

Wales Branch

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Programme 2011/2012

Please Note:

Unless stated otherwise, all lectures are due to be presented in The Faculty Lecture Theatre, which is on the Third Floor of The Trevithick Building, Cardiff University.

Monday 3 October 2011 (1830 for 1900 hours)

“Piracy and Ship Security”

**Barry Davies BEM
Global Director
BCB International Ltd., Cardiff**

Friday 28 October 2011 (1830 for 1900 hours)

The Wales Branch’s 60th Annual Dinner

To be held at “The Barceló Angel” Hotel, Cardiff

Tickets: **£36.00/head** obtainable from the Honorary Secretary. Please reserve places as soon as possible.

Dress: **‘Black Tie’ and Decorations**

**Guest Speaker: Rear Admiral Nigel Guild CB PhD DEng CEng CMarEng FREng
President of IMarEST 2010 – 2011**

Special rates for accommodation are available.

Please book directly with “The Barceló Angel” Hotel – 029 2064 9200

Monday 7 November 2011 (1830 for 1900 hours)

“The Battle of the Atlantic 1939 - 1945”

**Captain Richard Woodman
Distinguished Maritime Historian and Author
Master Mariner and Elder Brother of Trinity House**

Monday 5 December 2011 (1830 for 1900 hours)

“Fire Fighting on Ships”

Station Commander Martin Critcher
South Wales Fire and Rescue Service

Please note:

This lecture will be followed by the Branch Annual General Meeting

Monday 9 January 2012 (1830 for 1900 hours)

“The Refitting of the Cruiseship ‘Saga Pearl’ at Swansea Drydocks”

Chris David and David Hayden
Harris Pye Marine, Barry

Monday 6 February 2012 (1830 for 1900 hours)

“Ocean Hazards – From Tsunamis to Rises in Sea Levels”

Dr David Pugh
Past President
The Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission of UNESCO

Monday 5 March 2012 (1830 for 1900 hours)

*“The Royal National Lifeboat Institution
–Lifeboats and their Machinery”*

Jamie Morgans
RNLI, Penarth

Monday 2 April 2012 (1830 for 1900 hours)

*“Noise and Vibration - their effects on Ships’ Structures & Machinery,
Passengers and Crew”*

Professor John Carlton
City University, London

Monday 16 April 2012

*The Western Joint Branch of IMarEST & RINA have kindly invited
The Wales Branch to attend a lecture on:*

*“RMS ‘Titanic’ – The Propulsion and Engineering Systems”
presented by Mr Sean Szmalc at a venue to be confirmed*

Monday 14 May 2012

“Halting the Invasion – the application of ‘The Invasive Marine Species Regulations’ to Shipping”

**Ben Wise
Harris Pye Marine, Barry**

Attendance at Meetings

Members and their guests (including non-members) are welcome to attend all technical and social events, but please note some pre-booking may be necessary. At the Annual General Meeting of the Branch, however, non-members will be required to leave the lecture room prior to the start of the proceedings.

Annual General Meeting

The Branch Annual General Meeting is due to be held on the 5th December 2011 starting at approximately 8:30 pm.

Members will be invited to apply to election to the Executive Committee. Nominations for Committee membership must be forwarded to the Honorary Secretary. They should be proposed and seconded and must only be made with the nominee’s consent.

Refreshments

Generally, tea/coffee and biscuits will be available prior to the start of meetings and a finger buffet is served afterwards.

Venue

Unless otherwise indicated, meetings and lectures will be held in The Trevithick Building at Cardiff University, which is located on The Parade, West Grove, off Newport Road, Cardiff. Adequate car parking is usually available on-campus or in the adjacent streets.

Executive Committee meetings are usually held in Room 19/20 on the ground floor of The Trevithick Building and lectures in The Faculty Lecture Theatre which is located on the third floor.

From the West, follow M4 to J32, and then follow signs for City Centre to Gabalfa flyover.

From the East, follow M4 to J29, then fork left to A48M, continuing to A470 exit (Gabalfa flyover).

From Gabalfa flyover, follow signs for City Centre. Stay on main road past Car Park on RH side of road. Turn left into Boulevard de Nantes at the Law Courts. Continue straight on into Stuttgart Strasse and around to the left into Newport Road. Turn left at the lights into West Grove and left again into The Parade. The Trevithick Building is located on the right.

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