

OPERATOR FUNDAMENTALS BEST PRACTICES WORKSHOP

13th to 16th May 2024, Comet Coeur Defense, La Defence Paris, France

The Workshop will be organised by WANO Paris Centre.

Programme

WANO Paris Centre is offering a three day workshop in the topic area of Operator Fundamentals. Content will be derived from the end-users represented by the Operator Fundamentals Community of Practice as well as a variety of other industry sources. The three days will focus on the key challenges to Operator Fundamentals on Nuclear Power Plants drawn from (WANO PC) industry data on the event causes and contributors, namely:

- Transient Operations Management
- Shutdown Safety Management
- Operator Fundamentals Training and Evaluation

Participants are welcome to suggest topics to explore and present during the Workshop.

Topics

Industry case studies will be shared, latest industry performance data will be exchanged and experienced

industry mentors will also provide insights and presentations. The key topics covered will be:

- When Operator Fundamentals are most vulnerable – based in latest industry data
- Control and supervision of plant evolutions and transients (including reactivity management)
- Shutdown Safety Management (Control of Open Circuit States)
- Industry learning and improvement in areas such as shutdown cooling and tagging.
- Best practices for observing, recording and critiquing shift crew performance.

WANO PC would welcome any participant to suggest topics for the Workshop.

Objectives of the Workshop

The objective of the workshop is to bring together nuclear professionals from diverse plants and cultures in an environment where they will gain new insights and hone their skills through interaction and learning exchange with peers and experienced leadership behavioural facilitators.

Target group

This workshop will be limited to 40 delegates from WANO member organisations. The workshop requires operations leaders and practitioners including Shift Managers, Tagging Supervisors, Field Operators (experienced) and Simulator Instructors. Participants should be in a position of authority and control within their plants or companies to enable organisational change based on the workshop content.

Arrival and Departure

Participants should arrive at the venue before **08:00 on 14th May 2024** morning. However, it is advised that participants arrive on the evening of **Monday 13th May 2024**.

There will be a welcome dinner on the **14th May 2024** in the evening. The workshop will be finished on the 16th May 2024 at 14:00.

INFORMATION

Workshop language

The workshop language will be **English**.

Register on-line

Registrations should be completed online before 15th April 2024 at the following web address:

www.wanopariscentreregistrations.com.

A confirmation letter will be sent to each participant following their registration.

The number of participants is limited to 40 (forty).

Presentations

Participants willing to give a presentation are more than welcome to propose this. Please indicate how long the presentation should last. Please indicate this when registering.

To ensure timely preparation of the workshop presentations' package the PPT presentations (in English) should be sent to WANO Paris Centre organising team by e-

mail (details below) by **30th April 2024**.

Venue

The workshop will be held at Comet Coeur Defense [Comet](#)



Accommodation

You are free to select an hotel of your choice in la Defense. The hotels below are close to the Comet:

- [Hotel Novotel La Defense](#)
- [Hotel Melia Paris La Defense](#)
- [Hotel Ibis La Defense](#)
- [Apparthotel Adagio La Defense](#)

Transportation

Airports:

The nearest international airports are Roissy Charles de Gaulle and Orly (both in Paris).

Workshop package

There is no workshop package fee. WANO Paris Centre will cover the costs for the full workshop documentation, refreshments, lunches and welcome reception as stated in the programme.

Dress Code

Evening dinner: Business Casual

Workshop: Business Casual

Cancellation policy

Participants who cannot attend the workshop (after registration), please, inform us as soon as possible.

[Late cancellations and 'no-shows' might result in a cancellation fee from the venue. This fee will be charged to the attendee or their Company.](#)

Organising team

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