

Safety & Health Conference

Empowering Commitment to Champion Safety & Wellbeing

16-17 January 2024, DWTC

Event Overview

In an ever-evolving world, the safety and health industry remains dynamic, adaptive, and forward-looking. Its impact extends from the individual level to societal well-being, ensuring that people thrive in safe environments. As industries evolve and challenges change, the safety and health sector continues to innovate, collaborate, and lead the charge toward a safer and healthier future.

At **Intersec Safety & Health Conference**, we explore the latest trends, innovative solutions, and best practices that empower organizations to champion workplace safety and well-being. Through our immersive 2-days program, we aim to create environments where individuals thrive, organizations prosper, and safety becomes a shared priority.

Bridging the gap between theory and practice the event will continue to foster a community committed to shaping the future of occupational safety and health excellence through its thought provoking panels, inspirational keynotes and visionary best practice guidance.

Who Should Attend?

Job Title Split	Organization Type Split
The conference will unite Chiefs, VPs, Directors, Leads, Managers, Specialists, Advisors having expertise in: • HSE • Occupational Safety • Emergency Response • EHS Risk Management • Behavioral Safety • Ergonomics • Occupational Medicine • Occupational Wellness/Wellbeing	 Government Authorities (Civil Defense/MOI/Police), Law Enforcement Bodies & Federal Agencies Maritime Aviation BFSI Logistics Healthcare Energy Entertainment & Sports Education Hotel & Leisure Construction/ Real Estate



Central Themes

- Zero Harm in Action: Pioneering Initiatives to Champion Safety
- Harnessing ESG Practices for Sustainable OSH Excellence & Ethical Business Impact
- From Regulation to Enforcement: New Realities of Work & Safety
- Innovative Horizons: Technology's Impact on Workplace Safety
- Climate Change & OSH Nexus: Bridging Gap for Resilient & Sustainable Work Environments
- Next-gen Training Methods: Fostering a Culture of Safety through Education
- Rising Above: Ensuring Safety in Fall Protection & Working at Heights
- Road Safety Paradigm : Developing Defensive Drivers

Confirmed Speakers

- Dr. Naseem Mohammed Rafee, Director of Health & Safety Department Dubai Municipality, UAE
- Dee Arp, Chief Operating Officer | NEBOSH, UK
- Dr. Waddah S Ghanem Al Hashmi, Senior Director | ENOC & Chairman of the Federal Occupational Health and Safety Committee and HoD to the TC283, ISO (45001), UAE
- Dr. Hadi Al Badi, HSE Director Masdar, UAE
- Salman Dawood, VP HSE and Sustainability Emirates Global Aluminium (EGA), UAE
- Dr. Ghanim Kashwani, Senior Manager, Applied Research Higher Colleges of Technology, UAE
- Sultan Al Karrani, Team Leader HSE | ADNOC, UAE
- Dr. Hani Al Hossani, Ex EHS & BCM Director | Tadweer, UAE
- Samir Benmebark, Safety Advisor | Dragon Oil, UAE
- Eisa Malek, Senior Engineer Services HSE | Kuwait Oil Company, Kuwait
- Mohammad A. Naggaz, Director HSSE New Business Development | GCC Lab, Saudi Arabia
- Penny Brooks, Qualification Development Manager | RoSPA, UK
- Matthew Cox, Deputy QHSE Director Veolia & IIIRSM Trustee and Council Member, UAE
- Dr. Gaurav Singh, Vice President Head Technology & Automation Group Security Adani Enterprises Ltd, India
- Maged Elkassaby, HSE Manager Aramco, Saudi Arabia
- Paul Slater, Executive Director QHSE | Saudi Entertainment Ventures, Saudi Arabia
- Saleh Ali Albalushi, VP, HSE Division Drydocks World, UAE
- Syed Mazhar, HSE Manager | Parsons, Saudi Arabia
- Abdullah Al-Ghamdi, Chairman | Society of Occupational Safety & Health & Compliance Lead | Aramco Project Management, Saudi Arabia
- Azam Soukar, Director Group HSE | Dubai Holding Real Estate, UAE
- Dr. Rahaf Ajaj, Assistant Professor of Environment, Health & Safety | Abu Dhabi University,
- Thomas Kramer, Managing Principal | LJB Inc. & VP Finance | ASSP, USA
- Suzan Ahmad Al Ghanem, Section Head Organizational Resilience and Business |
 Environment Agency Abu Dhabi, UAE
- Khalid Al Abdulqader, Head of HSSE | Saudi Tourism Authority, Saudi Arabia
- Michael James, Director Health & Safety | Red Sea Global, Saudi Arabia
- Paul Burns, Corporate HSSE Training | ACWA Power, UAE
- Branco Dennenberg, UAE Branch Chair | IISRSM & SHE Director, Built Environment | Element Materials Technology



Agenda NEBOSH Day – 16th January 2024

11:00	Registration & Networking
11:50	Opening Remarks by the Chairperson
	Dee Arp, Chief Operating Officer NEBOSH
12:00	Presentation Updates on the UAE Standard for Occupational Health and Safety Governance and Leadership
	Dr. Waddah S Ghanem Al Hashmi , Senior Director ENOC & Chairman of the Federal Occupational Health and Safety Committee and HoD to the TC283, ISO (45001)
12:20	Presentation The Importance of HSE & ESG Thinking in the Development and Operations of Renewables
	Dr. Hadi Al Badi, HSE Director Masdar
12:40	Presentation Leadership In Safety
	Salman Dawood, VP HSE and Sustainability Emirates Global Aluminium (EGA)
13:10	Panel Discussion
	Putting People in the 'S' of ESG: Measuring Impact & Lead by Example
	With greater systems in place, more drive towards performance including sustainable growth and development especially also with ESG – what are the new attributes of leadership in organisations?
	Panel Moderator: Dr. Waddah S Ghanem Al Hashmi, Senior Director ENOC & Chairman of the Federal Occupational Health and Safety Committee and HoD to the TC283, ISO (45001)
	Panelists: • Dee Arp, Chief Operating Officer NEBOSH • Dr. Hadi Al Badi, HSE Director Masdar • Salman Dawood, VP HSE and Sustainability Emirates Global Aluminium (EGA) • Michael James, Director – Health & Safety Red Sea Global
14:10	Presentation UAE's Regulatory Impact on Preventing Serious Incidents & Accidents
	Dr. Hani Al Hossani, Ex EHS & BCM Director Tadweer
14:30	Presentation Empowering HSE Practitioner: Significance of Research & Thought Leadership Development
	Dr. Ghanim Kashwani, Senior Manager, Applied Research Higher Colleges of Technology
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	Sultan Al Karrani, Team Leader – HSE ADNOC



15:15	Panel Discussion Charting a Vision Zero Path: New Models, Pragmatic Tools & Case Studies for National and Enterprise Success	
	The panel will discuss what should be the focus of the programs that will better serve the development in Safety Leadership Development Interventions for Top Leaders as well as practitioners? Additionally the session will highlight the potential for Vision Zero to become a global standard for workplace safety and how technology along with data driven approaches can engance safety efforts.	
	Panel Moderator: Dr. Waddah S Ghanem Al Hashmi, Senior Director ENOC & Chairman of the Federal Occupational Health and Safety Committee and HoD to the TC283, ISO (45001)	
	 Panelists: Khalid Al Abdulqader, Head of HSSE Saudi Tourism Authority Dr. Hani Al Hossani, Ex EHS & BCM Director Tadweer Dr. Ghanim Kashwani, Senior Manager, Applied Research Higher Colleges of Technology Samir Benmebark, Safety Advisor Dragon Oil 	
15:45	End of Day 1 & Closing Remarks by the Chairperson Dee Arp, Chief Operating Officer NEBOSH	

Day 2 – 17th January 2024

11:50	Recap Day 1 & Opening Remarks by the Chairperson Branco Dennenberg, UAE Branch Chair IISRSM & SHE Director, Built Environment Element Materials Technology
12:00	Presentation Unleash your Safety Beast the Charismatic Approach
	Saleh Ali Albalushi, VP, HSE Division Drydocks World
12:25	Panel Discussion From Regulation to Enforcement: New Realities of Work & Safety
	Moderator Matthew Cox, Deputy QHSE Director Veolia & IIIRSM Trustee and Council Member
	 Panelists: Dr. Naseem Mohammed Rafee, Director of Health & Safety Department Dubai Municipality Paul Slater, Executive Director QHSE Saudi Entertainment Ventures Saleh Ali Albalushi, VP, HSE Division Drydocks World Abdullah Al-Ghamdi, Chairman Society of Occupational Safety & Health & Compliance Lead Aramco Project Management Azam Soukar, Director Group HSE Dubai Holding Real Estate Dr. Rahaf Ajaj, Assistant Professor of Environment, Health & Safety Abu Dhabi University
13:05	On-Stage Conversation Developing Robust Management Principles for Optimal HSE Performance in Contractor Safety Management
	Khalid Al Abdulqader, Head of HSSE Saudi Tourism Authority



13:30	Presentation Emergency Response: From Crisis to Control
	Syed Mazhar, HSE Manager Parsons, Saudi Arabia
13:55	Presentation Road Risk Assessment & Traffic Safety across KOC Oil Fields
	Eisa Malek, Senior Engineer Services – HSE Kuwait Oil Company
14:20	Presentation Developing Defensive Drivers
	Penny Brooks, Qualification Development Manager RoSPA
14:45	Presentation Advancements in Occupational Health & Safety: Bridging the Gap Between Theory & Practice
	Dr. Rahaf Ajaj, Assistant Professor of Environment, Health & Safety Abu Dhabi University
15:10	Presentation Innovative Horizons: Technology's Impact on Workplace Safety
	Dr. Gaurav Singh, Vice President – Head Technology & Automation – Group Security Adani Enterprises Ltd
15:35	Presentation Safer by Design : Innovations in OSH for High-Risk Work
	Thomas Kramer, Managing Principal LJB Inc. & VP - Finance ASSP
16:00	Presentation Adaptability Safety: Ensuring Psychological Resilience in the Workplace
	Suzan Ahmad Al Ghanem, Section Head - Organizational Resilience and Business Environment Agency – Abu Dhabi
16:25	Presentation Empowering Excellence: Innovation & Development in HSE Training for a Safer Today &Tomorrow
	Paul Burns, Corporate HSSE Training ACWA Power
16:50	Presentation Fostering Safety Culture: Best Practices for Effective Site Inspections & On-the-Job Training
	Maged Elkassaby, HSE Manager Aramco
17:15	Presentation Job Burnout Among Health, Safety & Environmental Protection Employees in Gulf Cooperation Countries
	Mohammad A. Naggaz, Director - HSSE New Business Development GCC Lab
17:35	End of Day 2 & Closing Remarks Branco Dennenberg, UAE Branch Chair IISRSM & SHE Director, Built Environment Element Materials Technology