

ETN MONTHLY NEWS SUMMARY FEBRUARY 2017

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USER GROUPS

LM2500

The next meeting of the LM2500 User group will take place on 14 and 15 June in Brussels. Registrations will open in March, to be announced on ETN <u>website</u>, <u>LinkedIn</u> and <u>Twitter</u> accounts! If you are servicing this engine and would like to know how to participate, please email <u>LM2500@etn-qasturbine.eu</u>.

Industrial RB211

The registration to the first meeting of the Industrial RB211 User group is now open to Users and Siemens attendees. You can find all the necessary information about the group and the meeting (organised on 3 and 4 May in Milan) on the website of ETN.

ETN Projects

Air Filtration

A sub-group was created during the ETN Air Filtration meeting, held in Brussels on 16-17 November 2016. The objective of the sub-group is to identify the best technology to measure the concentration of salt in the air for the standard ISO29461 – Part 5: Marine and Offshore environment filter systems. The minutes of the sub-group teleconferences and the documentation are shared on the <u>ETN Air Filtration webpage</u> in the "Documentation" section (visible after the login). The next ETN Air Filtration meeting will take place on the 12th of May in Oberhausen.

Exhaust Systems

David Champneys from ETN member Boustead International Heaters (BIH) has been nominated convenor for the Working Group 16 in the ISO/TC 192. You can find more information about ETN's Exhaust System Project here. You can also contact Ugo Simeoni if you want to discuss possible input to this project.



EU POLICY

Three experts with a direct involvement in ETN have been nominated in the Flexible Generation Working Group of the European Technology and Innovation Platform "Smart Network for Energy Transition" (ETIP-SNET): Iarno Brunetti (ENEL), Peter Breuhaus (IRIS) and Peter Jansohn (PSI).

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING & WORKSHOP 2017

The next Annual General Meeting and Workshop of ETN will take place on 10 and 11 May 2017 in Oberhausen (Germany), hosted by our sponsor MAN Diesel and Turbo. Details regarding the venue, accommodation, and transports options have been published on our website: www.etngasturbine.eu/etnagm2017 (you will have to be logged in on the website to have access to the page!). You can already book your ticket and hotels with the reduced fare negotiated by the ETN office. Expect to start around 12.00 on 10 May and finish around 17.00 on 11 May. An invitation email to register and a provisional agenda shall be circulated very shortly. For information, please contact Thibault Boutherin.

Workshop & Technical Committees: call for proposal

ETN has circulated to all its members a call for topics, issues and initiatives that they feel could be useful to discuss during the workshop on 11 May 2017. This is a unique chance for all members to highlight a specific problem that they would like to see addressed or propose a specific initiative. The call is open until 9 am on Tuesday 14th March 2017. A final agenda with the selected topics will be circulated in the last week of March to the whole ETN community. ETN will provide feedback to the respondents if relevant.

Call for members of the IGTC-2018 Conference Advisory Board

The Conference Advisory Board (CAB) for IGTC-2018 will be elected during the 2017 AGM. The essential task of the CAB is to guide the definition and theme of the IGTC, identify and engage with potential keynote speakers, and most importantly, to review and select the technical papers to be presented during the conference. Members that are willing to contribute with their technical and market knowledge to ensure a relevant and high quality conference are invited to put their name forward. The next IGTC will take place in October 2018 in Brussels. If you wish to express your interest or would like to know more, please contact Thibault Boutherin: tb@etngasturbine.eu

Autumn Workshop 2017

The next edition of the Autumn Workshop of ETN will take place during the first half of October in Genoa (Italy), with the support of our sponsor Ansaldo Energia. More to come in the next issues of the Monthly News Summary.



ETN MEMBERSHIP

Articles of Association

Following a vote open from 8 until 22 February, the members of ETN have unanimously accepted the modifications to the Articles of Association that the Board proposed. This will remove the Brexit threat as well as allow ETN to take a more global approach.. The President Bernard Quoix and the Board would like to thank the members of ETN for their trust and support.

2017 Membership

All members of ETN are kindly remembered that the deadline for the payment of the 2017 Membership fee was **31 January 2017**. If your payment is overdue, please ensure that this payment is duly scheduled. This will help us to put all of our efforts on providing valuable service to our members.

Please note the following events:

ETN internal meetings:

- ➤ Industrial RB211 User Meeting: 3-4 May 2017, Milan, Italy
- > AGM/ Workshop 2017: 10-11 May 2017, Oberhausen, Germany
- ➤ LM2500 User Meeting: 14 and 15 June 2017, Brussels, Belgium
- > Autumn Workshop: 4-5 October 2017, Genoa, Italy

Other meetings and conferences:

- > 12th European Turbomachinery Conference: 3-7 April 2017, Stockholm, Sweden
- ➤ <u>Turbine Forum 2017: Manufacturing, Repair & Life Extension of Turbine Components</u>: 26-28 April, Nice, France
- ➤ 4th European HRSG Forum: 16-18 May 2017, Amsterdam, the Netherlands
- > NexTurbine Conference: 17-18 May 2017, Wuxi (Jiangsu), China*

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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 2017. You can find all the previous issues of those publications on our website!

^{*}ETN members are entitled to a 10% reduction in registration fee and exhibitor's booth fee.