



RINA/IMarEST Technical Presentation

Construction of Advanced Composite Racing Yachts

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Meeting This presentation will be held as a video-conference webinar using WebEx

software hosted by Engineers Australia.

Registration for the presentation is required (see below).

McConaghy Boats is an Australian company which had been in operation for over 50 years, specialising in the manufacture of carbon-fibre racing yachts, as well as projects using composite materials for a wide range of sectors such as astronomy, defence, wind energy, solar energy, transport industry, sub-sea exploration and architectural features.

This presentation will showcase the typical design and construction processes at play in manufacturing high-performance racing yachts such as Wild Oats XI. It will also shed some light on the backstage trades which ensure that the yachts get to the starting line.

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