




## Invite for Branch Meeting & Technical Paper Presentation

**Date/ Time** - **Monday, 30 April 2018, 6.30 PM to 9:00 PM.**

**Venue** - **Grand Excelsior Hotel Bur Dubai, Dubai**


### Agenda

<b>6.30 PM – 7.00 PM</b>	<b>Networking/ High Tea</b>
<b>7.00 PM – 7.30 PM</b>	<b>Paper Presentation: DNV GL – Pioneering Digital Classification</b>
	<p><b>Geir Fuglerud</b> Maritime Area Manager Middle East &amp; Africa DNV GL</p> <p><b>Synopsis:</b></p> <p>With the introduction and application of new technology, in particular in the digital space, the maritime industry is now going through a period of change. Classification societies are no exception to this trend and as a leading class society DNV GL are taking steps to transform to a more digital future, using technology to operate more efficiently and also in providing increased value to our client base.</p> <p><b>Presenter Profile:</b></p> <p><b>Geir Fuglerud</b> joined DNV GL in 2006 and is currently holding the position as Maritime Area Manager, Middle East &amp; Africa. He previously held the position of Head of Section at DNV Maritime Solutions and the DNV Clean Technology Centre in Singapore, where he also spent several years as Maritime Business Development Manager.</p> <p>Previous experience includes working for several years in a maritime technology consultancy firm, where he was involved in projects including technical calculations, risk management, concept and feasibility studies, as well as a major offshore project in Qatar. He has also served in the Norwegian Navy and holds a Master of Science in Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering from the Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU) and University of Glasgow, and a Graduate Diploma in International Business from the University of Auckland.</p>
<b>7.30 PM – 7.35 PM</b>	<b>Q&amp;A</b>

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<b>7.35 PM – 7.55 PM</b>	<b>Industry Update Presentation: Adapting to the new reality–Smart Maritime Solutions</b>
	<p><b>Willem Moelker</b> Sales and Marketing Director Albwardy Damen</p> <p><b>Synopsis:</b></p> <p>Oil will be lower for much longer, what has this done for the maritime segment, where is it heading? Albwardy Damen - a shipbuilders look ahead.</p> <p><b>Presenter Profile:</b></p> <p><b>Willem Moelker</b> is the Sales and Marketing Director at Albwardy Damen, one of the leading shipbuilding and ship repair companies in the U.A.E. Albwardy Damen has been in business since 1978 and operates 4 sites in UAE: Dubai, Fujairah and Sharjah.</p> <p>Mr Moelker has more than 25 years of experience in the marine, shipbuilding and offshore sectors, both as seas going engineer as well as with Lloyds Register where he held senior positions in Holland, Asia as well as in the Middle East. He joined Albwardy Damen in July 2014.</p> <p>Mr Moelker gained his BSc in Marine Engineering from the Rotterdam University of Applied Sciences in 1986, later following that up with a post-graduate degree in Business Administration.</p>
<b>7.55 PM – 8.00 PM</b>	<b>Q&amp;A</b>
<b>8.00 PM – 8.20 PM</b>	<b>Product Presentation: Gyrostabilization</b>
	<p><b>Paul Steinman</b> Product Manager Veem Gyro</p>
<b>8.20 PM – 8.25 PM</b>	<b>Q&amp;A</b>
<b>8.25 PM – 8.30 PM</b>	<b>Closing</b>
<b>8.30 PM – 9.30 PM</b>	<b>Networking / Dinner</b>

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## Location Map for Grand Excelsior Hotel Bur Dubai

(Free Valet Parking for all Attendees)

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