Nov 1, 2012 Dinner Meeting

Subject: Ship Classification and its role in Ship Construction

Starting with a short historical on the ship classification and its current role, we will browse through classification survey procedures, including basics on new construction survey processes as well as in service periodical and damage/repair surveys, brushing through some specifics of different types of ships.

We will review Lloyd’s Register requirements for the materials focusing on steel scantlings and the requirements on welding - how the welding joints are designed; where intermittent and continuous welding is required or recommended as well as how the minimum size of welds are derived.

Workmanship standards and Lloyd’s Register requirements for weld inspection and non-destructive testing will also be discussed.

Speaker: Ches K. King: Manager West Coast USA, Lloyds Register North America, Inc.

Ches manages marine operations and development of Lloyds Register West Coast USA, including accounts of over 50 large Cruise Ships and over 15 Mega Yachts. He is a qualified auditor of marine safety and security management systems, instructs training courses on hull inspection, damage, repair and classification services. He has held various positions in Lloyds and DnV in Canada and the USA and has been involved in new construction and conversion of ships, drilling rigs and mega yachts.

TECHNICAL QUESTIONS

Bring your technical questions to the meeting (any subject) or write them there and leave at the registration table or hand to Stephen Pollard. They will be discussed and hopefully answered during the dinner hour.
# SCHOLARSHIPS
The Puget Sound section awards scholarships to students enrolled in weld programs at local colleges. The funds for these scholarships are from donations from members and other interested individuals, businesses or groups to train welders. If you would like to help welding students receive training/certification, please contact Scholarship Chairman – Steve Nielsen HM: (425) 259-3508 WK (425) 328-5661 E-MAIL: steven.t.nielsen@boeing.com or, The business office 425-226-7018, Leave message.

# JERRY HOPE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
A scholarship program has been created in Jerry Hope’s name. Contributions made before the end of the year will be matched by the AWS Foundation. You may review a draft of this program by contacting Steve Nielsen Contributions may be made to: American Welding Society (AWS) Puget sound. PO Box 2923 Everett, WA 98213-2923 C/o the Jerry Hope Memorial Scholarship fund.

# PUBLICATIONS:
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Certification/ Professional Development Hours.....Be sure to notice this Change!!!

As our section moves forward to electronic notification for our meeting announcements, we have an alternative method for PDH documentation and tracking. AWS Miami has a form you can download from your section tool kit. http://www.aws.org/w/a/sections/forms/index.html#PDH meeting attendance record

You will be responsible to keep this form and bring it with you to each meeting. On this form you will fill out; date, location, topic, speaker’s name, PDH earned and the slot must be signed by the speaker or a section officer. Again, you will be responsible for keeping this form and bringing it to each meeting that meets the criteria to award a PDH. Feel free to ask questions of one of our section officers or at the registration table. For those of you who do not have printing capabilities we will have some extra copies for you. We look forward to seeing you at our events!

Kevin McGuire
Receives a $500 scholarship from Treasurer, Steve Nielsen. This will help him attend Renton Tech’s Welding program. Looking on from Kevin’s left side is his brother, Ryan, who delivered a heart felt thank you speech to attendees of the October meeting for the scholarships he has received. Looking on from the right side is Steve Pollard who, as Ryan’s employer and former Chairman of AWS Puget Sound, helped inspire these promising young people to pursue a career in welding.
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Location:
Rock Salt
Seattle, WA

Next Meeting
December 7, 2012
The Subject will be announced soon

AMERICAN WELDING SOCIETY

AWS Scholarship Funds Available to Welding Students
Contact your School; College; Instructor; or AWS to fill out the AWS application. District and Section Scholarships are for any level of welding related educational programs. Visit the Puget Sound Section Web site at www.awssections/pugetsound or Steve Nielson Phone (425) 259-3508. National Scholarships are generally for undergraduate students of a four-year program leading to a bachelor's degree. Applications are now available on-line from the AWS Foundation - www.aws.org/foundation.

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