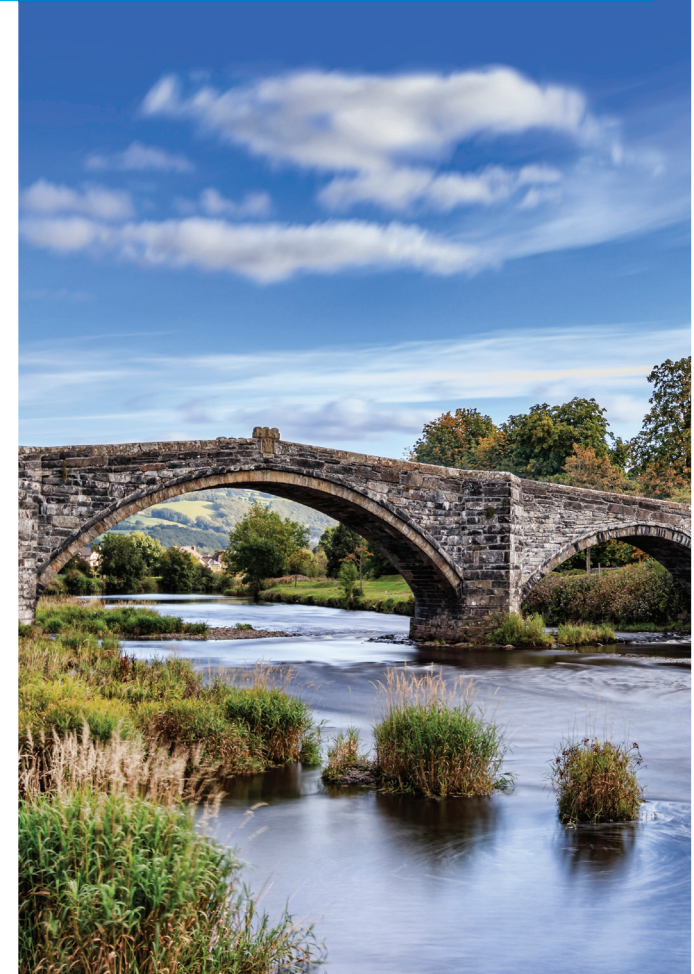




# North Wales Branch

Programme 2017–2018



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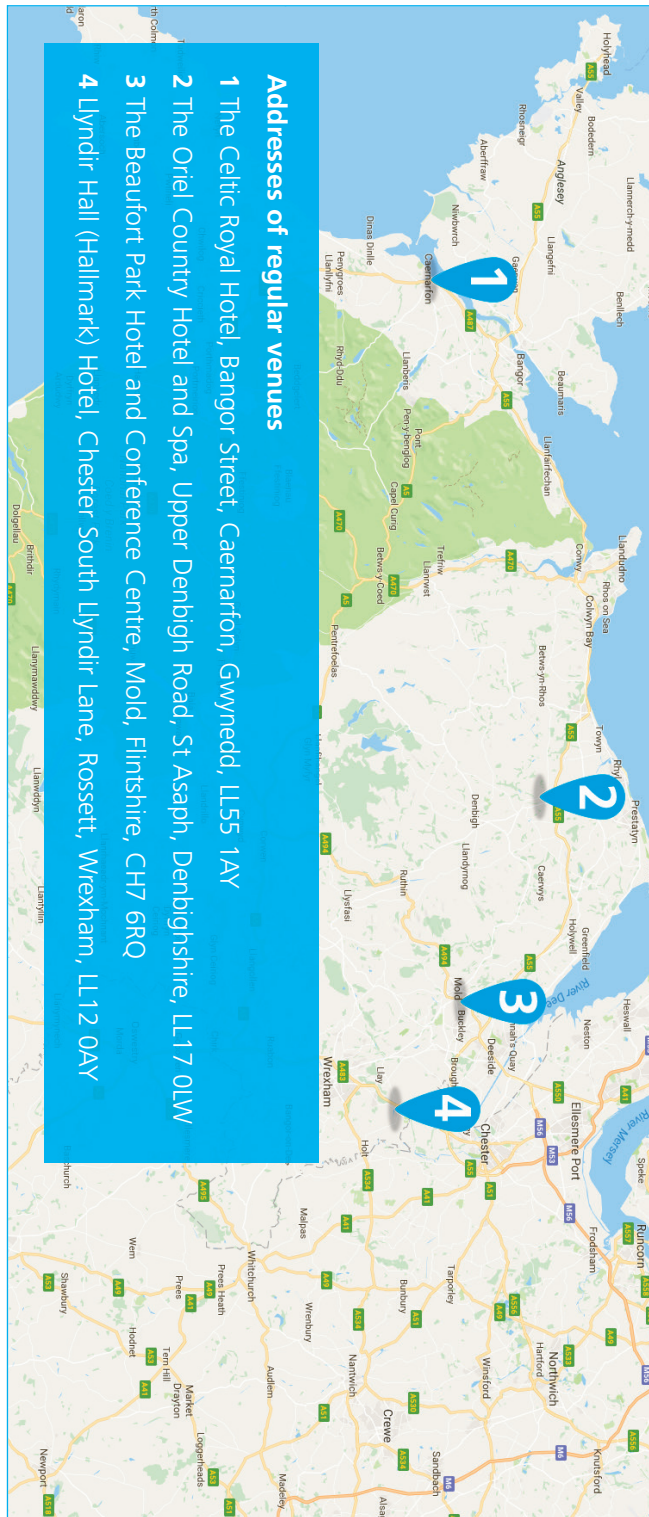
**John Jones**

**Nicholas Jones**

**Gail Warrington**

### Addresses of regular venues

- 1 The Celtic Royal Hotel, Bangor Street, Caernarfon, Gwynedd, LL55 1AY
- 2 The Oriel Country Hotel and Spa, Upper Denbigh Road, St Asaph, Denbighshire, LL17 0LW
- 3 The Beaufort Park Hotel and Conference Centre, Mold, Flintshire, CH7 6RQ
- 4 Llyndir Hall (Hallmark) Hotel, Chester South Llyndir Lane, Rossett, Wrexham, LL12 0AY



## North Wales Branch

On behalf of the committee, welcome to the North Wales Branch's programme from September 2017 through to August 2018. Once again, we've had a very successful past year and hope that you'll find this new programme just as fulfilling.

For 2017–2018, we've planned a varied and innovative programme that covers a wide range of topics. Highlights include an insight into coaching and presentations on safety culture and the forthcoming Future Generations (Wales) Act. We also have a joint meeting with the IOSH Offshore Group to overview health and safety in offshore renewables. To help with your professional development and IOSH membership, in March we'll be holding a half-day interactive workshop on CPD/IPD and to demystify the myth of peer review.

As part of our commitment to continually improve on your member experience, we've selected some new hotel venues in St Asaph, Caernarfon, Llandudno and Rossett. We'll also be returning to the Beaufort Park Hotel in Mold.

Do remember that our meetings are also open to non-members and everyone will receive a warm welcome, networking opportunities and excellent hospitality. We're no longer taking bookings, but as always there will be a buffet and refreshments, which will be served on a 'first come, first served' basis from the time shown. The meeting will start half an hour later, on the hour.

You'll notice several branch members are new to the committee and we all look forward to welcoming you at the meetings. If you require further information, please speak to a committee member at a meeting or keep an eye on our updates by email; on your personalised weekly *Connect*; and on our website [www.iosh.co.uk/northwalesbranch](http://www.iosh.co.uk/northwalesbranch).

**Rachel Jones**  
Chair

## Programme 2017–2018

### 2017

**Thursday 21 September 13.30–16.00**  
**Is a good leader always going to be a good health and safety leader?**

**Lisa Fowlie**  
Deputy Head, Health, Safety and Wellbeing,  
University of Bradford  
*The Celtic Royal Hotel*

**Thursday 19 October 18.30–21.00**  
**Noise at work – a sound bite**

**Huw Arfon Thomas**  
Senior Pollution Officer, Isle of Anglesey Council  
*The Beaufort Park Hotel*

**Thursday 09 November 18.30–21.00**  
**The Value of Safety Coaching**

**Graham Setter**  
Managing Director, Setter and Associates Ltd  
*The Oriel Hotel*

**Thursday 07 December 13.30–16.00**  
**Effective auditing of ISO 45001 management systems**

**Stephen Asbury**  
Director, AllSafe Group and Author  
*Llyndir Hall (Hallmark) Hotel*

### 2018

**Thursday 18 January 18.30–21.00**  
**Joint meeting with IOSH Offshore Group:  
Risk management in offshore renewables**

**Mark Jenkins**  
EHS Risk and Stakeholder Manager,  
Siemens Gamesa  
**Challenging variances in  
employee engagement**

**Simon Hatson**  
Head of QHSE and Business Improvement,  
Aquaterra Energy Ltd  
*The Beaufort Park Hotel*

**Thursday 15 February 18.30–21.00**  
**How the asbestos industry  
has developed since 2012**

**Dan Roberts**  
Director, Sentinel Environmental Consultancy  
**IOSH Presidential Team**  
**IOSH Presidential Team**  
*The Oriel Hotel*

**Thursday 15 March 13.30–18.00**  
**A half-day interactive workshop on CPD/IPD  
and demystifying the peer review interview**  
**IOSH North Wales Branch Committee  
and IOSH staff**

*Llandudno Bay Hotel, East Parade, The  
Promenade, Llandudno, Conwy, LL30 1BE*

**Thursday 19 April 13.30–16.00**  
**An overview of the Future Generations  
(Wales) Act**

**Alan Netherwood**  
Consultant, Netherwood Sustainable Futures  
*Llyndir Hall (Hallmark) Hotel*

**Thursday 17 May 18.30–21.00**  
**AGM**

**Sandy Jennings**,  
Director, Jennings Safety Services Ltd  
**Safety culture in the automotive industry**  
**Mark Wheldon**,  
Director, ACT National Ltd  
*The Beaufort Park Hotel*

**Thursday 21 June 13.30–16.00**  
**A positive difference to business and safety  
performance using Root Cause Analysis**

**Lorna Ramsay**  
Co-owner and Director of Learning,  
Kelvin TOP-SET  
**Andrew Morton**  
Senior Tutor and Developer, Kelvin TOP-SET  
*The Celtic Royal Hotel*

**Thursday 19 July 18.30–21.00**  
**Employers' liability claim prevention  
– the insurer's viewpoint**

**Jim Wilkes**  
Commercial Manager, Zurich Insurance  
*The Oriel Hotel*

**Thursday 16 August 18.30–21.00**  
**Psychology of safety**

**Chris Kemp**  
Owner, Mind Over Matter Consultancy  
*The Beaufort Park Hotel*

There is no need to book your place at branch meetings. Note that all meetings are preceded by buffet, served from the time shown on a 'first come, first served' basis.