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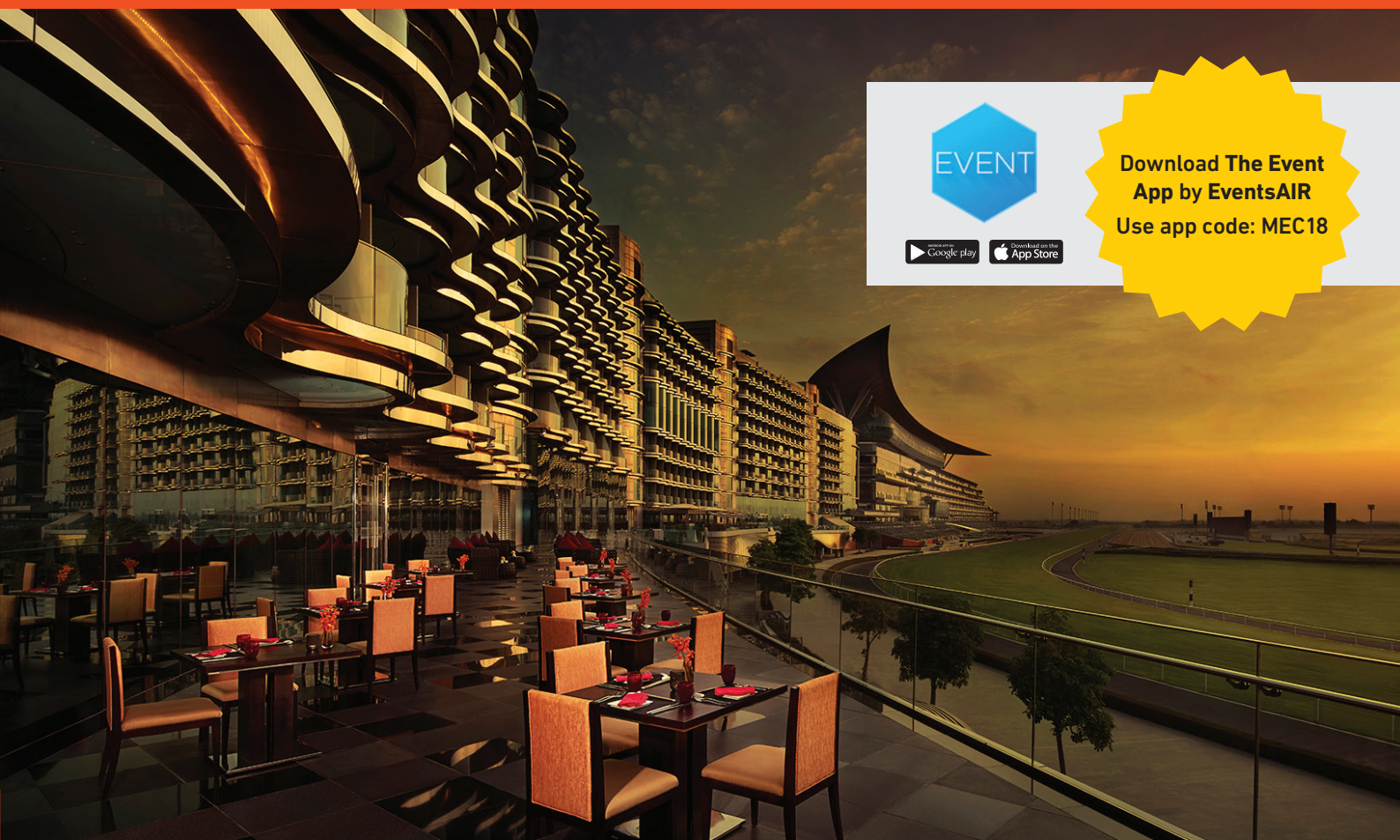


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health & safety inspection programme, accident investigation, safety audits, assessment and elimination of illegal labour accommodation. Recently he spearheaded the OHSAS 18001 Certification of the Public Health and Safety Department. His achievements in the field of occupational health and safety include recommending and designing the electronic diversion of inspection system from manual to electronic inspections by use of touch screen laptop and thermal printers utilising limited resources in line with smart government initiatives.



Engr Raed Mohamed
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Jason Woods



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Rebecca Kelly

Dr Rehab Faraj Al Ameri

**Director of National Accreditation
Department – ENAS, Emirate Authority
for Standardisation & Metrology**

Before joining ENAS, Rehab was a Healthcare Quality Expert at Ministry of Presidential Affairs, UAE. Her role involved oversight of hospital strategic performances and setting healthcare improvement quality strategies for all hospitals under Ministry of Presidential Affairs.

She also spent 11 years in the military and worked as a Gastroenterology Consultant at Zayed Military Hospital in Abu Dhabi reaching the rank of Major. During that time, she earned her MSc in science of clinical gastroenterology and was awarded a higher distinction from Queen Mary University, London.

She is an active member of many technical quality-working groups within UAE (including the National Agenda of Healthcare and the International Quality Policy Improvement by USAID) as well as being a regional and international speaker.

Her many accolades include winning the ADQCC AL Shara Excellence Award for the project team of 1st PT for Inspection Body in lifting equipment worldwide in corporation with LEEA 2015.



Jason Anker MBE



Robert Munn



Robert Cavaleri



Mike Palmer



Dr Rob Cooling



Victor Perkins

Engr Raed Mohamed Al Marzooqi

**Head of Occupational Health & Safety
Section, Health & Safety Department,
Dubai Municipality**

Raed is a chemical engineer from Ohio State University (USA). Raed's responsibilities in his current role includes the management of occupational

Engr Fahad Al-Raba'ani

**Senior Lifting Engineer,
Petroleum Development Oman (PDO)**

Fahad's responsibilities in his current role include providing technical solutions for project and lifting operations (upon installation and removal), inspection and examination of equipment, and management of the technical integrity of all PDO's lifting equipment and that of its contractors. Previous roles include Heat Recovery & Steam Generation Lead at Occidental Petroleum Corporation and Mechanical Supervisor whilst serving in the Oman Royal Air Force. He holds a Bachelor's Degree in Mechanical Engineering from Heriot-Watt University and is currently studying there for an MSc Degree in Safety & Risk Management. He was a finalist for the Health & Safety Leader of the Year 2018 award.

Jason Anker MBE

**Chairman & Director, Anker & Marsh and
Directory, Proud2Safe**

Jason was paralysed from the waist down in an avoidable incident on a construction site in 1993 when he fell off a ladder. He was 24 years old. For 16 years he was unable to talk openly about his experience of a work-related major incident until a chance meeting with a safety expert changed everything. Since then, he has been talking to the industry about his experience of living as a paraplegic and has made an individual commitment to safety and making a difference.

Robert Cavaleri

Regional Technical & Operations Manager, Manlift, and Chairman, IPAF Middle East Council

Rob has over 33 years' experience in the access industry in Australia, the US, Europe & the Middle East. He joined the access industry in 1985 beginning with aluminium towers and light swinging stages, followed by telescopic handlers, mobile elevating work platforms and power generators. His current responsibilities include training and compliance in UAE, Qatar, India and Kazakhstan.

Dr Rob Cooling

Vice President of Health, Safety, Quality & Environment (HSQE), Expo 2020 Dubai

Rob is responsible for setting and implementing HSQE strategy for the major construction programme leading up to the World Expo in Dubai in 2020. He is a trustee of the Institution of Occupational Safety and Health (IOSH) and an Adjunct Professor at United Arab Emirates University. He holds a PhD in Law from Salford University, specialising in health and safety regulation and an MBA from London Business School.

Matthew Cox

Chairman, International Institute of Risk & Safety Management (IIRSM)

Matthew relocated to the Gulf in 2003 and has worked in Qatar, the Sultanate of Oman and in the UAE. He is currently employed as the Corporate HSE Manager of a major European Civil Engineering company, overseeing its operations in the UAE.

He joined IIRSM in 2010, assuming the role of Middle East Branch Chairman in 2013. Throughout his association with IIRSM in the region, Matthew has worked to promote and develop awareness within the profession in the region, together with establishing collaborative partnerships with the UAE regulatory authorities, assisting them with the development of Occupational Health and Safety legislation. In 2014, he became the first overseas-based recipient of the prestigious IIRSM President's Commendation award, for his services to the Institute in the region.

Engr Ahmed Khalil Abdul Kareem

Principle Safety Engineer, Health & Safety Department, Dubai Municipality & Dubai Govt. Chief Accidents Investigator

Ahmed is a courts under oath expert and HSE specialist for construction sites and a risks assessor for public HS. He has given over 17 years' service to Dubai Municipality. He studied at Al-Mustansiriya University in Baghdad and in 1993 was awarded a Bachelor's Degree in Civil Engineering. He is also a Green Building Committee member.

Rebecca Kelly

Partner, Morgan Lewis

Rebecca is actively involved in law reform in the Middle East region and regularly advises regional and international clients on Occupational Health and Safety (OSH) obligations and legal challenges in the UAE and the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC). She has one of the only dedicated OSH practices in the Middle East and was appointed to the UAE's Federal Ministry of Labour Technical Committee responsible for the development of the UAE building and construction sector's OSH legislation. Her clients include companies involved in the construction, infrastructure, finance, industrial, technology, transport, general trading, education, healthcare, and pharmaceutical sectors. Rebecca has been based in the UAE since 2005.

Robert Munn

Health & Safety Director – Operations, Expo 2020 Dubai

Robert joined Expo 2020 as the Health & Safety Director Operations in June 2018. He has operational oversight of all health and safety issues across Expo 2020 construction projects.

Robert has in excess of 32 years' of experience in leadership and risk management, including a distinguished career in the Royal Air Force. He has also worked for Al Futtaim Carillion, Six Construct and Al Naboodah Group Enterprises in various senior HSE related roles, based in the UAE, covering projects across the Middle East region.

Mike Palmer

Regional QHSE & Training Manager, Rapid Access

Mike is a committed HSE and teaching professional with over 25 years' of experience working within a variety of industries such as Aviation, Engineering, Oil & Gas, Nuclear, Plant & Machinery, Construction, Humanitarian and the Military worldwide. He has worked in the Middle East for over 15 years on a variety of contracts, before moving to the UAE in 2013. He has experience of developing work at height tutors for clients such as the Ministry of Defence, British Nuclear Fuels and Dutch Shell. He is also the chair of the Safety at Height Advisory Panel for the Middle East.

Victor Perkins

Head of Health, Safety, Security & Environment, HSSE Unit, DAEP

Victor heads the dedicated Health, Safety, Security and Environmental Unit for DAEP at the Dubai and Al Maktoum International Airports. He draws on more than thirty years' international Health, Safety, Security and Environmental risk management experience within the construction, mining, petrochemical, agriculture, aviation and commercial sectors in Africa and the Middle East.

Dr Wim Raath

Head of Occupational Health, Safety, Security & Environment (OHSSE), DWCC – Dubai South

Wim is responsible for ensuring the success of the OHSSE programmes within Dubai South City. He has 25 years' of experience in the OHSSE profession and has served on the management board of several companies. He is a member of the Associated Member CRQP and Graduate Associated Member Project Management and holds a PhD, MBA and BSc (Hon).

Nigel Taylor

European Director, Serious Labs

Nigel is based in London and has responsibility for building Serious Labs' sales and operations across Europe and the Middle East. Nigel's early career was in asset finance and vehicle leasing, culminating in him being Managing Director of ARVAL's (BNP Paribas) commercial vehicle division. For the past 15 years, Nigel has run a Foreign Direct Investment support company called IMA which helps international companies get up and running in the UK.

Tim Whiteman

CEO & MD, International Powered Access Federation (IPAF)

Tim took up his current position in January 2004. He has more than 25 years' experience in the lifting industry, mainly as a publisher and journalist. He is a member of the European Rental Association (ERA) Statistics Committee. He holds a PAL Card (Powered Access Licence) to operate scissor lifts, self-propelled booms and vehicle-mounted platforms.

Jason Woods

Middle East & India Representative and Auditor, International Powered Access Federation (IPAF)

Based in Dubai, Jason has 28 years' experience within the access industry gained with equipment manufacturers, rental companies and training bodies.

His key aim is to boost industry safe practices involving working at height. Jason collaborates with safety groups and governing bodies throughout the Middle East to raise awareness of the importance of quality training and best practices. His responsibilities within IPAF include working alongside existing and new members and training centres to give guidance, advice and support.

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08.30 – 09.15	Registration, Coffee & Opportunity to Browse Sponsors' Tables
09.15 – 09.30	Welcome Tim Whiteman , CEO & MD, IPAF
09.30 – 10.15	A Legal Insight into a Typical Accident Investigation Engr Ahmed Khalit Abdul Kareem , Principle Safety Engineer, Health & Safety Department, Dubai Municipality Rebecca Kelly , Partner, Morgan Lewis
10.15 – 10.50	Working at Heights and Improvement Opportunities Engr Raed Mohamed Al Marzooqi , Head Occupational Health & Safety Section, Health and Safety Department, Dubai Municipality
10.50 – 11.20	Coffee Break & Opportunity to Browse Sponsors' Tables
11.20 – 11.50	Managing Work at Height at Expo 2020 Dubai Rob Cooling , Vice President of Health, Safety, Quality & Environment (HSQE), Expo 2020 Dubai Robert Munn , Health & Safety Director – Operations, Expo 2020 Dubai
11.50 – 12.15	The IPAF logbook – a Friend of the Safety Manager Mike Palmer , Rapid Access, Regional QHSE & Training Manager
12.15 – 12.30	Prayer time
12.30 – 13.45	Lunch Break & Opportunity to Browse Sponsors' Tables
13.45	Welcome back Tim Whiteman , CEO & MD, IPAF
13.45 – 14.15	Accreditation Role in Enhancing Quality Outcomes of Inspection Activities Dr Rehab Faraj Al Ameri , Director of National Accreditation Department - ENAS at Emirate Authority for Standardisation and Metrology
14.15 – 14.45	How PDO has Developed a Safety Culture in the Oman Project Engr Fahad Al-Raba'ani , Sr. Lifting Engineer, Petroleum Development Oman (PDO)
14.45 – 15.30	Panel Discussion: from a Vision to Reality: HSE Performance on Mega Projects Chaired by Matt Cox , UAE Chairman, International Institute of Risk & Safety Management (IIRSM) Panelists: — Rob Cooling , Vice President of Health, Safety, Quality & Environment (HSQE), Expo 2020 Dubai — Victor Perkins , Head of Health, Safety, Security & Environment, HSSE Unit, DAEP — Dr Wim Raath , Head of Occupational Health, Safety, Security & Environment (OHSSE), DWCC – Dubai South
15.30 – 16.00	Coffee Break & Opportunity to Browse Sponsors' Tables
16.00 – 16.30	Why Health & Safety is Not Just About Ticking Boxes - An Emotional Perspective When Reality Strikes Jason Anker , Chairman & Director, Anker & Marsh and Directory, Proud2Safe
16.30 – 17.00	VR Simulation – Today, Tomorrow and the Future Nigel Taylor , European Director, Serious Labs
17.00 – 17.20	IPAF Development in the Middle East – Bridging the Gap Jason Woods , Middle East & India Representative and Auditor, IPAF
17.20 – 17.30	Closing remarks Robert Cavaleri , Regional Technical & Operations Manager, Manlift, and Chairman, IPAF Middle East Council
18.00 – 20.00	Networking Event

IPAF Networking Reception
18:00 – 20:00

Rooftop 1, Level 8, Meydan Hotel

Please join your colleagues for further discussion in a relaxed environment over drinks & canapés.



This agenda may be subject to change.

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6 March 2019, Radisson Blu Dubai Deira Creek Hotel, Dubai, UAE

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