

THE INSTITUTE OF CHARTERED SHIPBROKERS LONDONAND SOUTH EAST BRANCH

J.I.M lecture Evening

When

Monday 07 October 2019, onboard for 1730 starting at 1815

Where:

HQS Wellington, Temple Stairs, Victoria Embankment, WC2R 2PN.

Nearest London Underground Station: Temple

"APPLICATION OF IMO GOAL BASED STANDARDS TO THE REVISION OF SOLAS CONVENTION"

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IMO is in the process of carrying out a major revision of the regulations governing Life Saving Appliances contained Chapter of the Safety of Life at Sea Convention. The current regulations are almost without exception prescriptive regulations developed in response to the proven or perceived causes of previous incidents or accidents.

The Revision takes into account the Guidelines for developing IMO goal-based regulations, adopted by IMO for the development of Instruments using a risk-based approach.

The talk will illustrate the difference between prescriptive regulations and goal-based regulations and include a description of how an acceptable level of risk to seafarers in the operation of life-saving equipment is established.

This will be followed by a critical analysis of the challenges faced in adapting to the novel goal-based approach in IMO rule -making in an attempt to develop regulations which are flexible enough to accommodate for new designs and equipment while ensuring to keep the risk is a low as reasonably practical for ships and their crew.

Joint informal meetings [J.I.M] are a series of maritime lectures hosted by the Honourable Company of Master Mariners and organised with the Nautical Institute, Institute of Marine Science and Engineering, Royal Institute of Naval Architects, Royal Institute of Navigation, British Association of Cargo Surveyors, London Branch of the Institute of Chartered Shipbrokers and the International Cargo Handling Co-ordination Association.

These lectures are free to attend and no booking is required. They are held onboard HQS Wellington the white ship moored on Victoria Embankment opposite Temple tube station.