

BDS 16th SUPERVISING ENGINEERS' FORUM

Thursday 7th September 2023

Advance Notice and Call for Presentations

The BDS 16th Supervising Engineers' Forum is to take place on Thursday 7th September 2023 at the National Conference Centre, Solihull.

The Forum will be of interest to Supervising Engineers, other Panel Engineers, Undertakers, and all those involved in dam safety together with trainee Supervising Engineers and students.

Whilst sessions are yet to be finalised, they will cover the following topic areas: -

- Update on enforcement and compliance
- Updates in legislation and in particular On-Site Plans
- The role of the Supervising Engineer and any potential changes
- Incidents and lessons learnt
- Matters concerning Undertakers
- Industry, research and future direction
- The panel application process, first time and re-appointments

You are invited to submit a brief synopses (no more than 500 words) outlining the content for a presentation relating to one of the above-mentioned themes, or any other topic, that may be directly applicable to Supervising Engineers or Undertakers. There will be a maximum time limit of 12 minutes per presentation. The presentation sessions are expected to be followed by an open forum discussion.

All submissions are to be forwarded to David Rebollo by email (david.rebollo@mottmac.com)

The closing date for submission of synopses will be **Friday 7 July 2023**. Authors of those synopses that are short-listed will be contacted and final presentations requested. The closing date for submission of final presentations will be **Thursday 24 August 2023**.

Registration is expected to open in Spring 2023 and all delegates will need to register.

Further information regarding the forum and registration requirements will be provided on the BDS website (http://www.britishdams.org)