



**The Joint Branch of the Royal Institution of Naval Architects and  
The Institute of Marine Engineering, Science & Technology (Singapore)  
and School of Marine Science & Technology, Newcastle University (Singapore),**

**6<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Technology and Operation of  
Offshore Support Vessels  
OSV Singapore 2016  
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**Notice for Call for Papers**

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The Joint Branch of the Royal Institution of Naval Architects and the Institute of Marine Engineering, Science & Technology (Singapore) jointly with University of Newcastle (Singapore), supported by Singapore Maritime Academy and Maritime Port Authority of Singapore continue on its series of the 6<sup>th</sup> International Conference & Exhibition. The activities of Offshore Support Vessels are integrally tied up with activities of supporting of oil and gas industry be it in towage, anchor handling, supply, firefighting, ROV inspection, diving support, well stimulation, pollution control, load out, transportation, maintenance and more recently wind farm installation. The current lower demand for oil and gas exploitation offshore reduced considerably the numbers of OSVs required to service the drilling rigs that are in operation resulting in over supply and reduced day rates making it necessary for owners to do cost cuttings to sail through this depressed period. Can new technology be used to help OSVs weather through this rough times?

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The Conference welcomes papers on all aspects of OSV including design, technology, construction, equipment, operations, classification societies, regulations and research & development. Papers on new and challenging frontiers like Arctic OSVs, Green OSVs, Future DP, and Deepwater OSVs are most welcome.

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