



**59th UKELG One Day Discussion Meeting on
“Modelling Practical Explosion Scenarios”
Thursday 26th April 2018
Warwick University Conference Centre**

Dear colleagues,

When asked what has helped your committee to keep the UKELG going for more than 35 years, the answers include the informality and low costs of meetings, the varied background and broad interest base of its supporters and the feedback from meeting attendees which tells us what works what does not and what they would like to see discussed at future meetings. As mentioned before the latter also helps the committee to maintain meeting topic variety. Hence, after last autumn’s successful 3 day anniversary meeting at DNV GL Spadeadam site, with its extensive large scale test facilities and programmes, for this spring we are looking forward to a return to Jennifer Wen’s department at Warwick University for a review and update about ongoing explosion modelling work. Initial responses from specialists in the field have been positive and we look forward to receive additional offers of contributions, by 18th March please. As ever ongoing works is of equal interest as completed or even publish-ready results. If potential contributors judge that their work would be of equal or even greater value for the 3 Day 60th Discussion meeting which we are planning for the autumn, then they are free to indicate this with their submission. As always a detailed programme for the day will follow later, together with directions and on-site accommodation details.

The cost of the day will be £50 to include coffee, lunch and tea. Payment on arrival in cash or cheque is preferred and receipts will be provided. Payment by invoice may be accepted only by prior arrangement with the Secretary and at a £5 premium. For this meeting only, as a trial, the meeting fee for students registered for a degree will be waived. Supervisors for students seeking this waiver, and/or for those requiring assistance with travelling expenses should contact the secretary who may also be approached for financial assistance for those who are retired or otherwise financially unsupported by an affiliation. We have to order refreshments in advance; so please note that if you need to cancel your registration to do so by e-mail to s.everall@imperial.ac.uk not later than 14th April since we otherwise have to ask for payment.

The Committee is looking forward to your response, registration and offer of a presentation and to see you again on 26th April.

Hans Michels (Chair UKELG Committee)
Roger Santon (Secretary)
Salvador Navarro-Martinez (Treasurer)

What is UKELG?

UKELG is a subject interest group, which aims to promote the understanding of all aspects of explosions, including the analysis and prevention of accidental explosions, by stimulating the informal exchange of relevant information. UKELG is a registered charity.

How does it function?

Each year, on average, two UKELG meetings are organised. Generally these are one-day events, held at scientific and research establishments all over the UK. The topics discussed cover all aspects of explosion and related loss prevention.

To achieve open discussion of current research and development the UKELG actively encourages the presentation of recent research and results, especially work-in-progress.

So as not to inhibit informal contributions and discussion, the proceedings are not published. At the request of the authors or with their agreement, some presentations are placed on the UKELG website.

Who can attend?

There is no membership fee. Any interested person is free to attend meetings, on payment of an appropriate small fee to cover running costs. Attendance usually includes people from academia, industry, consultancies and the regulators. Details of meetings are sent to a list of contacts by e-mail and are available from the UKELG website. To be added to this list, e-mail the secretary below.

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Oral presentation: I would like to offer a contribution of minutes on the following:

Title:.....
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Summary of key work/points I would like to present/discuss in my talk:

(If accepted for presentation, these may be used as part of the meeting programme. Please use a separate sheet if you wish to submit a more extended abstract, which will not be published)

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Student support: I would like to enquire regarding support for the following student(s):

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