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Wednesday 7th July 2010 2.00 – 4.00pm

Main Lecture Theatre, Ground Floor, School of Electronic Engineering, Dean Street, Bangor LL57 1UT

'Scaffolding Industry Update' Rick Statham CMIOSH, HAS Dip.

Operations Director of Safety & Access Limited

THE SPEAKER

Rick is Operations Director of Safety and Access Limited, one of the country's leading access and scaffolding training and consultancy providers. Established in 1991 and providing CISRS Scaffold Training, Work at Height Training, H&S Management Training and general H&S and access consultancy services and scaffold inspection services across the UK.

Rick is currently an elected member of the National Access and Scaffolding Confederation (NASC) H&S Committee and represents the scaffolding and access industry within the UK Contractors Group (UKCG) H&S Committee.

Rick is an IOSH Panel assessor and has supported HSE Working Well Together Events widely throughout the UK.

He has over 20 years experience in the access industry including:

- ✓ Over 15 years as Safety & Quality Manager with a UK national scaffold contractor.
- ✓ Development of industry guidance.
- ✓ Consultation with stakeholders.
- ✓ Development of Quality Assurance Systems and Procedures.
- ✓ Access and Scaffolding Training Courses.
- ✓ Behavioural Safety Techniques Training.

THE TALK

The scaffolding industry has been in the headlines over recent years as a result of accidents and incidents resulting in several deaths and serious injuries.

The Talk is aimed at people carrying out access and scaffolding and people with specific responsibilities for managing contractors

Providing an overview of the contents of the NASC existing Guidance Note SG4 for Working at Height, this previews the new publication scheduled for release later in the year. The Talk covers the Work at Height Regulations hierarchy, competence, and risk assessment.

There is also an overview of existing equipment and technology available within the industry.

The second part of the talk highlights the existing requirements under NASC Guidance Note TG20 fro the basic provision of scaffolding and types of structures that may require design input. The talk is aimed at providing a basic understanding of the latest requirements.

FURTHER INFORMATION

www.safetyaccess.co.uk

http://www.hse.gov.uk/construction/scaffoldinginf o.htm





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<u>VENUE</u>

The Main Lecture Theatre is on the ground floor of Bangor University's School of Electronic Engineering Building *(this building may also be referred to as 'Informatics'),* which is located on Dean Street in Bangor LL57 1UT. The Lecture room is accessible via the main entrance and then follow the directional signs on display.

The University is signposted from the A5/55 Expressway. A location map for the School of Electronic Engineering building can be found at: <u>http://www.eng.bangor.ac.uk/LocationMap.pdf</u> position 74.

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FURTHER INFORMATION

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