

Women in the Lubricants Industry

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'Encouraging Diversity, Empowering Success'

Key Speakers
include:



MANDY HICKSON
RAF Fighter Pilot



VALENTINA SERRA-HOLM
UEIL President



JAN WARD
Chair, Millers Oils

A One Day Conference on coaching, mentoring, networking and career development for EVERYONE in the lubricants industry

Join us on 11th March 2020 at the Institute of Directors, 116 Pall Mall, London SW1Y 5ED
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WELCOME

An International Women's Day initiative to explore professional development and leadership strategies for women in the Lubricants Industry, to celebrate the inspirational women in our industry and to shine the spotlight on the next generation of female leaders / experts.


Hosted by Lube magazine, the first ever 'Women in the Lubricants Industry' conference celebrates women and their role in a sector traditionally dominated by men.

Programmed to take place during International Women's Week the conference aims to create a platform to discuss and determine 'best practice' for a successful future strategy across the sector. Raising issues that impact on us all, the conference will explore gender engagement, recruitment, retention, personal development, mentoring, leadership, empowerment and progression, supporting and guiding women on their professional journey as well as broadening perceptions and encouraging ownership and transformation within the industry.

We're looking forward to 'Closing the Diversity Gap' and 'Developing the Next Generation' – We hope you can join us!

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TIMETABLE

09:00	Registration	
		CONFERENCE CHAIR Andrienne Philippou Editor, Lube magazine
09:30	Opening	David Hopkinson President UKLA, CEO Multisol Ltd
09:45	Keynote Speaker <i>Sponsored by Q8</i>	Mandy Hickson Former RAF front line jet pilot
10:30	My Journey	Valentina Serra Holm , VP Global Product Marketing, Calumet Speciality Products and President UEIL
11:15	Morning Break <i>Sponsored by Lubrizol</i>	
11:45	Panel Discussion – Closing the Diversity Gap <i>Sponsored by ABN Resource</i>	Els Devriendt (Chevron) Abigail Waller (Nynas) Alison Fisher (Lubrizol) Catherine Caulfield (Argus Media) MODERATOR Andrienne Philippou (Editor, Lube)
12:45	Lunch <i>Sponsored by Moove</i>	
14:00	Main Sponsor Address	Jane James Senior Advisor, Corporate Affairs, Chevron
14:10	“What’s stopping you? Women don’t try because they don’t believe they can”	Jan Ward , Founder Corrotherm International and Non-exec Chairman, Millers Oils
14:45	Panel Discussion – Developing the Next Generation <i>Sponsored by ABN Resource</i>	Jacquie Berryman (Infineum) Erin Durham (Kline) Kerry Larkin (PetroCanada) Catherine Macklam (Q8) MODERATOR James Moorhouse (ABN Resource)
15:45	Afternoon Tea <i>Sponsored by Morris Lubricants</i>	
4:15/ 4:30	Close	David Hopkinson President UKLA, CEO Multisol Ltd
4:30 – 6pm	Networking Reception <i>Sponsored by Quaker Houghton</i>	

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CONFERENCE SPEAKERS

Mandy Hickson

Without a doubt most women face some really tough challenges in their working lives:

- Maintaining that essential work/life balance in a demanding environment
- Overcoming innate risk avoidance tendencies
- A wavering of confidence and self-belief
- Amazingly, still having to break through the glass ceiling



Hickson is focused on providing women with support and inspiration in the form of her remarkable story. It is a story which started with dreaming about being a fast jet pilot at the age of 13 and culminated in her leading an entirely male dominated Front Line Tornado Squadron on operations.

Of course, this was not a straightforward journey; it contained apparently insurmountable setbacks and immense pressures in a hugely demanding environment.

Mandy shares the strategies and approach she used to get there – and delivers them with high energy and humour that will engage and inspire.

Valentina Serra Holm

Valentina is a driving, proactive and strategic professional, with twenty years' experience in the oil industry. Her broad-based background covers technical and commercial competence in the field of base oils and she is a recognised expert in the global base oil industry. Her lubricant industry experience is achieved through her technical cooperation with customers in over 40 countries in five continents. An appreciated speaker, Valentina regularly presents at major trade conferences worldwide.



Jan Ward

With over 30 years in industry from a mechanical engineering background and more than 25 years' experience at Board level in International trade and in private and public sectors. Jan has extensive overseas contacts in US, Middle East and Far East and over 15 years in advisory capacity to government departments. A highly experienced Non Exec currently working with the Energy Industries Council, Millers Oils, Energy and Utility Skills, AnTech Ltd and is a Director of the Saudi Joint British Business Council. Jan was made a CBE in 2014 for services to business.

