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Welcome

I am excited to welcome you to the maiden edition of the NISafetyE National Newsletter. This shall be a quarterly publication by NISafetyE with a summary of activities carried out by the National and State Chapters. It outlines novel approaches/solutions to some of the challenges of the Engineering /Safety profession and issues bordering on National Development.

We recently had the Investiture ceremony of the 3rd National Chairman, National Executive Committee Inauguration and Conferment of Fellowship on experienced professionals such as Senior Safety Managers from SPDC, ExxonMobil, Aieto, Heirs Oil, Chevron, the Chairman Senate Committee Upstream Petroleum Resources etc who have contributed enormously to the

growth and advancement of Safety and Engineering.

We have also had a change of leadership at some State Chapters, we have set up various committees with committed members to work on the programs /targets of the Institution leveraging on Professional Development, Research and Publication, Expansion, Social Engineering and Safety Engineering Regulations (Codes and Standards).

We have a mandate to collate and develop Safety Engineering Codes and Standards, which is customized to Nigeria while working assiduously in tandem with our parent, body the Nigerian Society of Engineers and the Council for the Regulation of Engineering in Nigeria to deliver on this mandate and prevent Engineering failures.

We expect our National



conference scheduled to hold in Lagos with the theme "Safety in Engineered Systems: Ensuring Sustainability through Engineering Codes and Standards" to be the biggest and most impactful conference ever.

More details on the above are embedded in this newsletter.

I hope you do enjoy reading this.

Engr, Akaninyene Edet Ekong
,MISPN, MNSE, FNISafetyE
,FIPMA, FCImp, FECRMI, FLPi
National Chairman

Message from the National Technical Secretary

Dear Professional Colleagues, it's a pleasure to have been asked, as one of my first duties as the National Technical Secretary, to lead the production of our first NISafetyE Newsletter.

I have always believed that our members should have a great source of information about what's going on in the various NISafetyE Chapters. I am pleased that this newsletter provides such platform and an enjoyable way of learning about how NISafetyE works even at National level.

I welcome you to our latest newsletter, the first this year, which will keep you updated on our latest news and provide you with some of our activities across all Chapters.

In case you are wondering what

the Institution have been doing to ensure we are creating the right impact expected of us by our members and stakeholders, then, this latest issue is a must read.

In this edition, we've asked each Chapter to discuss some issues that have been of great important to them such as Investiture and Induction of new members, courtesy visits, technical sessions held, campaigns and information about NISafetyE membership categories and how members can get involved in our various activities.

This edition also covers interviews with our immediate past National Chairman and one of our Young Engineers. I hope you will find the interviews beneficial to you as they share their views on diverse issues relating to the profession and



their professional developments.

I hope that you enjoy reading their contributions.

Engr. Kayode V. Fowode
MNSE, FNISafety, CFIOSH
National Technical Secretary

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The 3rd National Chairman's Investiture and Induction of New National Excos

Twenty-three (23) Fellows of the Institution, over fifty-three (53) corporate members, four (4) graduate members, twenty-two (22) student members, six (6) traditional rulers, over 160 guests, dignitaries and government functionaries, attended the investiture of Engr. Akaninyene Edet Ekong, MNSE, FNISafetyE, as the 3rd National Chairman of the Nigerian Institution of Safety Engineers (NISafetyE).

The high profiled event took place on the 5th of February, 2022, at the Ibom Icon Hotel & Golf Resort (Le Meridien) Uyo, Akwa Ibom State, under the distinguished Chairmanship of the NSE President, Engr. Tasiu Sa'ad Gidari-Wudil, FNSE. The Immediate Past National Chairman, Engr. Azuka Bartholomew Emeasoba, FNSE, FNISafetyE, in his official hand-over address, gave a recap on the growth of the NISafetyE since inception and appreciated the contributions of all

to building a viable Institution.

In his acceptance speech, Engr. Ekong, highlighted the focus of his administration on Professional Development, Research and Publications, Expansion, Safety Regulations, Social Engineering.

The occasion witnessed a keynote address by the COREN Registrar, Engr. Prof. Joseph Odigure, FNSE, with a lecture on the theme: "Safety Procedures and Standards: the Bedrock of Engineering System of Practice; delivered by Engr. Dr. Wisdom Enang, FNSE, FNISafetyE.



From Left to Right: The President, NSE, Engr. Tasiu Sa'ad Gidari-Wudil, FNSE; National Chairman NISafetyE, Engr. Akaninyene Ekong, MNSE, FNISafetyE with his wife Mrs. Meyen Ekong; the President COREN, Engr. Ali Alimasuya Rabi, FNSE; Immediate Past National Chairman NISafetyE, Engr. Azuka Bartholomew Emeasoba, FNSE, FNISafetyE.



The President, NSE, Engr. Tasiu Sa'ad Gidari-Wudil, FNSE; with the President COREN, Engr. Ali Alimasuya Rabi, FNSE, at the NISafetyE 3rd National Chairman's Investiture.



Cross section of Fellowship Conferrees at the NISafetyE 5th Fellowship Conferment ceremony.



NISafetyE Induction ceremony at the 3rd Chairman's investiture.



Traditional rulers with the President NSE, Engr. Tasiu Sa'ad Gidari-Wudil FNSE and the National Chairman, NISafetyE, Engr. Akaninyene Ekong MNSE FNISafetyE.

FEBRUARY 2022 FELLOWSHIP CONFEREES LIST

1. Ann E. Udofia - Safety Manager Shell Petroleum Development Company
2. Ubong J. Nsubong - SHES Consultant ExxonMobil
3. Nnene - Anochie Chidube - VP HSE Heirs Holding Oil and Gas
4. Emmanuel O. Usah - Instrumentation & Control Consultant, ExxonMobile
5. Augustina A. Bisong - HSE Manager, Aiteo EE & PC
6. John A. Jia - Deputy VP HSE, Heirs Holding Oil and Gas
7. Sen. Bassey A. Akpan - Chairman Senate Committee Upstream Petroleum Resources
8. Nsikak A. Ekam - Marine Safety Engineer, ExxonMobil Onne Port
9. Hon. Charles S. Udoh - Commissioner of Environment & Solid Minerals Akwa Ibom State
10. HRM O. A. Otu Meseme VI (JP) - Paramount Ruler of Odukupani Cross River, retired Safety Manager ExxonMobile NPO
11. Engr. Tasiu Sa'ad Gidari Wudil - NSE President
12. Engr. Esang Esitikot - Operations Safety Engineer, ExxonMobil
13. Engr. Nsa Okon - Maintenance Planning Engineer, ExxonMobil
14. Engr. Samuel Njang-Inyang - General Facilities Engineer, ExxonMobil
15. Engr. Emmanuel Ebong - Offshore Installation Manager, ExxonMobil
16. Engr. Collins U. Ijeomah - Safety Manager, ExxonMobil
17. Engr. Wisdom P. Enang - Oil & Gas Consultant, ExxonMobil
18. Engr. Godwin A. Umoh - SHES Consultant, ExxonMobil
19. Engr. John C. Onyemenam - Safety Engineer, Chevron
20. Engr. Bob Nwazota - MD Dalet Engineering Ltd.



New Fellows of the Institution conferred during the National Chairman's Investiture



Courtesy Visit of the National Chairman to the Emir of Kano



Inauguration of the 2022/2023 National Executive Committee Members

Investiture of Engr. Kayode Fowode as Lagos State Chapter Chairman and Inauguration of New Members and Excos

The 31st of March 2022 was indeed a great day for the Nigerian Institution of Safety Engineers as it played host to the finest and brightest across the Safety Industry on the 2nd Investiture of the Lagos State Chapter Chairman and Induction Ceremony of New Members.

The ceremony was indeed graceful as the mantle was handed over by the Immediate Past Chairman, Engr Seun Faluyi FNSE, FNISafetyE, FNIMechE to the present chairman Engr Kayode Valentine Fowode MNSE, FNISafetyE, CFIOSH. The Executive Committee for the 2022/2023 tenure were also sworn into office by the newly Inaugurated Chairman and a total of 64 candidates were Inducted.

The theme of the Ceremony was Safety Procedures and Standards: The Role of Government in Safety Regulation and our Keynote Speaker for the day, Capt. Musa Shaibu Nuhu gave an elaborate overview on the safety strides attained in the Aviation industry

through safety regulations and how this has greatly influenced the reduction in incidents. In his address, he confirmed meticulousness, continuous development & implementation of appropriate standards, requirements, policies and procedures is the reasons why aviation is still the safest means of transportation.

Several key leaders were given awards for special recognition and leadership for heights they have attained in the Institution, Industry, and the Country at large. Honorary membership (NISafetyE Lagos State Chapter) was also granted to the DG of the Lagos State Safety Commission, Lanre Mojola.

The event was graced by Royal fathers, government representatives, dignitaries from all over the country including our very own NISafetyE National Chairman, Fellows and members of NSE and NISafetyE & Safety enthusiasts and professionals across different industries. The event was anchored by our ever-bubbly Engr Jamiu Badmos who kept us well



entertained. There were musical performances by the ever-brilliant Nigerian Airforce, Logistics Command Band and DJ Micky.

It was indeed a great event.



Investiture of Chapter Chairman and Inauguration of New ExcOs in Rivers State Chapter

The Nigerian Institution of Safety Engineers (NISafetyE), a division of the Nigerian Society of Engineers (NSE) on Saturday 12th February 2022 inaugurated Engr. John Onyemenam, FNISafetyE as its 2nd Rivers State Chapter Chairman.

The investiture took place at Autograph Event Center, Abacha Road, New GRA Port Harcourt. In attendance was the National Chairman of the institution, Engr. Akaninyene Ekong MNSE, FNISafetyE, His Royal Majesty, The Eze Ogba Iji-Nu-Ede, Paramount ruler/Nyewe-Eli of Rumuogba Kingdom, Barr. Dr. Temple Ejekwu, JP, Engr. Dr John ugbebor, Engr Prof. Kenneth Kekpugile, the immediate past and pioneer State Chairman Engr Chief Dagogo Stowe, and Engr. Alali Patrick Bara-Hart. The event also drew prominent Professional Engineers and others captain of industries in River State.

Engr. John Onyemenam holds a bachelor's degree in Petroleum Engineering, a master's degree in Environmental Science and currently rounding off his PhD degree in Environmental Science at the Centre for Occupational Health and Safety at the pretentious University of Port Harcourt Studying Centre.

The National Chairman, Engr. Akaninyene Ekong who also double as the Chairman of the occasion in his opening remark expressed delight to chair the inauguration ceremony for the installation of the 2nd State Chairman. He said the occasion was an opportunity for him to appreciate all members of the institution for their supports on his investiture as the 3rd National Chairman and the role played throughout the process that brought him as the 3rd National Chairman of the Nigerian Institution of Safety Engineers. He said the issue of succession are always challenging but commend the

transparent transition of power in Rivers State Chapter. The Mandate embedded on us in NISafetyE is to protect engineering fellows.

Engr. Ekong called the government to make good use of Safety Engineers and wish the chapter a success.

The outgoing Rivers State Chapter Chairman, Engr. Chief Dagogo Stowe said it was a thing of joy for him to transit leadership of the institution in the state to Engr. John and his team who shall together continue in leadership from where he stopped. He acknowledged the effort of the National Chairman and listed his achievements for his role in ensuring the inauguration of Rivers state Chapter in 2019.

In a goodwill message, the representative of Hiltop International Christian Centre, Port Harcourt, pastor Sunny Kalio congratulated Engr. John Onyemenam for his emergence as the State Chairman of the institution. He also congratulated the new Executives for their inauguration.

Pastor Kalio urged Engr. John Onyemenam and his Executives to maintain resilient, fairness, transparency in the discharge of his duty as the State Chairman.

The Executive Committee Members include Engr. John Chinedu Onyemenam as the State Chairman, Engr. Mrs Obianuju Ekwenibe - Vice Chairman, Engr. Mrs Uloaku Okeke - Technical Secretary, Engr. Alali Patrick Bara-Hart - General Secretary, Chikere Ezeokoro - Assist General secretary, Engr. Elega Golden Nkeschukwu - Assistant Technical Secretary, and Engr. Ogbonnaya Kanu as State Treasurer.

The event also features induction of new members, citation of the new State Chairman, investiture of the State Chairman, and inauguration of the State Executives and lot more.



Dignitaries at the high table from L-R: HRM Dr. Temple Ejekwu, the paramount ruler of Rumuogba kingdom, Chief (Engr.) Dagogo Stowe (outgoing Rivers State Chapter Chairman), Engr. Akaninyene Ekong (National Chairman - NISafetyE) and Dr. John Ugbebor (Director-Center of Occupational Health, Safety & Environment Center - UNIPORT)



Dr. John Ugbebor - Director of COHSE UNIPORT making a speech during the investiture ceremony



Award of fellowship from the National Chairman on the Rivers State Chapter Chairman elect.



Outgoing Rivers State Chapter Chairman, incoming Chairman and NISafetyE National Chairman.



Rivers State Chapter Chairman with his elegant and supportive wife.

Anambra State Chapter Activities

NISafetyE Anambra State Chapter led by the Chairman Engr. Dr. Obum Ezeani paid a courtesy visit to the Anambra State fire service, Awka Anambra State on 9th March, 2022. The chapter was received by the Fire Chief Engr. Dr. Martin Agbili and the management team. The chapter chairman thanked the Fire Chief and his team for the warm reception and stated that the main aim of the visit was to appreciate the Anambra State fire service for their efforts in

combating numerous fire outbreaks in the state. Secondly, was to seek ways of collaborating with the state fire service in intensifying public enlightenment to educate the public on fire safety, management and preventive measures. And lastly, was to inform and as well invite the state fire service to its one day public on 28th April, 2022 in commemoration of the world day of health and safety at Workplace 2022. In his response, the fire chief thanked the chapter



for appreciating the efforts of the state fire service in saving lives and properties of the people



On Sunday 20th March 2022, members of the NISafetyE Anambra State Chapter worshipped at St. Gabriel's Catholic Church Okpuno, Anambra State for a Rededication service to God for His grace and protection. It is an annual event by the chapter to thank God for His protection

and grace on Safety Engineers in the previous year and to seek His protection and blessings for the new year. Reception followed after the thanksgiving church service where the chapter members and their families were served delicious meal to mark the day.

The NISafetyE Anambra State Chapter celebrated the world Engineering day on the 7th March, 2022 with an awareness and campaign walk round the major streets within Awka metropolis, sensitizing the public on the good works engineers do in designing and building the world, making it

a better place for us all to live. The chapter also advocated on the need for people to be health and safety conscious in everything they do or live. It was indeed a memorable outing.



The NISafetyE Anambra State Chapter Chairman Engr. Dr. Obum Ezeani had a media chat on February 1st, 2022 on the topic "Fire Consciousness during Harmattan" anchored by Mr. Frank of Ogene FM 98.3 Enugu ukwu, Anambra State. The NISafetyE Anambra State Chapter Chairman described fire outbreak as one of the calamities common during the harmattan

season. He concluded by encouraging the public to be safety conscious and avoid anything that could result in fire outbreaks. The radio program was a phone in program where callers also made their contribution to the topic discussed.

Anambra State Chapter Activities

The NISafetyE Anambra State Chapter visited the Awka correctional centre, Anambra State on a charity visit and was received by the prison officials at the prison reception. Some of the inmates were called to welcome the chapter on behalf of the inmates. The chapter interacted with the inmates, presented some gift items to them and encouraged them to see their detention as opportunity to develop themselves through the various skill acquisition being

offered them, so they can come out better persons to the society. The spokesperson for the inmates thanked the chapter for its visit, the gifts presented and the encouragement. He prayed for the chapter and also briefed it on the academic progress of some inmates and requested support and sponsorship for the ongoing WAEC registration for the interested inmates. Members of the chapter pledged to pay for the WAEC registration of some interested inmates.



Which of the following membership categories is for non Engineering degree holders who are Safety Professionals?

1. Fellow
2. Honourary Fellow
3. Members
4. Associates
5. Affiliates
6. Graduates
7. Students

Answer: Affiliates

Which of the listed NISafetyE categories is for those with Engineering degrees who are registrable but not yet registered with NSE?

1. Fellow
2. Honourary Fellow
3. Members
4. Associates
5. Affiliates
6. Graduates
7. Students

Answer: Associates

Akwa Ibom State Chapter Investiture



Left to Right - Newly conferred fellow, HRM Etinyin O. A. Meseme JP, Paramount Ruler of Odukpani LGA in Cross River State (retired Safety Manager ExxonMobil Nig.) with his colleague HRM Sylvanus Okon JP, Paramount Ruler of Uyo LGA, Akwa Ibom State



Investiture of Engr. Owoedimo Enang MNSE, MNISafetyE as 2nd Chairman of NISafetyE Akwa Ibom State.

Lagos State Chapter Chairman Visits NSE VI Branch – Engr. Kayode Fowode Shares the Outcome of His Visit.



On Thursday, February 24, 2022, I had the privilege of visiting the NSE VI Branch on behalf of the Nigerian Institution of Safety Engineers, Lagos Chapter.

I met the NSE VI Chairman, Engr. Ibeh Emeka MNSE, MNIFE for the first time and the National President of the Building Collapse Prevention Guild (BCPG)

One of the highlights of the moment is having the opportunity to speak with the attendees about NISafetyE. I was able to share the following key messages:

- NISafetyE Lagos Chapter is opened to collaboration / partnership with other professional institutions that shares same values and vision.

- NISafetyE will like to work with like-minded institutions such as the Association of Professional Bodies of Nigeria and BCPG to reposition itself for collaboration with governments to tackle the menace of building collapse.

- NISafetyE welcomes all Engineers to join us especially those interested in the field of Safety Engineering and / or

desirous of building competency in safety engineering and occupational safety and health (OSH).

- NISafetyE believes in multi-disciplinary approach to problem solving and everyone has the opportunity to join us at different levels of membership. You can learn more by visiting www.nisafetye.com or contact us via lagos@nisafetye.com

Another interesting moment is the outstanding presentation during the Technical session led by the Speaker, Engr. Saadu Kama, MNSE (HoD, Network Planning , Eko Electricity Distribution Company). I will be glad to have another opportunity of listening to him again in future. Such an outstanding presenter with strong knowledge on Network Planning. We learnt about Lagos Integrated Resource Plan (LIRP) and the opportunities for Nigerian Engineers in the Power industry.

Also, I celebrated my birthday on February 14th and the NSE VI Branch was kind enough to present a cake to those born in February during my visit. Coincidentally, I

was the only February celebrant present, so, I had the privilege of cutting a cake with the Branch Chairman on my first visit to the Branch. I was also presented with a book as gift – Quite a memorable moment.

I used the opportunity to provide reassurance that NISafetyE Lagos Chapter will join the upcoming Nationwide BCPG Walk Against Building Collapse scheduled to take place on Saturday March 12, 2022. I gave our commitment to support any initiative that promotes the protection of lives and properties. I also reiterated that NISafetyE Lagos Chapter will be working closely with NSE VI Branch, and BCPG to ensure the campaign was a success.

Lastly, the meeting ended with a networking session with the Chairman, Senior Engineers, Invited guests, and elders in our noble profession. I also made new professional friends.

Engr. Kayode Fowode MNSE, CFIOSH, FNISafetyE
Lagos State Chapter Chairman.



The NISafetyE Delta State Chapter Events

The NISafetyE Delta State Chapter Paid Courtesy Call on Dr. Henry A. Adimula, the Principal/CEO and Management Staff of PTI Effurun, on November 4th 2011.

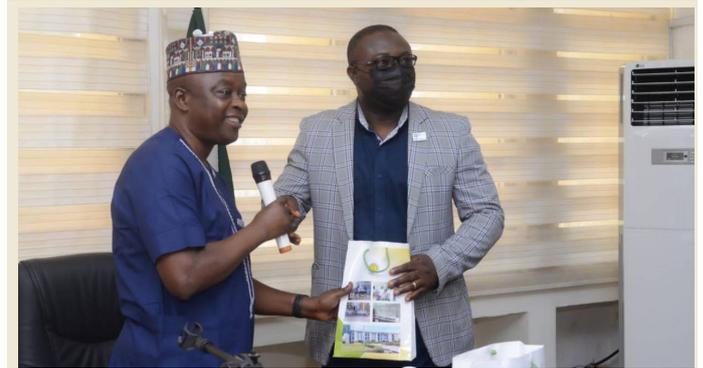
The courtesy visit was on six (6) point agenda stated as follows:

1. Formally invite the Principal/CEO and Management Staff of PTI to the Safety Engineering Conference holding at the PTI Conference Centre, on 11th November, 2021 by 9.00A.M. Theme: Re-Imagining Safety Engineering in a Post-COVID World.
2. Seek Collaboration with PTI Consultancy Services for human capital development via seminars, workshops, trainings, awareness and safety education involved in the design, commissioning, operating, maintenance, and abandonment of all engineering infrastructure.
3. Seek participation in PTI future events and areas our expertise may be deemed beneficial to the institute and the society at large.
4. Solicit support from the institute with respect to provision of hall/venue for the NISafetyE activities such as meetings, seminars and workshops.
5. Solicit the Principal/CEO's assistance, to allocate available office space for the NISafetyE's use.
6. To encourage staff and students of PTI register and join the NISafetyE.

In response to requests above, Dr. Henry A. Adimula, the Principal/CEO of PTI Effurun, obliged the prayers of the NISafetyE and expressly approved an office space at stated in item 5 above. A warm collaborative partnership was birthed between PTI and the NISafetyE.



Group photograph of the NISafetyE Delegates and Management Staff of PTI, Effurun.



PTI Principal/CEO and Engr. Dr. B.O. Otanocha



PTI Principal/CEO and Engr. Dr. A.M. Abanum and Engr. B.U. Ozobeme

The NISafetyE Delta State Chapter 2021 Annual General Meeting (AGM)

The NISafetyE Delta State Chapter held her 2021 annual general meeting on December 18th 2021. The incumbent EXCO led by Engr. Andrew M. Abanum PhD, FINSafetyE, ended her tenure of two years from the chapter's inauguration on September 21st, 2019 to December, 2021. The following EXCO were returned elected by the electoral committee led by Engr. Stephen O. Idiata, FNSE, FINSafetyE, ably represented by Engr. Benjamin U. Ozobeme, MNSE, MNISafetyE, secretary to the committee.

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| 1. Engr. Isaac Aikoroje | - Chairman |
| 2. Engr. Francis Etafo | - Vice Chairman |
| 3. Engr. Augustina Ovuema | - General Secretary |
| 4. Engr. Christy Ejabena | - Financial Secretary |
| 5. Engr. Moses Iwidiotu | - Treasurer |
| 6. Engr. Thomas Unuane | - Technical Secretary |
| 7. Engr. Dennis Ojianya | - Publicity Secretary |
| 8. Engr. Goodluck T.A. Owhodo | - Ex-officio 1 |
| 9. Engr. Benjamin Ozobeme | - Ex-officio 2 |
| 10. Engr. Andrew Abanum, PhD | - Immediate Past Chairman (IPC) |



Questions

The Big Interview

- The Immediate Past National Chairman shares his views about his tenure, the challenges and way forward.



1. Tell us about your journey into the field of Safety Engineering and NISafetyE

As a preamble, I want to thank the National Technical Secretary, Engr. Kayode Fowode. FNISafetyE for this novel initiative to do the maiden NISafetyE bulletin.

My journey into the field of safety engineering started by design. Originally, I studied Electrical/Electronic Engineering with specialization in Power Systems Engineering. My practical experience in United Geophysical Nigeria Ltd (UGNL) an oil and gas sector after my Masters degree in 1990 as a Seismic Observer in the Company's field offices at Maiduguri (Borno State), Brass, Yenegoa, Burutu (Rivers & Delta States) gave me the exposure to safety engineering practice as part of my daily job activities. This totally changed my perception about safety. When I left the company and joined Emenite Limited (a Belgian ETEX group of companies) in 1995, the safety knowledge I acquired then gave me an edge over other applicants and I was employed as an Assistant Manager, Health, Safety & Environment (HSE). In 1999, I was sent to London to pursue a diploma course

in International Safety Management at British safety Council. This changed my original interest entirely from Electrical engineering to Safety Engineering till date and for eighteen (18) years at the helm of affairs in the Safety, Health & Environment department of the Company reporting to the foreign Managing Director, I had the freedom to inculcate safety culture in more than three hundred (employees) of the company then. I thereafter rose to become a senior manager (HSE) traversing the entire nation and sharing my experiences with safety gurus in other companies. This passion of mine for safety eventually propelled my desire in looking for a way of internalizing safety in other people after I had left office and this gave rise to the conception and formation of this Institution, the Nigerian Institution of Safety Engineers (NISafetyE). I see this as my major contribution to the growth of Safety

engineering practice in Nigeria as we all work hard in creating the needed safety awareness and a safer work environment in Nigeria.

2. If you are to choose another profession beside Safety Engineering, what will it be and why?

My exposure to Safety Engineering has really changed my perception about everything I do in this life and I believe that no other profession can be more evolving and dynamic as safety engineering. I will rather choose it again and again and engage in another profession on part-time basis.

3. What skills do you consider the most important for anyone aspiring to become NISafetyE National Chairman?

It is important that anybody aspiring to be become the National Chairman of NISafetyE should be well-grounded in safety practice and knowledge so that he or she will have something

“ This passion of mine for safety eventually propelled my desire in looking for a way of internalizing safety in other people after I had left office and this gave rise to the conception and formation of this Institution, the Nigerian Institution of Safety Engineers (NISafetyE). ”

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to offer from his/her experience towards advancing the course of safety engineering in Nigeria. In addition, a potential national Chairman of NISafetyE shall be high analytical and problem-solving skills, open to learning, ICT literate, innovative, disciplined, humble, courageous, have good interpersonal skills and a willingness to work with people at all levels, have listening skill, and above all shall be accountable and not have the inordinate ambition of enriching himself/herself through that position.

4. What are the main challenges encountered during your tenure and how did you overcome them?

The major challenge during my tenure was the advent of the global COVID-19 pandemic that limited our physical incursion into the Nigerian populace and government. Again, the inability of some of our Executive members to show commitment in service and supportive was a real challenge as our service is all about team work. Finally, the inability of our members to live up to their financial obligation affected our progress somehow as we could not embark on some of our activities do to lean purse.

5. What will you consider the greatest success of the National Executive Committee during your tenure as National Chairman?

Our successes included the complete computerization of our database propelled by the advent of the global COVID-19 pandemic that limited physical contacts and public gatherings. Finally, our resolve to follow our bylaws to maintain internal harmony within the Institution is an unwritten success.

6. If you are to change anything today, what will you change?

I may not think of anything to change for now but I may advocate for a change in the way we handle our financial and non-financial members. Our finances must increase through membership dues and annual subscription as and when due.

7. How can Safety Engineers remain relevant in this modern world of work?

Lack of government's commitment to Safety or leadership by example in safety has been the mitigating factor against safety engineers' relevance in this modern world of work. If government pays lip service to safety engineering in Nigeria, then Nigerian safety engineer will find it difficult to practice. Imagine a country where there is no regulation in safety!

8. What advise do you have for the Newly Elected National Executive Committee Members and the present National Chairman?

An elevation to the Executive Committee of any professional body is an opportunity to contribute ones quota in his/her area of comparative advantage to the body. Call to service is a rare opportunity to make an indelible mark that can propel one to a higher calling within and without. So, I urge the present EXCO to make themselves available to make that mark, serving without minding who takes the glory which has been my personal resolve anywhere I see myself as a servant.

9. What is your advice to the newly inducted members into NISafetyE?

Membership of NISafetyE is like being adopted into the hall of fame of professionals. It is equally an opportunity to showcase one's specialty in a specialist group. I urge them to contribute their best not putting first what they will get from the Institution but what they will contribute to make their presence felt.

10. What is your advice to Young Safety Engineers?

My advice is that they should be patient to learn and climb the rope. They should not be nominal members- a critics, passive members or faultfinders but participate in the activities of their chapters and national always. They should remember that as Safety Engineers, they are the ombudsmen of all engineers and the public in their daily engineering practices. As young safety engineers, they should know that a patient dog eats the fattest bone and that the sky is their limit with evolving technologies. Safety remains the bedrock of engineering practice not only in Nigeria but globally.

Eko Electricity Distribution Company Plc (EKEDP) Enrols Twelve (12) Employees into NISafetyE Lagos State Chapter

As part of the drive to strengthen relationship with industry stakeholders, Eko Electricity



Distribution Company PLC (EKEDP) has enrolled twelve (12) of her personnel as members of NISafetyE Lagos State Chapter. This will help to facilitate the fulfilment of the expectations of interested parties, create mutual relationship that is required to deliver sustainable utility to our customers and highlights leadership commitment and involvement in HSE best practices - Timothy Aluko CMIOH, CSP



WALK AGAINST BUILDING COLLAPSE

The Nigerian Institution of Safety Engineers, Lagos Chapter (NISafetyE Lagos Chapter) joined the Building Collapse Prevention Guild (BCPG), The Nigerian Institute of Building (NIOB) and other stakeholders for a walk against building collapse on Saturday, March 12, 2022.

The Lagos State Chapter Chairman, Engr. Kayode Fowode joined the Ikeja walk together with other stakeholders to call for a STOP in building collapse.

The construction industry remains one of the high-risk sectors globally and over the years many

lives have been lost due to building collapsed. The Lagos State Chapter of NISafetyE, BCPG, NIOB and other stakeholders present jointly sensitise the general public and disseminate the following four (4) key messages :

1. Obey State Physical Planning Laws.
2. Engage competent registered professionals for your building projects.
3. Avoid use of substandard building materials.
4. If you see something wrong in a building, say something.

There were two marches in Lagos. One at Ikeja and the other in Ikoyi. Ikeja walk started from

Awolowo roundabout to Alausa, where an address was presented, and solidarity messages received at Ndubuisi Kanu Park. Ikoyi march commenced from Falomo roundabout.

It was a memorable moment for the Lagos State Chapter as we joined other Professionals and stakeholders to speak in one voice calling for a STOP in BUILDING COLLAPSE.

To know more about Nigerian Institution of Safety Engineers, Lagos Chapter future events and how to become a member of NISafetyE, please contact us via lagos@nिसafetye.com



The Technical Sessions

- How to effectively manage construction projects to prevent unwanted incidents.

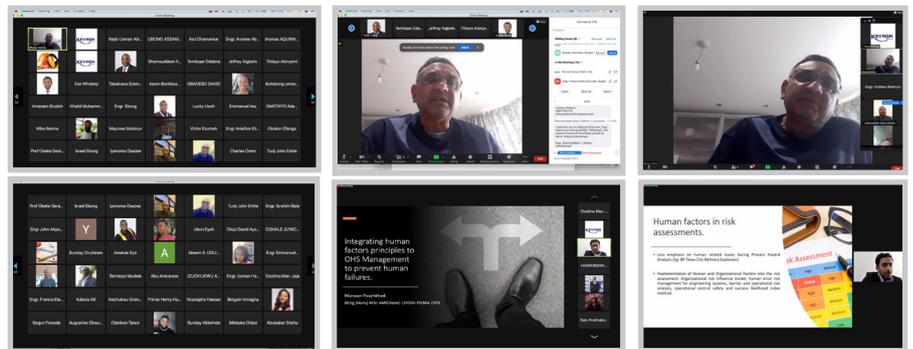


Bhanu Vekria
HSE Advisor / Coordinator for
Vascroft Contractors Ltd, UK.

The Technical session admits all NISafetyE members, Safety Engineers and anyone interested in the field of Safety Engineering. At this session, a presentation was delivered by Bhanu Vekria, the HSE Advisor / Coordinator for Vascroft Contractors Ltd, UK. The Presenter discussed on “**How to effectively manage construction to prevent unwanted incidents**”. The presenter discussed extensively on construction project safety

management and what it takes to achieve maximum safety performance on construction projects. He also explained the role of dutyholders on construction projects, accident prevention and the application of CDM 2015 on construction projects. Bhanu also educated members on CDM Regulations, human behaviour, use of scaffolds and culture conflicts, past incidents on site and lesson to learn from it.

NISafetyE continues to put the continuous professional development (CPD) of members a high priority. The first Quarterly National Technical Session was held on Saturday, March 5, 2022.



TGIF Virtual Hangout

- 4pm Friday Feb 11, 2022

An informal hangout session titled ‘**Thank God It’s Friday (TGIF)**’ was organised by the Lagos State Chapter Executive prior to their inauguration. The session was organised to introduce the Exco members to Lagos State Chapter Members and also hear from them. The session was to provide opportunity for the newly elected

Exco members to hear directly from members and understand how the Exco can serve them better. It was an insightful session where views on how to move the institution forward were shared by members. In attendance were guests from the UK, Qatar etc. The Pioneer National Chairman, Engr. Abiodun Oyedepo FNSE, FNISafetyE and major stakeholders spoke extensively on unity within the institution. The Lagos State Chapter Chairman Elect, Engr Kayode Fowode, MNSE, FNISafetyE and every newly elected executive duly introduced themselves and shared their views after which a closing remark was given by the newly elected chairman.



Technical Session / General Meeting Held in Lagos

The Lagos State Chapter held the

first Technical Session on Feb 19, 2022 at 13:00 West Central Africa.

In this session, a presentation was delivered by Mansoor Poozhithodi, AMICHEM, CFIOASH, PIEMA, CFPS.

Mansoor delivered a presentation on “**Human Factors Integration into OHS Management to Reduce Human Failures**”

Mansoor has 16 years of experience in civil, oil and gas, and utility industries. He is a Chartered Fellow of IOSH, Practitioner Member of IEMA,



Mansoor Poozhithodi,
AMICHEM, CFIOASH, PIEMA, CFPS.

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#BreakingtheBias



Miss Ezeafulukwe Peace Adetutu, GMNSE

1. Kindly introduce yourself and what you do

I am Ms Ezeafulukwe Peace Adetutu, GMNSE, a tenacious and energetic young lady passionate about Engineering, HSE and Entrepreneurship. My dream is to build a world class construction company that marries state-of-the-art technology with the built environment.

I am a founding partner of AfriCAD Alliance - a design and engineering startup that fosters pan-african collaboration and a cofounder of SkulToo - a digital marketing company. I have attended 2 custom-executive business trainings at Lagos Business School; and I am a McKinsey Scholar in the Forward Africa program, where I learnt to build necessary skills needed for the future of work. I am also currently building my Real Estate start-up called OpenHouse.

I am a graduate member of some professional bodies such as The Nigerian Society of Engineers (NSE) and a very active member of the Young Engineers Forum of Nigeria (YEFoN) Ikeja Branch. I am a member of the International Association of Engineers (IAENG), and most recently, a Graduate Member of the Nigerian Institution

of Safety Engineers (NISafetyE) Furthermore, I am a student of QHSES Academy, where I am learning the basics of Quality, Health, Safety, Environment and Sustainability so as to grow my safety career.

2. How did you get into Engineering?

I like to say Engineering chose me. I am second generation of Chimez International Company - an electrical merchandise and consulting enterprise. The typical family business gave me early exposure to construction sites and taught me the basics of measurements.

These burgeoned in me a love for structures, and I sought to learn how to see a project from start to finish. Hence, my career path was decided.

3. What's your core Engineering discipline?

Civil Engineering

4. Do you enjoy being an Engineer?

Sure I do. I am still learning the ropes, but it has been an amazing journey so far.

5. How did you get to join NISafetyE?

I registered to attend the inauguration when I saw the LinkedIn post by Engr. Lola Adetona, one engineer I look up to. Little did I know that I will get an opportunity to be a member.

When Engr. Messiah Ameh announced the opportunity on the YEFoN NSE Ikeja Branch platform, I grabbed it immediately

6. What do you think NISafetyE can do to aid #breakingthebias?

At the national level, we currently have less than 15% female representation as executives, although the Lagos chapter seems to be doing better, with about 45% female representation. Gender disparity in engineering is a missed opportunity for our

economy and an inefficient allocation of labour and talent. It has been proven that women's ability to wear different hats make them good leaders as they are able to quickly adjust to new situations and focus on finding solutions to real-life work issues.

NISafetyE can help #breakthebias by including more females in management positions.

7. What are your expectations as you joined NiSafetyE?

Safety is the bedrock of engineering. I look forward to an increased safety awareness, to see professionals spreading the safety gospel so that more and more engineers would understand the importance of imbibing a safety culture as this would drastically reduce accidents, hazards and project failures in the society thereby preserving lives and properties.

8. Advise for the leaders of the institution?

Leaders make leaders. My advice is for NISafetyE leaders to mentor younger professionals. We need role models to guide us as we progress in our careers. Specifically, leaders should invest in mentoring and coaching young talent. That way, the mantle of leadership can be passed on to a ready generation.

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Associate Member of IChemE, and Certified Fire Protection Specialist by NFPA. He is also a Member of the IOSH Council and a member of the IOSH Peer Review Interview Panel. The Presenter explained human factors in risk assessment, the integration of human factors principles to OHS Management to prevent human failures and Artificial Intelligence (AI) in addition to other areas discussed extensively.

THE NIGERIAN INSTITUTION OF SAFETY ENGINEERS 2022/2023 NATIONAL EXCO MEMBERS AND COMMITTEES

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National General Secretary
Monday 11th April, 2022

LATEST JOBS ON LINKEDIN

HSE Director Africa

Adexen Lagos, Nigeria On-site

Adexen was mandated by a multinational organization to recruit an experienced HSE Director to cover the entire African continent. The position is based in Lagos. Only applications through Adexen website will be considered for this job vacancy.

Responsibilities

- Responsible for coordinating and overseeing the management of the HSSE policies, standards and programs across the Group, Subsidiaries and Projects in Africa.
- Scope: +10 African countries
- Responsible for overseeing the formulation, facilitation and implementation of strategies, policies and frameworks that ensures that the HSE department effectively supports the business and contributes to the realisation of overall corporate objectives and goals
- Responsible for leading the development, execution, monitoring and measurement of the Group strategic sustainability initiatives
- Promotes and oversees compliance programs on HSE issues which are relevant for Africa
- Manages extensive interface with executive management, site operations management, lenders and investors, consultants, and regulatory agencies.
- Responsible for the development of the Sustainability Report
- Develop and drive the execution of the African Group's long-term Sustainability vision, mission and operating principles and HSSE strategic objectives and controls in line with the overall business objectives
- Foster a culture of Sustainability, including a strong Safety attitude, through regular intra-group communications and education
- Foster an atmosphere of openness and information sharing across the group with respect to HSSE matters
- Oversee initiatives in the areas of climate change, sustainable design of products and operations and supply chain
- Oversee the establishment of consistent, group-wide HSSE data management tracking systems and reporting framework and ensure appropriate internal controls, KPIs and measurement systems are in place to support Sustainability efforts
- Oversee the investigation of subsidiary HSSE incidents and accidents and ensure proper mitigation action plans are put in place.

Qualifications

- Bachelor's Degree in Science, Environmental Science, Environmental Policy, Engineering or HSSE related discipline
 - Master's Degree is preferred
 - Minimum 10+ years as a HSE Director in a large multinational organization with different Business units (BUs) and operating large manufacturing plants in relevant industries (oil & gas / chemical / manufacturing / cement / FMCG)
 - Multi-country responsibilities is a plus
 - Operational experience in emerging countries, preferably in Africa
 - Excellent technical knowledge of key HSSE issues, standards and practices across a spectrum including development projects and operations
 - Demonstrated success in improving HSSE performance and establishing best practices across a large multinational organization
 - Possess a sound understanding of HSSE policies and objectives
 - Demonstrated ability to deliver results, create value and drive continuous performance improvement
 - Experienced in developing and implementing HSSE policies, plans and Integrated Management Systems according to IFC Performance Standards and ISO14001/ISO45001 international standards
 - In-depth knowledge of HSSE regulations and compliance strategies
 - Track record in influencing positive organizational change
 - Management experience of a large multicultural team
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Head of Product Safety & Risk Management - Urgent Hiring

Siemens Gamesa Renewable Energy Lagos, Lagos, Nigeria On-site

Some of your key tasks will include but not be limited to:

- Define the Product Safety principles and goals for SGRE and the specific ones for each platform in cooperation with SGRE Business Unit platform owners, including development of tools and equipment for new product introduction in factories, projects, and service activities.
- Ensure setup of Senior HSE Engineers to support safety engineers to product workstreams and gate approvals.
- Ensure each Business Unit implements the organizational and supervisory duties in accordance with SGRE product safety principles and goals
- Ensure that the product safety system is regularly assessed for completeness and effectiveness, and that requirements for product safety related auditing are implemented
- Ensure definition and implementation of a competence management and training system for product safety.
- Ensure that necessary corrective measures are properly dealt with and implemented.
- Define SGRE Health Safety & Environment (HSE) Crisis Management setup.
- Ensure together with the country HSE officers that mandatory procedures for notification of authorities are known and applied in case of incidents.
- Ensure HSE support to Real Estate activities.

- Set SGRE aviation policy and standard
- Lead national / international product safety networks and communities
- Govern the processes defined for effective product safety related customer requirements management, including active product monitoring.
- Ensure and control implementation of product safety related quality methods and risk management.

Manager – Health, Safety & Environment at Promasidor Nigeria

Promasidor Lagos, Lagos, Nigeria On-site

Education & Experience

- Bachelor's Degree in Occupational Health, Safety Management, Environmental Sciences, or other relevant technical degrees, with minimum of Second-Class honors upper division.

Knowledge & Skills

- Very excellent computer skills with vast knowledge on Microsoft office packages
- Must have a very good management skill
- Sound knowledge global best practices in HSE.

Personal Attributes

- Must possess excellent communication skill.
- Must be able to function effectively in a team structure.
- Must be able to effectively plan and make a change process.

Flour Mill of Nigeria Plc Recruitment for HSE Supervisor, Mills Project Start Now

Flour Mill Of Nigeria Plc Lagos, Lagos, Nigeria On-site

Purpose of the Job

- To further FMN PLC's commitment to improving Health, Safety, and Environment (HSE) performance by facilitating adherence to health safety and environment objectives and compliance with local regulatory requirements, to prevent injury and maintain a safe working environment

The Job

- Provide support to Project teams in all aspects of safety, health, and environmental issues
- Coordinate with the Project team in periodic project works briefings
- Assist in the management of contractors on site
- Carry out a detailed risk assessment of all works to be executed by Projects contractors' personnel based on communicated methods statement, and communicate the developed Risk Assessment and Method Statements (RAMS) to the contractors and the HSE Manager
- Liaise with the HSE Manager on review and approval of submitted RAMS for all project works
- Process appropriate permit to work for approved RAMS of all authorized works and ensure each permit is validated and available on a daily basis
- Enforce all agreed RAMS safety controls and site safety rules on all contractor personnel and sites
- Identify, correct, and report all safety observations and incidents that may occur at Projects sites to the FOPS HSE Manager
- Enforce stop-work orders on all works assessed to be risky in liaison with the FOPS HSE Manager
- Report all safety, health, and environmental concerns to the FOPS HSE Manager.
- B.Sc / HND in Engineering or Environmental Sciences, and Occupational Health and Safety qualification (HSE Level 3).
- NEBOSH certificate or other HSE professional courses, membership of the Institute of Safety Professionals of Nigeria (ISPON) will be an advantage
- 3 years of HSE work experience in FMCG, Construction, or Oil/Gas

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- Experience of providing detailed interpretation and guidance of key legislative regulations (e.g. Control of Major Accident Hazards)
- Hold, or is willing to obtain, NEBOSH Diploma
- Hold, or is willing to obtain Level 2 assessor competence where required
- Grounding in quality management principles
- Experience of food safety regulations, HACCP and related management systems would be advantageous

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