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IOSH is the Chartered body for health and safety professionals. With more than 47,000 members in over 130 countries, we're the world's largest professional health and safety organisation.

We set standards, and support, develop and connect our members with resources, guidance, events and training. We're the voice of the profession, and campaign on issues that affect millions of working people.

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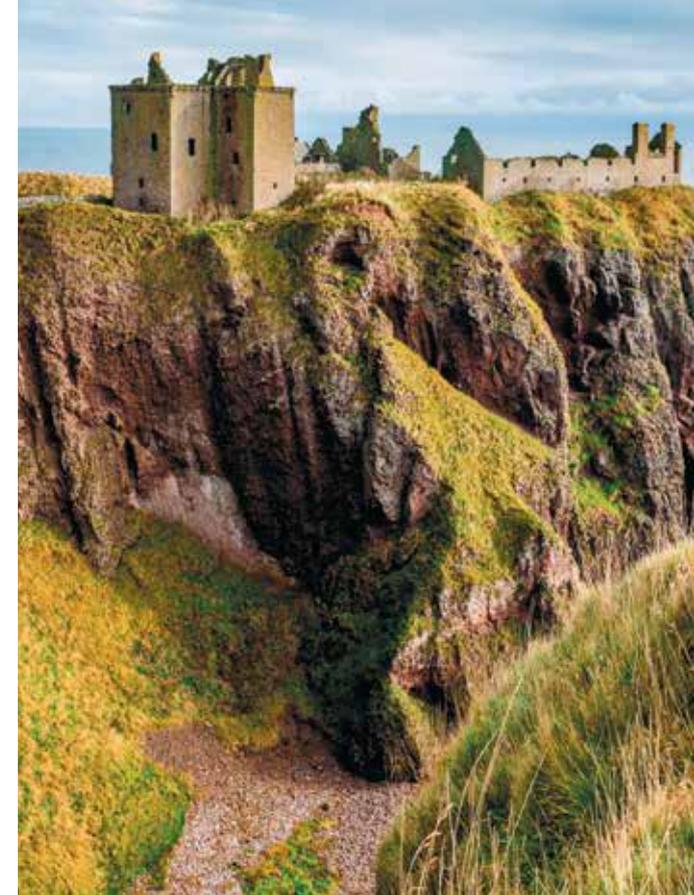
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Programme 2018–2019



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Welcome to the North East of Scotland Branch programme for 2018–19. The committee has put together a programme I'm sure you'll enjoy and find interesting. It's been our aim to ensure we have a selection of topics that are current and relevant to a safe and healthy world of work.

The Branch's most valuable asset is you – our members – and your participation in Branch activities is important to us. We address topics that will assist safety and health professionals in being a key part in the success of their business. We welcome suggestions on potential topics and constructive comments for improvement. Please speak to any Branch committee member or complete a feedback form.

Branch meetings welcome IOSH members and their guests – whether they're involved in health and safety or simply interested in one of the lecture topics.

We hope you'll be able to join us.

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Unless stated otherwise, Branch meetings are held at 18.00 on the second Wednesday of each month at Jurys Inn Aberdeen, Union Square, Guild Street, Aberdeen, AB11 5RG. The venue has ample parking spaces available. However, there is a small charge for parking. It's also convenient and easily accessible from the train station and bus routes.

Tea, coffee and refreshments will be provided on your arrival.

Programme 2018–2019

2018

12 September Motivational speaker

Jason Anker

Hear Jason's heartwarming story of the tragic events of his fall from height and how his life has changed dramatically

16 September, time TBC Site visit to BrewDog Brewery

Places are limited. See website for details

10 October, 18.00 Mock court trial

A role-play scenario detailing the prosecution of a company director for breaches of health and safety law. This event will enable health and safety professionals to experience the Scottish court judicial system. Places are limited. See website for details. Sheriff Court, 53 Castle Street, Aberdeen AB11 5BB

14 November Mental health and wellbeing

Geoff McDonald

Removing the stigma surrounding mental health issues in the workplace

22 November IOSH Scotland Conference

Perth Race Course

12 December Fifth Dimension – the magical world of safety

Jeff Burns and Ivor Smith

This event will be the final event of 2018, so come and join the festivities and seasonal magic – you won't be disappointed

2019

09 January East Coast Viners

Health, safety and environment in a rural industry

13 February Grampian Resilience Team

Engagement with the emergency services

13 March Safety coaching for leadership

Gillian Taylor

10 April, time TBC CPD / IPD Café

An opportunity to come and discuss progression through IOSH membership levels and develop your skills to complete successfully your CPD, IPD, Skills Development Portfolio and Peer Review Interview. An opportunity to speak to our Chartered and Fellow members who are also approved IOSH mentors

08 May Annual General Meeting

Neil Clark
Human factors

12 June Legal update

Kevin Clancy

Solicitor Advocate, Shepherd and Wedderburn LLP

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