



## **Invite for Branch Meeting & Technical Paper Presentation**

Date/ Time - Monday, 15 May 2017, 6.30 PM to 8.30 PM.

Venue - Ball Room, Grand Excelsior Hotel, Bur Dubai

## <u>Agenda</u>

6.30 PM - 7.00 PM	Networking/ High Tea
7.00 PM – 8.00 PM	Technical Paper Presentation 1: Thordon product presentation and Conversion from Oil to Water Lubricated Seals, TG 100 Thordon seal
2	Ken Ogle Director of Engineering, Thordon Bearing Inc., Canada
	Synopsis: With increasingly stringent environmental regulations, Thordon's seawater lubricated propeller shaft bearings are replacing oil-lubricated, metal bearings. Proven in the toughest marine environments since 1983, Thordon bearings offer Zero pollution risk (no oil required), Easy fitting, Reduced seal maintenance costs, Inspections without shaft withdrawal, Resistance to shock and edge loading among other features. The paper shall brief about Thordon products in the marine sector and emphasis on the TG 100 mechanical shaft seal.
	Presenter Profile: Ken Ogle started sea-going career as Engineer Cadet in 1978 and attained Chief Engineers License at age 26. After 17 years with the P&O group, returned ashore to study for a 1st Class B.Eng (Hons) in Mechanical Engineering at Southbank University, London UK. Senior Surveyor within the Technical Investigation Department of Lloyds Register, then Engineering Manager with Railko before joining Thordon Bearings in 2001.
8.00 PM - 8.30 PM	Technical Paper Presentation 2: Effective condition monitoring in the marine market
	Robert Schmaus Managing Director, PRUFTECHNIK Middle East FZE  Synopsis: The paper shall cover condition monitoring for machinery in ships and shall give details into the basics, tools used, application examples and cases. The paper shall also talk about measurements with portable CM devices, use of online CM devices and how to manage condition monitoring data of international operating fleets.
	Presenter Profile:  Mr. Robert Schmaus, graduate engineer and CAT II vibration specialist has worked since many years for the PRUFTECHNIK Group which comprises the divisions Alignment Systems, Condition Monitoring and Nondestructive Testing. He has conducted many seminars and training sessions for plant engineers and has written articles for renowned magazines worldwide. Robert have a deep insight into design of the correct tools needed in industrial plants today since PRUFTECHNIK have its own R&D (research and development) department and holds hundreds of patents and trademarks.
8.30 PM	Dinner





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