

London Branch and Kent Branch Meeting

In-person and online meeting

Simplified heat input control in manual and semiautomatic welding

Given by Kevin Millican, senior I & M lead, Shell plc.



ISO 3834-2, -3 Section 14.3 states, "During welding, the following shall be checked at suitable intervals or by continuous monitoring: — essential welding parameters (e.g. welding current, arc voltage and travel speed);" How do your welders know if they are working within the approved parameter ranges? How often do you carry out such tests? What are we trying to achieve? Is there a quicker and cheaper way of doing these checks? This presentation will examine two shortcut methods covering SMAW & GMAW/FCAW welding processes, and will provide tools to assist fabricators in implementing these techniques.

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8th June 2022 at 6:00 p.m. Refreshments from 5:30. A buffet will follow the presentation.

Location: The York Room, Lancaster Hall Hotel, 35 Craven Terrace, London W2 3EL.

The hotel is five minutes walk from Lancaster Gate Underground Station

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