## Maintenance Matters



### Educational seminars

ISP holds educational seminars at its manufacturing headquarters in Oxfordshire dedicated to raising awareness about the importance of personal

protective equipment. ISP says these events are aimed to educate and support professionals within the health and safety sector across all industrial sectors. To book onto one of these free of charge events simply sign up on bit.ly/JSPSafetyEvents

Established in 1964, JSP is recognised as a leading manufacturer of innovative 'above the neck' personal protective equipment specialising in head, eye, face and respiratory protection.

The next JSP Respiratory Seminar is on Tuesday 26th February which looks at protecting yourself and your workforce from the dangers of airborne hazards such as Silica dust. ISP will advise on how to select the right respirator and how to wear it correctly.

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# **INTERNATIONAL** New courses for 2019

For 2019 RRC is introducing two new NEBOSH Courses to its Dubai classroom schedule alona with expanding the courses offered in its UK centres. Launched in London in mid 2018, RRC says its NEBOSH HSE Certificate in H&S Leadership Excellence course has proven exceptionally popular and for 2019 it has scheduled further courses in Birmingham, Glasgow, Manchester and Newcastle. RRC says it is also introducing the course to its Dubai centre with the first course in February, and a further 4 dates scheduled throughout the year.

Following the growing interest in environmental training in the Middle East region it is also introducing the NEBOSH International Environmental Diploma to its Dubai centre with the first course starting in the Autumn of 2019. wl www.rrc.co.uk

## Corrugated curver investment



HADLEY GROUP reports it has reaffirmed its commitment to continually improve its UK production capabilities with an investment into a new corrugated curver at its Oldbury facility The company says the benefits of the new corrugated curver are already proving worthwhile, further bolstering its production capabilities and its ability to shape metal. This is helping the company to expand its reach into new markets, particularly within the agriculture sector.

The new corrugated curver takes a sinusoidal metal sheet and bends the material in a gradual way, using a series of rolls housed within the machine. Unlike some alternatives, Hadley Group's corrugated curver is not limited to simply producing smile and half-circle units. The new machine is capable of producing a more comprehensive assortment of shapes. w www.hadleygroup.com

Scholarship in honour of group chairman

DENSO Australia recently announced its sponsorship of an educational scholarship, called the 'Denso Award', for members of the Australasian Corrosion Association (ACA). The award is in honour of Denso Australia's cofounder, David Winn OBE, and was announced at the ACA's Corrosion & Prevention Conference held in Adelaide in November 2018.

The ACA actively encourages its members to further their understanding of corrosion mitigation by attending training courses and conferences - which contributions from the Denso Award will help cover the associated costs of. Paul Fortune, MD of Denso Australia, revealed that the company had made AU\$50,000 available to ACA members over the next 5 years, with  $\mathrm{AU\$10,000}$ to be awarded annually to reward academic excellence. Recipients of the award will be selected by an independent panel of judges.

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Pipes, tubing and permeability

Pipes and tubing are ubiquitous and form the arteries of most equipment, machines and systems, yet all can suffer from the

same problem - whatever is in them can permeate out. VERSAPERM says the solution is its latest range of vapour permeability testing

Some materials allow thousands of times more vapour through than others and some, such as silicone, cellulose, EVOH and PVOH can be so poor at containing water vapour that they might as well not be there at all. With Versaperm, measuring this permeability is said to be fast and very precise, allowing users to select the best materials, and refine the manufacturing process they use in their processes. This not only includes testing wa vapour but also almost any other gas. t 01628 777668

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# Global gasket strategy

Following hot on the heels of successful introductions of new CNAF, PTFE materials and a range of high-specification isolation gaskets, JAMES WALKER says it is set to further strengthen its gasket service offering with investment in new plant and personnel

James Walker says the investment in additional state-of-the-art plant and capacity at hubs in Australia, Belgium



Singapore and the UK puts the company in prime position to meet customer demand in additio capability to manufacture non-standard items with a fast turnaround.

James Walker says its gasket strategy takes advantage of the business' existing global footprint, placing a comprehensive range of soft-cut, metallic and semi-metallic gaskets and jointing materials alongside the company's established ranges of elastomeric seals and compression packings to provide an unrivalled combination of sealing options. w www.jameswalker.biz

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