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Conference Schedule

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Day 1	09:30-10:00		
	10:00-10:30	Helicopter Emergency Medical Services: How Close is Too Close? Facilitated by AAA	How the Latest MRO Trends and Best Practice Can Deliver Added Value to Your Rotorcraft Business
	10:30-11:00		
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	12:00-12:30	Search & Rescue: Evolving Technology	Aviation Under Attack
	12:30-13:00		Operators' Forum <i>*Only available to badged operators*</i> <u>Located in:</u> Operators' Lounge (Stand L80)
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	14:00-14:30	EHA Rotorcraft Seminars: Part 1 Hosted by EHA	Offshore Wind Farms: How Today's Lessons Will Prepare You for The Next Round of Turbine Projects
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16:30-17:00	Breakthrough Technologies for Customer Satisfaction		
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Tuesday 3rd October

INSIGHT SEMINARS

Helicopter Emergency Medical Services: How Close is Too Close?

Paul Cornu Theatre

10:00-11:30

Facilitated by: Association of Air Ambulances

Moderator: Clive Dickin, National Director, Association of Air Ambulances

This seminar will highlight the challenges and processes put in place when landing helicopters within degrading environments and un-surveyed landing sites. It will also feature an insight on landing to the benefit of the patient and how to ensure landing is undertaken in a safe and correct manner.

- 10:00-10:05 **Welcome & Introduction**
Clive Dickin, National Director, Association of Air Ambulances
- 10:05-10:25 **Removing the Uncertainty**
Nigel Hare, Operations Director, Devon Air Ambulance Trust
- 10:25-10:45 **Safety from a Patient's Perspective**
Dr Jose Gutierrez, Medical Director, Babcock Mission Critical Services
- 10:45-11:05 **Presentation title**
Speaker tbc
- 11:05-11:30 **Panel discussion and audience Q&A**

How the Latest MRO Trends & Best Practice Can Deliver Added Value to Your Rotorcraft Business

Juan de la Cierva Theatre

10:00-11:30

This seminar will take look at the bigger picture in MRO trends, the value of MRO and how it affects helicopter values, multi-mission capabilities and best practice in reconfiguring/refitting helicopters and a lessors view on the value of MRO.

Moderator: Sara Dhariwal, Valuations Analyst, Flight Ascend Consultancy

- 10:00-10:05 **Welcome & Introduction**
Sara Dhariwal, Valuations Analyst, Flight Ascend Consultancy
- 10:05-10:20 **MRO: The Big Picture**
Brian Thompson, Senior Vice President, Commercial, Vector Aerospace
- 10:20-10:35 **The Hourly Maintenance Solution: Creating Value**
Justin Barnett, Senior Manager, Commercial Standards & PBH, Heli-One
- 10:35-10:50 **Multi-Mission Capabilities, MRO Trends and Best Practice in Reconfiguring/Retrofitting Helicopters**
Magnus Odenman, Vice President Sales and Marketing, Patria Helicopters
- 10:50-11:05 **A Lessors View**
Dave Gorsky, Senior Vice President, Operations and Technical, Waypoint Leasing
- 11:05-11:30 **Panel discussion & audience Q&A**

TECHNICAL SESSIONS

Aviation Under Attack

Juan de la Cierva Theatre

12:00-12:30

This presentation will explore how: existing aviation regulatory authority and standards are under attack by competing third parties; helicopter access to certain airspace, airports, heliports and the performance of specific operational missions could be



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restricted or eliminated; shortage of qualified personnel could be a constraining factor on the helicopter industry; and unmanned aircraft systems will affect the helicopter industry.

Presenter: Matt Zuccaro, President and CEO, Helicopter Association International

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Search & Rescue: Evolving Technology

Paul Cornu Theatre

12:00-13:30

This seminar will be an opportunity to learn about the technologies that will help optimise and improve safety on future SAR missions, with insights from operators involved in the development and deployment of these tools.

Moderator: Alistair Riches, Commercial Director, British International Helicopter Services Limited

- 12:00-12:05 **Welcome & Introduction**
Alistair Riches, Commercial Director, British International Helicopter Services Limited
- 12:05-12:20 **Emerging Technology for Helicopter Search and Rescue & Emergency Medical Services**
Dave Balevic, Senior Vice President - Engineering and Operations, CHC Helicopter
- 12:20-12:35 **Landing Zone Obstacles: How a Mobile App is Helping Norwegian SAR and HEMS Crews to Avoid Hazards**
Roy Jenssen, RW Operational Advisor, Air Ambulance Services of Norway
- 12:35-12:50 **Search & Rescue: The Next Generation**
Captain Richard Dane OBE, Standards and Training Manager UK SAR, Bristow Helicopters
- 12:50-13:05 **Evolving Medical Capabilities for SAR Missions**
Dr Jeremy Richardson, Clinical Advisor, Search & Rescue, Babcock Mission Critical Services Offshore
- 13:05-13:30 **Panel discussion and audience Q&A**

OPERATORS' FORUM

Operators' Forum

Operators' Lounge (Stand L80)

12:30-14:00

Only available to Helitech International registered Operators

The Operators' Forum is a networking opportunity, held over a working lunch, for operators of every size to talk informally with their peers about the issues most relevant to improving their missions and their businesses. Do you have an emergency response plan to social media? This question is the starting point for a discussion about how social media coverage has an impact on how friends, family and the general public view helicopters and helicopter operations, particularly in the aftermath of an accident. The discussion will also consider some of the critical strategies for successful crisis management.

Moderator: Andrew Rognmo-Hodge, Director of Flight Operations, Lufttransport RW

- 12:30-12:35 **Welcome & Introduction**
Andrew Rognmo-Hodge, Director of Flight Operations, Lufttransport RW
- 12:35-12:50 **Keynote: Harnessing the Power of Social Media**
Derek Lowe, Chief Executive Officer, Storm Communications
- 12:55-13:05 **Social Media After an Incident: How to Avoid Losing Control**
Donald Steel, Associate Director, Crisis Communications, Kenyon International Emergency Services
- 13:10-14:00 **Panel discussion & audience Q&A**



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EHA ROTORCRAFT SEMINARS

Specialised Operations Panel Session

Paul Cornu Theatre

14:00-15:30

Organised by: European Helicopter Association (EHA)

14:00-14:10 **Welcome & Introduction** by Jaime Arqué, Chairman, European Helicopter Association (EHA)

14:15-15:30 **Specialised Operations (SPO) Session Panel**

Moderator: Captain Roano Grandi, Accountable Manager, Air Corporate

Panellists include:

- **José Luis Lozano**, Deputy Director for Safety Inspection Coordination, Agencia Estatal de Seguridad Aérea (AESA)
- **Marco Silanos**, Flight Licencing & Operation Regulation Director, Ente Nazionale per l'Aviazione Civile (ENAC)
- **Patrick Fauchère**, Flight Operations Manager, Air-Glaciers
- **Robin Tutcher**, Accountable Manager, Western Power Distribution Helicopter Unit
- **Eric Bennett**, Air Operations Regulations Officer - Helicopters, European Aviation Safety Agency (EASA)
- **Alessandro Bregoli**, Compliance Monitoring & Safety Manager, Airgreen

INSIGHT SEMINARS

Offshore Wind Farms: How Today's Lessons Will Prepare You for The Next Round of Turbine Projects

Juan de la Cierva Theatre

14:00-15:30

This seminar will bring together stakeholders from across the offshore wind turbine sector and experts from the rotorcraft industry to discuss lessons learnt from existing helicopter involvement in offshore wind farm logistics. The discussion will consider the unique business models and risk profiles, plus future requirements and challenges, in this sector.

Moderator: Alistair Riches, Commercial Director, British International Helicopter Services Limited and Chair, RenewableUK Offshore Renewables Aviation Task Group

14:00-14:05 **Welcome & Introduction**

Alistair Riches, Commercial Director, British International Helicopter Services Limited and Chair of the RenewableUK Offshore Renewables Aviation Task Group

14:05-14:15 **DONG Energy Offshore Wind Farm Aviation Outlook**

Lars Christian Munch, Senior Helicopter Superintendent, DONG Energy Wind Power

14:20-14:35 **Helicopters in Offshore Wind Energy**

Johan Hansen, Managing Director, SeaState Aviation

14:40-14:50 **The Future Role for Helicopters for the Next Round of Turbine Projects**

Jamie Mckenzie, Senior Pilot Maritime Operations, Babcock Mission Critical Services Onshore

14:55-15:30 **Panel discussion and audience Q&A**

Helicopter Market Update and Valuations Methodology

Juan de la Cierva Theatre

16:00-17:00

Organised by: The Flight Ascend Consultancy

A review of the latest trends in the helicopter market with particular focus on value movements, the basics of helicopter valuations methodology and an FAQ session.

16:00-16:15 **Helicopter Market Update: An Overview of the Helicopter Market in General, Including a Look at the Entry of the Black Hawk into the Civil Space**



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- John Maloney**, Fleet Research & OEM Data Relationship Manager, Flightglobal
- 16:15-16:30 **Oil & Gas Fleet Review: How Has the Fleet Changed During the Oil & Gas Downturn? What Does the Current Landscape Look like and What Do We Envisage for the Future?**
Chris Seymour, Head of Market Analysis, Flight Ascend Consultancy
- 16:30-16:45 **CHC 18 Months On: A Review of the Fleet Movements. Includes a Brief Update of the H225 in the Oil & Gas Market**
Sara Dhariwal, Valuations Analyst, Flight Ascend Consultancy
- 16:45-17:00 **Leasing in the Oil & Gas Market: How Have the Lessors Changed Since the Start of the Oil & Gas Downturn to Today and What Changes Might We See Going Forward?**
Ben Chapman, Valuations Manager UK, Flight Ascend Consultancy

TECHNICAL SESSIONS

Night Vision Goggle Program Implementation: Managing the Change

Paul Cornu Theatre

16:00-16:30

This presentation will discuss the enhanced safety that comes with using NVGs during night operations and why managing the change to organizational and operational structures will ensure a safe transition to NVIS operations. The impacts to personnel schedules, both work and home, aircraft utilization and maintenance schedules and more are rarely fully appreciated. Discussion points will include the bright white future of night vision goggles and how a white phosphor NVG image increases crew situational awareness and safety.

Presenter: Kim Harris, Director of Business Development and Sales ATP CFII, Aviation Specialties Unlimited

Breakthrough Technologies for Customer Satisfaction

Paul Cornu Theatre

16:30-17:00

This presentation will discuss the emerging technologies at the centre Airbus Helicopters Innovation Strategy, for: providing the most efficient helicopter solutions to customers who serve, protect, save lives and safely carry passengers in demanding environments; delivering the best level of mission capabilities to customers; and ensuring the quality, safety and mission availability of helicopters with customer-driven innovations.

Presenter: Tomasz Kryszynski, Vice President Research and Innovation, Airbus Helicopters

Wednesday 4th October

EHA ROTORCRAFT SEMINARS

Accidents / Incidents Responsibilities: Focus on UAVs – The Legal Approach

Paul Cornu Theatre

10:30-11:15

Organised by: The European Helicopter Association (EHA)

Moderator: Jaime Arqué, Chairman, European Helicopter Association (EHA)

Presenters include:

- **Air Accident Claims – The Claimant's Perspective**
Sarah Stewart, Partner, Stewarts
- **Marketing Drone Insurance Risks**
Matthew Day, Director, Hayward Aviation



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Utilizing GNSS from Concept to ConOps

Paul Cornu Theatre

11:15-12:00

Organised by: The European Helicopter Association (EHA)

Moderator: Jaime Arqué, Chairman, European Helicopter Association (EHA)

Presenter: Andrew Rogno-Hodge, Director of Flight Operations, Lufttransport RW

INSIGHT SEMINARS

Search & Rescue: Evolving Operations

Juan de la Cierva Theatre

10:30-12:00

This seminar is an opportunity to learn more about how rescue missions and the contracts that underpin them are evolving.

Moderator: Jim Payton, Vice President Customer Business - Helicopters, Rolls-Royce Defense, Rolls-Royce Corporation

10:30-10:35 **Welcome & Introduction**

Jim Payton, Vice President Customer Business - Helicopters, Rolls-Royce Defense, Rolls-Royce Corporation

10:35-10:55 **The Future for Commercial SAR**

Mick Fry, Director of Sales & Commercial - SAR/EMS, CHC Helicopter

10:55-11:15 **Evolution of Commercial Provision of a State SAR Service**

Neil Ebberson, UK SAR Project Manager, Bristow Helicopters

11:15-11:40 **Case Study: Rescue operations at Puerto General San Martín, Argentina**

Hernan Lopez, General Management, Cooperativa de Trabajos Portuarios & **Ivan Blaffert**, Manager - Emergency Centre (CCREP) and Maritime Division, Cooperativa de Trabajos Portuarios

11:40-12:00 **Panel discussion and audience Q&A**

KEYNOTE

In Conversation with Sergey Ananov

Paul Cornu Theatre

12:30-13:30

Russian helicopter pilot and adventurer, Sergey Ananov, will share the highs and lows of his record attempt to circumnavigate the globe in a Robinson R22, including a forced landing on water and subsequent encounters with polar bears while stranded on an ice floe.

Moderator: Tony Skinner, Editor-in-Chief, Shephard Media

Keynote presenter: Sergey Ananov, 5 Time World Record Holder and Director, Russian National Air Sport Control

TECHNICAL SESSIONS

Mission Complete... Now What?

Juan de la Cierva Theatre

12:30-13:00

The sensor systems deployed aboard modern ISR platforms can generate an overwhelming quantity of data and information. Organizations of all sizes struggle with how best to collect, process, analyse and archive sensor and mission data produced during surveillance and reconnaissance missions. This presentation will discuss best practices, standards compliance and security considerations involved in the creation of a user-friendly mission archive and data retrieval tool, as well as the importance of ensuring the security and privacy of your data.

Presenter: Peter Rawsthorne, Enterprise Architect & Solution Delivery Manager, CarteNav Solutions



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INSIGHT SEMINARS

The Connected Helicopter

Juan de la Cierva Theatre

13:30-15:00

Helicopters can already generate significant amounts of data about the aircraft and its mission. This seminar explores the future use of connectivity, the Internet of Things and big data/integrated systems and how they might be used to develop predictive maintenance regimes, improve safety and optimise operations.

Moderator: Jim Payton, Vice President Customer Business, Helicopters, Rolls-Royce Defense, Rolls-Royce Corporation

13:30-13:35 **Welcome & Introduction**

Jim Payton, Vice President Customer Business, Helicopters, Rolls-Royce Defense, Rolls-Royce Corporation

13:35-13:45 **The Paradigm Shift from Flying Machine Design to System of Systems Development**

Michele Arra, Head of Research & Innovation, Leonardo Helicopters

13:45-13:55 **Next Generation Data Communication and Management**

Michael Suldo, Customer Solutions - Oil & Gas and HEMS, Bell Helicopter Textron

13:55-14:05 **The Operator's Perspective**

Andrew Rognmo-Hodge, Director of Flight Operations, Lufttransport RW

14:05-14:15 **Digital Engine Life: Opportunities for Data Collection and Connection**

Franck Saudo, Executive Vice President Support and Services, Safran Helicopter Engines

14:15-14:25 **Why is Data So Important: Turn Digital Insights into Business Value**

Stéphanie Bonnefoy-Fourie, Head of Connected Services, Airbus Helicopters

14:25-15:00 **Panel discussion and audience Q&A**

TECHNICAL SESSIONS

Getting Benefit Using Performance-Based Navigation

Paul Cornu Theatre

14:00-14:30

This presentation will explore how performance-based navigation is key to significantly improving helicopter operations. Using new technologies will bring reliability for anytime, anywhere in all-weather operations. Discussed will be en-route and point-in-space performance-based navigation applications, realisations and lessons learnt.

Presenter: Laurent Delétraz, Senior Manager Business Development, Skyguide

An Open Architecture Approach to Cockpit Modernization: Where It Works & Where It Doesn't

Paul Cornu Theatre

14:30-15:00

This presentation will focus around the upgrading of aircraft via the component model approach, integrating new components with existing systems rather than replacing an entire flight deck; situations where it works, and when it doesn't; and considered replacement of only those components that are out of date, while keeping those that continue to suit the aircraft operability.

Presenter: Grady Dees, Director, Technical Sales, Universal Avionics Systems Corporation

INSIGHT SEMINARS

Helicopter Emergency Medical Services: One Size Fits All?

Paul Cornu Theatre

15:30-17:00

Facilitated by: Association of Air Ambulances

This seminar will focus on the differences and constant advances in EMS interiors and the transition between rotorcraft and ground vehicles. Also including the needs and requirements of patient care which shape the design and models of today's UK HEMS operations.



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Moderator: Clive Dickin, National Director, Association of Air Ambulances

- 15:30-15:35 **Welcome & Introduction**
Clive Dickin, National Director, Association of Air Ambulances
- 15:35-15:50 **Patient Transfer Between Rotorcraft and Ground Vehicles – a European Standards Perspective**
Mike Clark, Parapublic Market Development Manager, Leonardo MW
- 15:50-16:05 **Introducing a New Helicopter Type to Today's HEMS Theatre of Operations**
David Burgess, Chief Pilot and Director Flight Operations, Specialist Aviation Services
- 16:05-16:20 **Introducing a New EMS Interior in a New Helicopter**
Jan-Marc van Dam, Director of Completions, Specialist Aviation Services
- 16:20-17:00 **Panel discussion and audience Q&A**

Offshore Oil & Gas

Juan de la Cierva Theatre

15:30-17:00

This seminar will bring together stakeholders from the offshore oil and gas sector with experts from the rotorcraft industry to consider future outlook and requirements, plus key issues that will shape the sector going forward such as initiatives to foster a culture of ongoing safety innovation.

Moderator: **Ben Chapman**, Valuations Manager UK, Flight Ascend Consultancy

- 15:30-15:35 **Welcome & Introduction**
Ben Chapman, Valuations Manager UK, Flight Ascend Consultancy
- 15:35-15:45 **Driving Air Transport Safety Improvements: The Upstream Industry's Perspective**
Steve Hawkes, Group Head - Global Aviation Services, BP, and Chairman, International Association of Oil and Gas Producers (IOGP) Aviation Subcommittee
- 15:47-15:57 **Safety Value Proposition**
Cory Hitte, Vice President, Product Strategy & Valuations, The Milestone Aviation Group
- 15:59-16:09 **Improving Aviation Safety in a Downturn: The Operator's Perspective**
Jonathan Baliff, President and CEO, Bristow Group
- 16:11-16:21 **Offshore Safety in a "Tough" Market: The OEM Perspective**
Michael Suldo, Customer Solutions - Oil & Gas and HEMS, Bell Helicopter Textron
- 16:23-17:00 **Panel discussion and audience Q&A**

Thursday 5th October

SAFETY WORKSHOP

Safety in Stages

Paul Cornu Theatre

10:00-13:00

Organised by: The European Safety Promotion Network – Rotorcraft (ESPN-R)

With the participation of: International Helicopter Safety Team (IHST)

In collaboration with: European Helicopter Association (EHA)

- 10:00-10:05 **Opening Remarks from Workshop Organiser**
Dr Simon Mitchell, Accountable Manager, Starspeed and Chairman, British Helicopter Association Onshore Committee
- 10:05-10:20 **Mission, Vision & Goals**
Welcome & Introduction: **Matt Zuccaro**, President and CEO, Helicopter Association International and Industry Co-Chair, International Helicopter Safety Team



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- 10:20-10:50 **Preparing for the Unexpected – Flight Test Training Lessons**
Keynote Speaker: Simon Sparkes, Chief of Strategy & Marketing, Nova Systems UK
This keynote address will examine how Test Pilots are trained to recognise what is likely to be different in their flight and how to then prepare for those differences. The audience will be introduced to some exciting ideas about what you can cope with if you prepare properly, and be shown how investments in ground training and preparation deliver good outcomes, even in potentially risky situations.
- 11:00-12:45 **Safety in Stages Workshop**
The workshop will split into four stages: Pre-Flight Planning, Take-Off, En Route Decision Making (changes to plan) and Approach & Landing. Each stage will be introduced by **Robert Carter**, Principal Inspector of the Air Accidents Investigation Branch (AAIB), Department for Transport, highlighting some issues as seen through the process of formal state investigation. **Simon Mitchell**, Visiting Fellow at Cranfield University will then invite the Helicopter Safety Team panel to highlight how these issues are being addressed through training, procedures or technology. The panel will consist of members from IHST, the new ESPN-R, Leonardo, Airbus and EASA.
Panellists include:
- **Eric Bennett**, Air Operations Regulations Officer - Helicopters, European Aviation Safety Agency (EASA)
 - **Gilles Bruniaux**, Head of Aviation Safety, Airbus Helicopters
 - **Mike O'Donoghue CBE**, Director and Chief Executive, Odee Consulting and the General Aviation Safety Council (GASCo)
 - **Dr Michel Masson**, Senior Safety Promotion Officer, ESPN-R Coordinator, European Aviation Safety Agency (EASA)
 - **Nick Mayhew**, Senior Program Manager, L3 Link Simulation & Training and Industry Outreach Chair, USHST
 - **Tony Molinaro**, Communications Officer, International Helicopter Safety Team (IHST)
- 12:45-13:00 **Summary and Closing Remarks**

TECHNICAL SESSIONS

Integrating RPAS in Critical Mission Services

Juan de la Cierva Theatre

11:00-11:30

This presentation will highlight how operation and service driven design are key to the successful implementation of RPAS technologies. Also provided will be an overview of Babcock International's RPAS integration roadmap, taking into account current and future regulatory framework, and a showcase of the LUMES and LUA unmanned systems and their deployment in actual mission critical services.

Presenter: David Pérez-Piñar López, Head of UAS Development, Babcock Mission Critical Services España

How Heliwise Real-Time HUMS (Health & Usage Monitoring Systems) Will Save Money, Reduce Unscheduled Maintenance, & Improve Flight Safety

Juan de la Cierva Theatre

12:00-12:30

This presentation will discuss the opportunities, challenges and benefits brought on by "digital transformation" in the helicopter sector; how Leonardo Helicopters' Heliwise real-time healthy & usage monitoring systems have been successfully applied in airlines and what can be transferred to the rotor wing operational environment; and the LHD view and approach to diagnostic data processing and usage.

Presenter: Maurizio D'Angelo, Head of Product Support Engineering and Licenses, Leonardo Helicopters



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TECHNICAL SESSIONS

Multi-Crew Approaches to Training: Technical vs Non-Technical Skills

Juan de la Cierva Theatre

12:30-13:00

This presentation will discuss how more emphasis should be placed on multi-crew approaches to non-technical skills training. Leonardo will share recommendations for effective multi-crew approaches to technical skills training in conjunction with non-technical skills training.

Presenter: Philippe Soveaux, Helicopter Rear Crew Instructor, Leonardo Helicopter Division - Training Academy

INSIGHT SEMINARS

Unmanned Aerial Vehicles

Juan de la Cierva Theatre

13:30-14:45

This seminar will explore civilian and commercial missions for larger unmanned aerial vehicles (UAVs) or systems (UAS) and remotely piloted systems (RPAS) and the opportunities they offer for the rotorcraft sector, plus preparations for the next moves in autonomous flight.

Moderator: Richard Thomas, Editor, Unmanned Vehicles, Shephard Media

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| 13:30-13:35 | Welcome & Introduction
Richard Thomas , Editor, Unmanned Vehicles, Shephard Media |
| 13:35-14:00 | Bell Helicopter: A New Era of Autonomous Flight
Scott Drennan , Director Innovation, Bell Helicopter |
| 14:00-14:25 | The UAS for Today
Terrence Fogarty , Director – Business Development, K-MAX Helicopter Programs, Kaman Aerosystems |
| 14:25-14:45 | Panel discussion and audience Q&A |

ALL Three Days

LEARNING & SKILLS

Learning & Skills Zone

09:30-15:00

Organised by: The Aviation Skills Partnership

The Learning & Skills Zone, organised by the Aviation Skills Partnership, is a dedicated area within the Helitech International 2017 exhibition hall that aims to:

- Excite young students about the possibilities of realising a career in the rotorcraft industry
- Promote entry, pathways and frameworks using the 'Inspire, Connect, Train & Achieve' model
- Promote collaboration between students, trainers, employers, manufacturers and industry bodies
- Increase the flow of young people and talent into the sector.

Visit the zone to find how you can engage with the next generation of rotorcraft professionals in the Learning & Skills Chatroom or to invite students to visit your exhibition stand and learn more about your organisation.