

## EVENT PROGRAMME

**Event Title:** Decom Offshore 2015

**Event Organised by:** Decom North Sea

**Date:** Wednesday 27 May 2015

**Time:** 07:30am – 5.00 pm

**Location:** Aberdeen Exhibition & Conference Centre, Bridge of Don, Aberdeen, AB23 8BL

### The Event

- Entitled “Decommissioning – The Economic and Operational Challenges”
- This one-day conference will encourage collaboration and entrepreneurial flair at this critical time for the North Sea oil and gas industry
- Provides an excellent business development and networking opportunity, welcoming 200 + decommissioning professionals
- The event will bring together 25 + exhibitors, showcasing innovative technologies and solutions
- The event is set to support and focus on the cost and efficiency challenge highlighted in the Oil & Gas Authority’s (OGA) recent call to action, with particular emphasis on the drive for innovation and efficiency in decommissioning

### Why You Should Attend

- Update knowledge and learn from industry leaders, key stakeholders and regulators
- Operators will be providing an update on their current and future decommissioning plans
- Understand how the supply chain can maximise business opportunities and contribute to the MER UK Strategy through efficient decommissioning practice
- Learn about suppliers’ innovative products and solutions at the Exhibition
- Various Networking Opportunities scheduled throughout the day

### Book Now

- Delegate prices reduced from 2014 event
- Members of DNS can book at a reduced price of £200 + VAT
- Non-Members Price: £350 + VAT
- **To Book, visit [www.decomnorthsea.com](http://www.decomnorthsea.com)**
- Sponsorship and Exhibition Opportunities Available
- For further details, please contact [jmann@decomnorthsea.com](mailto:jmann@decomnorthsea.com)

### About Decom North Sea

- DNS is a not for profit organisation working to enhance knowledge transfer and facilitate collaborative activities to deliver “game changing solutions” that minimise decommissioning costs.
- 250+ Members drawn from operators, major contractors, service specialists and technology developers.
- DNS plays a vital role in solution development and cross sector learning and is helping to build supply-chain capability.
- DNS works with a number of strategic partners including Oil & Gas UK, OGA and DECC to achieve these objectives.



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‘A well-paced informative event addressing highly topical issues with articulate speakers’

*Delegate feedback from Decom Offshore 2014 ‘Realising Opportunities for All’*

**07:30 Registration, Networking and Exhibition**

**Session One – A Collaborative Approach to Improving Decommissioning Cost Efficiency to Support MER UK  
(Session One Sponsored by Amec Foster Wheeler Group Limited)**

*Chair - Callum Falconer, Chairman, Decom North Sea*

**08:30 Welcome, Safety Brief and Scene Setting**  
Callum Falconer, Chairman, Decom North Sea

**08:40 Keynote Address from Professor Paul de Leeuw, Director of RGU's Oil and Gas Institute**  
**Paul de Leeuw, Director of RGU's Oil and Gas Institute** will provoke debate through his keynote address, entitled "**Decommissioning, The 'Supermarket Way,'**" placing decommissioning in the wider context and highlighting how and what the industry can learn from other sectors.

**08:55 The Oil and Gas Authority – Update on the Call to Action: Progress and Future Plans**  
**Carlo Procaccini, Senior Commercial Advisor, Oil & Gas Authority.**

**09:10 Late Life Planning Portal – We are on a Collaborative Journey**  
The late life planning portal will improve efficiency, provide information, knowledge transfer and on-going collaboration in decommissioning. **Nigel Lees, Regional Director, Strategy & Growth, Wood Group PSN** and **Jim Christie, Global Decommissioning Projects Manager, Marathon Oil Decommissioning Services LLC** will provide an insight into the collaborative process of developing the Late Life Planning Portal and demonstrate what the tool looks like.

**09:25 Collaboration – When the Talking Stops!**  
**Craig Shanaghey, Director of Operations, Asset Support, Late Life and Decommissioning, Amec Foster Wheeler** will define the key ingredients necessary to turn well-meant words and intentions into actions, which move us forward as an industry

**09:40 Collaboration Insight – Wipro Technologies & Oracle**  
**Alastair Shakeshaft, Director, EPC Europe & Africa, Wipro Technologies** and **Geoff Roberts, Director, Energy Industry Strategy, Oracle** they will describe how Wipro Technologies & Oracle are delivering robust technology platforms that aid collaboration on complex projects, increasing efficiency and effectiveness.

**09:55 Getting Serious about Collaboration: What can the North Sea Learn from Others?**  
**Stuart Groves, Principal, Boston Consulting Group** will discuss the lessons learned on setting up collaborative alliances, the potential benefits, the pitfalls and their views on best practices. His presentation will include specific collaboration case studies within and outside of the oil and gas industry.

**10:10 Growing Clusters of Collaboration**  
**Callum Falconer, Commercial Manager, Marathon Oil Decommissioning Services LLC** will define collaboration, providing examples and discussing 'the prize.'

**10:20 Panel Session with Above Speakers**

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**10:50 Mid-Morning Networking and Exhibition**

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## Session Two – Supply Chain – Reduce Cost and Improve Efficiency

*(Session Two Sponsored by EverSea NV)*

*Chair - Tim Eley, Board Director, Decom North Sea*

- 11:20      **Oceaneering International Services Ltd - Rigchase and Bundled Decom Services – The Benefits of Collaboration**  
**Paul Yeats, General Manager, Eastern Hemisphere, Oceaneering International Services Ltd** will showcase how Oceaneering's collaborative approach to rigchase and bundled decom services can provide cost saving benefits to work scopes
- 11:35      **ABLE UK – The Story so Far**  
**Neil Etherington, Group Development Director, Able UK** will outline Able UK's experience in the field of marine decommissioning and identify the future needs of the sector & the steps required to maintain a competitive edge
- 11:50      **Stork - Practical experiences of Ageing Assets & Decommissioning**  
**Duncan Hart, Key Account Manager, Stork** will bring a real life perspective on decommissioning in the North Sea, focusing on collaboration, flexibility and innovative methods to drive efficiency and cost savings
- 12:05      **Aker Solutions and Boskalis Offshore - BTA Single Lift Technology for Removal of Large Jackets**  
**Christian Hagemann, Project Manager, Aker Solutions** and **Gerard Lubbinge, Manager Tendering, Boskalis Offshore** will demonstrate how collaboration has led to them providing a unique proven technology to the decommissioning market
- 12:20      **Bibby Offshore - Providing an Efficient Decommissioning Solution to Industry**  
**Barry MacLeod, Managing Director UKCS, Bibby Offshore** will provide an overview of lessons learned and experience in how a combination of diverless and diving options can provide a cost effective and efficient decommissioning program.
- 12:35      **Question and Answer Panel Session with Above Speakers**

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12:50      **Networking Lunch and Exhibition**

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## Session Three – Operators – Insight into Operational & Economic Challenges

Chair - Nigel Jenkins, Chief Executive, Decom North Sea

- 13:50 **CNR International (UK) Ltd - Murchison Decommissioning Project**  
**Roy Aspden, Decommissioning Project Manager, CNR International (UK) Ltd** will provide an insight into working together with their key contractors.
- 14:05 **Shell U.K. Limited – Decommissioning the Brent Field**  
**Duncan Manning, Business Opportunity Manager, Shell U.K. Limited** will provide an overview and update of the Brent Decommissioning project.
- 14:20 **Perenco UK Ltd – Welland Decommissioning Part 2**  
**Ian Moulton, Decommissioning Liaison Manager, Perenco UK Ltd** will discuss how Perenco are challenging the current norms of decommissioning and removal of subsea projection structures.
- 14:35 **Marathon Oil – Brae Field Decommissioning Programmes**  
**Chris Wicks, Decommissioning Compliance Manager, Marathon Oil Decommissioning Services LLC** will look forward at the Brae Decommissioning Programmes, providing an update on the programmes and how Marathon Oil are learning from others, driving efficiencies and maximising value through collaboration.
- 14:50 **Question and Answer Panel Session with Above Speakers**
- 15:05 **Closing Remarks / DNS Projects and Well P+A**  
**Nigel Jenkins, CEO, Decom North Sea** will provide an update on the current projects DNS are running for the industry and bring the conference to a close
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- 15:20 **Networking Drinks Reception and Exhibition**  
*(Drinks Reception Sponsored by AECOM)*
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- 17:00 Close