and networking best practices into industrial environments.

# Our speakers.



**Dr Alan Mahoney** Operations Director PPCL

**Presentation Title:** Optimizing Energy Usage with Geometric Process Control

Geometric Process Control (GPC) comprises novel multivariate visualization and machine learning (ML) modeling techniques that can be applied by process and process control engineers without complicated mathematics.

This presentation looks at applying these techniques to agile process operation under changing energy landscapes, showing how operational targets can be synthesized visually from past operating data, then continuing to show the greater rewards possible with dynamic real-time targets based on full multi-dimensional operating envelopes.

Case studies showing potential savings from both off-line and on-line optimization are included.

#### About Alan

Alan Mahoney received his BS in Chemical Engineering from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign and his PhD from Purdue University looking at Population Balances and Model Predictive Control. He has had a diverse career in industry and academia and is currently Technical and Operations Director at PPCL.



Christine McKie Managing Director px Energy Solutions

Presentation Title: Net Zero - An Assets Journey

px Energy Solutions is part of px Group, the leading provider of services in the process, energy, and high-complexity industrial sectors and a company that has a rich history of working with clients to optimise their energy assets and decarbonise their processes.

Our vision is to deliver net zero and stakeholder success through elite performance in the safety, availability, reliability and efficiency of energy infrastructure, industrial processes and related commercial activities – unlocking value for our customers as a trusted partner.

#### **About Christine**

Christine McKie, Managing Director of px Energy Solutions is responsible for and oversees all elements of the business, including commercial strategy, on-site execution, and post-installation and development work.

Christine joined px Group nearly 25 years ago and knows all aspects of the px Group business. Christine first joined px Group in its Information Technology team but has also worked in energy trading, procurement, commercial, project development, business development and financial roles prior to commencing the role of Managing Director, px Energy Solutions in 2022.

# Our speakers.



**Cyrus Sorab** Principal Architect - EAM IFS

**Presentation Title:** How Intelligent APM helps asset owners achieve their New Net Zero ambition.

In this presentation, we will talk through the positive impact APM has on an organisation's ESG objectives. Energy Consumption is a key cost driver and yet is sometimes overlooked when considering an Assets TCO & ROI. We will highlight the tangible benefits of effective Energy Monitoring, providing real world examples of where insights from Energy Monitoring/Reporting have led to significant improvements in the drive towards "Net Zero". We will discuss how today's energy crisis has driven awareness of the need to manage our Assets energy consumption & pressed home the importance of energy monitoring/reporting at an asset/asset class level. Energy usage & carbon emissions have always been tightly coupled so let's examine how we can turn green into gold by understanding our assets better. A more effective understanding of how the energy they consume, not only effects an asset's ability to deliver against "Net Zero" objectives but also helps improve the Asset owner/operator's margins.

#### About Cyrus

Cyrus's has spent the last 24 years helping organisations improve their application of technology, working practices & bottom line. His first exposure to the world of EAM was at Blue Circle/Lafarge Cement UK, joining, and eventually leading, the IT Business Systems team for Manufacturing, Inventory & Procurement, He spent the next 10 years helping customers understand the benefit of EAM and demonstrating the role technology can play. Cyrus joined IFS at the start of 2022 as their Principal Architect, EAM. He is passionate about helping customers from around the world deliver & realise value from the effective use of technology.



Joao Vasques (PhD) Senior Consultant DNV

**Presentation Title:** Adding value through RAM analysis: Performance Forecasting for the process industry towards a Net Zero future.

The purpose of this presentation is to provide more detail on the Reliability, Availability and Maintainability (RAM) analysis methodology, and how its implementation can benefit both traditional and upcoming Low Carbon Applications.

A RAM analysis is a proven quantitative technique for Plant Reliability modelling in the asset management sector. The analysis comprises the development of a model representation of the asset(s) under investigation and forecasting through event-driven Monte Carlo-based simulations how parameters such as reliability, maintainability and operational philosophies influence overall performance and availability.

As a forecasting tool supporting projects in either design and operational phase, RAM allows identification of areas of potential improvement and permits the investigation of the true quantifiable benefits of alternative design, maintenance, operational or sales strategies.

#### About Joao

Joao Vasques is a Senior Consultant at DNV, working within the UK's Performance Forecasting Team. Core competences include supporting customers through the delivery of quantitative-based Performance Forecasting assessments. Asset Management solutions are therefore provided through the use of a Reliability, Maintainability and Availability (RAM) modelling approach, which allows the definition and performance optimisation of a wide range of assets in the Energy and Processing sectors.

# Our speakers.



Matt Cloran Area Sales Manager Kluber Lubrication Great Britain

**Presentation Title:** Best practice in asset management and energy efficiency through lubrication

Klüber Lubrication is one of the world's leading manufacturers of specialty lubricants, suppling virtually all industries worldwide with high-performance solutions that increase efficiency, reduce costs, and improve your carbon footprint.

Without specialty lubricants, our highly engineered world would come to a standstill: cars, trains and ships wouldn't move, machines would breakdown, no water would come out of the tap and even the clocks would stop...it would also be dark and cold because electrical installations, heating systems and energy suppliers are similarly reliant on lubricants.

The chemical industry contributes approximately 20 percent of the world's greenhouse gases (GHG) total, but specialty lubricants and meticulous monitoring can benefit industrial applications found in the chemical industry such as compressors, gearboxes, heat-transfer systems, and exchangers.

#### About Matt

Matt Cloran is an Area Sales Manager for Klüber Lubrication, a leading manufacturer of specialty lubricants. In his role Matt predominantly focuses on the Chemical and Process Industries. Matt is keen to share ideas on Lubrication Management, Energy Efficiency, and Total Cost of Asset Ownership.



#### **Rob Johnson** Director Axiom Engineering Associates

Presentation Title: Nursing Assets to Shutdown

When an asset is inspected and an in-service damage is found, what often follows is a fitness for purpose (FFP) assessment. This is to quantify the nature of the damage in relationship to the item's structural integrity. For pressure systems, this often involves applying well established FFP techniques, using recognised codes and standards. The aim is to help the client determine which of the three R's to action: Retire, Re-rate or Repair.

But one question that often arises is, what can be done to 'keep it going,' especially until a more convenient time can be found to act. This time usually being a future planned shutdown. The equipment in question is usually a critical plant item, where taking it out of service would affect the viability of the whole plant operation. Nursing assets to shutdown is then an endeavour which requires a multi-team approach, to ensure if a critical plant item is to remain in service, it can be done safely and reliably, without loss of containment.

The following presentation talks through factors to consider when this request is made, particularly so owner operators know the risks and expectations of them in nursing their assets to shutdown. A number of case studies are included to demonstrate the points raised.

#### About Rob

Rob is a Chartered Engineer and Fellow of the Institute of Mechanical Engineers. Rob presently sits on the Institute's pressure systems committee. Rob is also a business owner and Director of Axiom Engineering Associates Ltd and has been involved in pressure system design and asset life management for the majority of his thirty-years in industry.

# Our speakers.



Matthew Waller Operations Director RVA Group

**Presentation Title:** Asset End of Life and Decommissioning Plans

Whilst the term 'Asset Management' is routinely focused on optimisation of production, the eventual decommissioning of an asset is part of its overall lifecycle and should be considered as early as possible, and if not during the design and commissioning stages, then certainly as part of its production phase. Addressing the end game early, adds value in the longer-term; it assures the achievement of EHS excellence and minimises cost.

This presentation will outline a front-end engineered approach, that will enable operators to plan and make soundly based business decisions for when the time comes to decommission, looking at:

- Financial provisioning and feasibility studies cost and options
- Preparing for demolition (decommissioning & isolation strategy and implementation)
- Building the team and retaining critical knowledge
- Decommissioning Quality Assurance to achieve it
- Procuring contractors a look at the supply chain
- Managing the process and the pitfalls of that

#### **About Matthew**

Matthew is a mechanical engineer by profession and has been working with RVA in the decommissioning, dismantling and demolition (DDD) industry for almost 15 years and the high hazard process sector for 20 years. As Operations Director for RVA Group, Matthew leads the RVA Team to deliver successful projects for major bluechip clients. He is passionate about combining best practice in DDD project management with best practice in safety to achieve projects with safe execution 'built-in'.



Joe Hodason **Director - Industrial Division BPI** Auctions

Presentation Title: Disposal of Assets

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#### About Joe

Joe has worked within the oil, gas, chemical and process industries for over 15 years, developing a wide ranging experience in the construction and engineering areas of the sector. Joe has recently moved to BPI to lead their Industrial Division with a focus on asset disposal in the circular economy.

# Our sponsors.



The Central Area Transmission System (CATS) is a natural gas transportation and processing system that transports gas from the Central North Sea to Seal Sands, Teesside, CATS, which comprises a riser platform, pipeline and processing terminal, is owned by CATS

Management Limited, a subsidiary of Antin Infrastructure Partners. The pipeline and terminal are operated by Wood. Gas producers connect directly to CATS via the riser platform or at any of the subsea tees along the pipeline. At the terminal, the pipeline gas is treated to remove contaminants, and is metered before being routed to either the CATS gas processing trains, or to the adjacent Teesside Gas Processing Plant (TGPP).



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Manufacture industries. Our projects are deployed in over 25 countries, delivering 20,000 consultancy days per year to our customers through a delivery team made up of over 150 certified functional and technical experts.



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services solutions to organisations seeking to find, train and retain exceptional talent across all functions. We offer a personal and tailored service that ensures you secure the right people for your organisation for the long term.

### Find out more.

To complement our packed agenda, we have secured a fantastic group of exhibiting companies.

Find out more about each company to ensure you make the most of your networking opportunities.

## our exhibitors.



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#### www.anthesis.co.uk



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## our exhibitors.



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#### www.flexitallic.com/teesside

# our exhibitors.



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seeking to find, train and retain exceptional talent across all functions. We offer a personal and tailored service that ensures you secure the right people for your organisation for the long term.

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## our exhibitors.



**PPCL.** We tackle some of the most complex and challenging issues faced by process plants worldwide. PPCL strives to improve the business efficiency of process plants worldwide, through the research, development and delivery of innovative end-user applications based on its unique Geometric Process Control (GPC)

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#### www.sesys.com

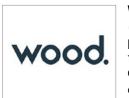
## our exhibitors.



**Veolia Water Technologies UK.** Veolia Water Technologies UK is part of Veolia Water Technologies, a subsidiary of Veolia. Veolia Water Technologies specialises in delivering water purification systems and service support for a wide range of industrial and pharmaceutical applications.

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#### www.veoliawatertechnologies.co.uk

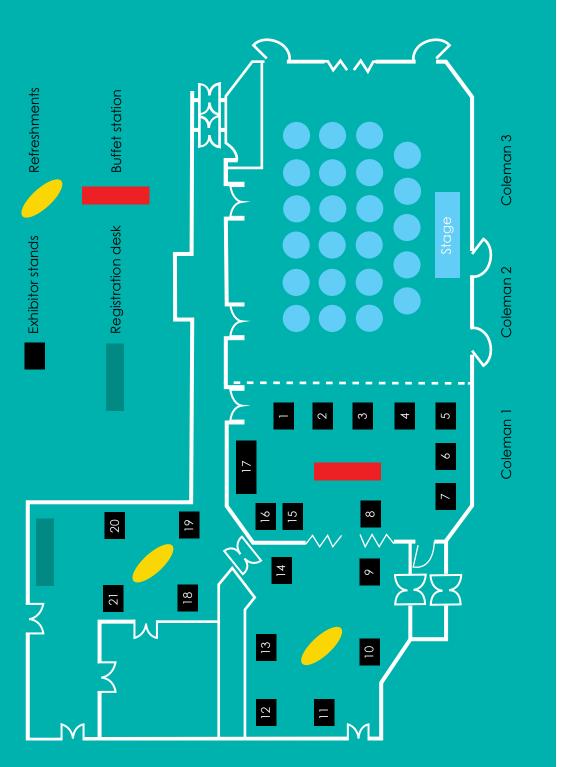


**Wood.** The Central Area Transmission System (CATS) is a natural gas transportation and processing system that transports gas from the Central North Sea to Seal Sands, Teesside. CATS, which comprises a riser platform, pipeline and processing terminal, is owned by CATS Management Limited, a subsidiary of Antin

Infrastructure Partners.

The pipeline and terminal are operated by Wood. Gas producers connect directly to CATS via the riser platform or at any of the subsea tees along the pipeline. At the terminal, the pipeline gas is treated to remove contaminants, and is metered before being routed to either the CATS gas processing trains, or to the adjacent Teesside Gas Processing Plant (TGPP).

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