

ETN Monthly News Summary – February 2014

AIR FILTRATION WORKSHOP

As a follow up to ETN's Filtration Technology Project, **ETN organised an Air Filtration Workshop** with Camfil, AAF and Donaldson, which took place on Thursday 20 February 2014 in Brussels. More than 35 participants joined to discuss the new developments on air filtration products and standards as well as to highlight experiences and requirements from operators.

Presentations: To access the presentations and see pictures of the event please [login on the ETN website](#) (right hand-side corner) and go to ETN events → Air Filtration Workshop. If you have not yet created a user account, please [click here](#) to complete the online form.

Survey: A survey was distributed ahead of the event in order for filter companies organising the workshop to better understand participants' needs and adjust the workshop's discussions accordingly. ETN members that could not participate to the event can still contribute by completing the [survey](#) and returning it to the ETN office. A comprehensive report on the survey results and the outcome of the workshop will be circulated in March 2014 and briefly presented at the AGM and Workshop in April 2014.

ETN ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING AND WORKSHOP

The ETN Annual General Meeting (AGM), kindly hosted by Total, will take place on 2-3 April 2014 in Paris, France. The AGM will be held at Total offices at La Defense and the Workshop will be held the following day at the [Renaissance Paris La Defense Hotel](#). For more information on the event, you can [login on the ETN website](#) (right hand-side corner) and go to ETN events → AGM and Workshop.

Agenda: [Click here](#) to see the preliminary agenda.

Registration: We encourage you to [REGISTER](#) before **10 March**.

Accommodation: [Book your room here!](#) ETN has negotiated rates for rooms (including breakfast, Wi-Fi access, and VAT) at the [Renaissance Paris la Defense Hotel](#) at EUR 209.00 per night, available until 10 March 2014 on first come, first served basis. *The price is higher than usual due to high price/occupancy at La Defense.* As we are aware that some organisations have a hotel price/star policy, you can contact the ETN office should you wish to receive recommendations on alternative hotels close to the Renaissance Hotel.

ETN BOARD MEMBER ELECTION 2014-2016

Call for Board member candidate: At the AGM, the new ETN Board for 2014-2016 will be elected by our General Assembly. We are currently seeking candidates to run for positions on the Board. The ETN Board consists of 10 representatives from 5 member categories and is currently chaired by Bernard Quoix from Total and vice-chaired by Catherine Goy from E.ON UK. If you would like to put your name forward as a Candidate, complete the [candidate form](#) and return it to dc@etn-gasturbine.eu. The deadline to register as a candidate is **7 March 2014**.

New this year: At the AGM, the Board will present to the General Assembly some proposed changes to the Articles of Association. One of the changes consists of extending the term of Board members from one year to two year. Therefore, if the proposed changes are accepted by the General Assembly, the next ETN Board will be elected for a two-year period (2014-2016).



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7th INTERNATIONAL GAS TURBINE CONFERENCE (IGTC) 2014

Sponsorship opportunities for the IGTC-14 to be held on 14-15 October 2014 are available. We offer several Sponsorship Packages, as well as flexible options that should correspond to your specific needs for visibility. You can view the Sponsorship Information Package by [clicking here](#). Please contact the ETN office should your organisation be interested in sponsoring the IGTC-14.

R&D RECOMMENDATION REPORT 2014

The first edition of the R&D Recommendation Report 2014 has been published on the ETN website. The report is currently available exclusively to ETN members and will be published to the wider gas turbine community in March 2014. It includes recommendations on key research topics of gas turbine development based on the current market outlook and the users' demand. From now on, this report will be produced and published biennially. To download the report, please [login on the ETN website](#) and go to Publications → R&D Recommendation Report.

TECHNICAL COMMITTEE AND PROJECT UPDATES

Call for technical committees chairmen/co-chairmen: At the ETN Workshop in London on 9-10 October 2013, it was recommended that each Technical Committees (TC) would have a Chairman and a Co-Chairman, preferably one representative from the industry and one from the R&D community. We encourage ETN members to submit any interest to Chair or Co-Chair one of the TCs to the ETN office:

- **TC1:** Cycle Efficiency;
- **TC2:** Fuel Flexibility and Emissions;
- **TC3:** Materials Degradation and Repair Technologies;
- **TC4:** Condition Monitoring, Instrumentation and Control;
- **TC5:** Asset Management.

Potential changes to the Technical Committees: At the upcoming AGM and Workshop, the Project Board will present the participants some proposed changes to the Technical Committees (TC's titles and visions).

PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING UPCOMING GT EVENTS

ETN events:

- [Annual General Meeting and Workshop](#): 2-3 April 2014, Paris, France (kindly hosted by Total)
- [Power-Gen Europe](#): 3-5 June 2014, Cologne, Germany (ETN is a participating organisation and ETN members are entitled to a special discount)
- [ASME Turbo Expo](#): 16-20 June 2014, Düsseldorf, Germany (ETN is a participating organisation and ETN members are entitled to a special discount)
- [International Gas Turbine Conference \(IGTC\) 2014](#): 14-15 October 2014, Brussels, Belgium

ETN meetings:

- **ETN Board Meeting**: 1 April 2014, Paris, France (kindly hosted by Total)
- **H2-IGCC Final Meeting**: 13 May 2014, Brussels, Belgium (kindly hosted by Laborelec/GDF Suez)
- **ETN Board Meeting**: 9 July 2014, Brussels, Belgium

ETN's News Summary is distributed internally to ETN members at the end of each month.

ETN's Quarterly Newsletter is circulated to members and external contacts every quarter. The next edition will be April-June 2014.