



Third International Workshop on “Safety-II in Practice”

New dates due to the Covid-19 pandemic!

October 13-14, 2020 - Edinburgh, Scotland

We are pleased to announce that the third International Workshop on Safety-II in Practise will take place in Edinburgh, Scotland on October 13-14, 2020. The Workshop is organised by FRAMsynt. The workshop will begin with an optional half-day tutorial on Safety-II in Practice on October 12, and continue with two full days of meetings and discussions on October 13 & 14.

Aim of the workshop

The aim of the workshop is to share experiences from how Safety-II has been used by various industries and in various practices. The workshop will give the participants an opportunity to present and discuss the lessons learned - good as well as bad, practical as well as methodological. The workshop will be a unique opportunity for safety professionals and researchers to interact with like-minded colleagues, to debate the strengths and weaknesses of Safety-II, and to share ideas for further developments.

The guiding principle for the workshop is “extended discussions interrupted by short presentations”. In order to achieve this, the number of participants will be limited to 60 - first come, first served.

Participation

The workshop is open to everyone regardless of their level of experience with Safety-II. It will address the use of Safety-II in a variety of fields and for purposes ranging from investigations, performance analyses, organisational management and development, individual and organisational learning, and resilience. The workshop will provide a unique opportunity to:

- Discuss and exchange experiences on how a Safety-II perspective can be used to analyse and manage complex socio-technical systems.
- Receive feedback on and support for your own Safety-II projects.
- Learn about the latest developments and application areas of Safety-II.
- Develop a perspective on the long-term potential of Safety-II.

Discussion topics, presentations and papers

You can contribute actively to the workshop by submitting proposals for:

- Topics or themes for panel discussions (preferably with a presentation or introduction, but open suggestions of themes are also welcome).

- Presentations of ongoing or already completed work in industry and/or academia.
- Ideas that you would like to get a second opinion on.
- Questions or issues that you have been wondering about and would like to hear more about.
- The relevance of a Safety-II perspective for individual and organisational learning.
- The strategic management of Safety-II: how to introduce changes to routines and daily practice.

For each type of proposal, please provide a short abstract (about 100 - 200 words, but even less if need be) with a summary of what you would like to present or discuss and how you want to be involved. All proposals will be reviewed and comments to the submitters will be provided.

Please submit your proposed contribution to: WRKSH2020@safetysynthesis.com

Important dates

Registration opens	January 14, 2019
Deadline for abstracts/suggested topics	March 21, 2020
Notice to authors	April 18, 2020
Deadline for registration	May 15, 2020
Paper deadline (optional)	May 15, 2020

Practical Information

Information about the workshop will be posted on

http://safetysynthesis.com/wrkshp_2020.html

Registration & registration fee

To register for the workshop, please use the link available at https://safetysynthesis.com/wrkshp_2020/index.html. The registration is open from Tuesday 14, 2020 until Friday May 15, 2020, unless the maximum number of participants have been reached earlier.

The registration fee for the workshop is £240.00 (£200.00 plus VAT). This includes participation in the workshop on June 11 & 12, coffee breaks and lunches.

The fee for the tutorial on June 10 is £54.00 (£45.00 plus VAT).

On the evening of June 11 there is the option to join a dinner for the workshop participants. The additional fee for the dinner is (tentatively) £40.00.

Registrations only become effective upon receipt of the registration fee.

Venue & Accommodation

The workshop will be held at Surgeons Quarter in Edinburgh.

- A number of rooms have been reserved at the four star Ten Hill Place Hotel, which is part of Surgeons Quarter. The rooms will be held until 8 weeks before the workshop.
- Guests should make reservations by contacting reservations on 0131 6622080 and quoting block reference SURG100619. Requests after the cut-off date are subject to availability and rate.

Check in from 14.30 hours and check out by 12 noon. You can email the reservations team at reservations@tenhillplace.com.

Beyond that Edinburgh has multiple possibilities for accommodation ranging from the mere convenient to the luxurious. Information about accommodation will be provided in due time.

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Questions, suggestions and ideas

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We look forward to see you in Edinburgh