

# TWO-DAY COURSE ON "TECHNICAL WRITING FOR ENGINEERS AND TECHNICAL PERSONNELS"

# **SPEAKER:**

# Ir. DANARAJ A/L CHANDRASEGARAN

Date
Venue
Time

: 16<sup>TH</sup> – 17<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2019 (Monday & Tuesday)

: TUS Lecture Room, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Wisma IEM, Petaling Jaya

: 9.00 a.m. – 4.45 p.m.

BEM Approved CPD/PDP Hours: 12.5 Hours (IEM19/HQ/497/C)

### CLOSING DATE:

9<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2019

OR if the Seminar Reach its Target Registered Participants NO <u>ONLINE/OFFLINE</u> Registration will be allowed after the Closing Date

Organized by: Oil Gas and Mining Technical Division (OGMTD), IEM

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"IEM reserves the right to alter or cancel the programme due to unforeseen circumstances at its discretion'. For intending participants who choose to 'walk in without prior registration', IEM SHALL NOT be responsible for any direct or consequential losses". **Ir. Danaraj Chandrasegaran** P.Eng MIEM CEng MIMechE. He is a Chartered Engineer and has honours degree in Mechanical Engineering from University of Technology Malaysia. He also holds a MEng degree in Mechanical Engineering from University of Malaya. He also presently a committee member with The Institution of Engineers Malaysia and Institution of Mechanical Engineers (UK) Malaysia Chapter.

Since starting his career as a Mechanical Engineer, Ir. Danaraj has had a varied service; both in front line project in technical, training, execution as well as and management functions. His career has a diverse outlook on project execution ranging from building construction, marine, mining and energy industry; as a mechanical engineer. He has worked on several large scale projects worldwide such as Shell Malikai TLP and Barzan Offshore Project. In addition, had edited and completed many large writing projects such technical reports, operating manuals and technical papers in the oil and gas industry.



This two day course is designed to help you develop skills that will enable you to produce clear and effective technical documents. We will focus on the basic principles of good writing which technical writing shares with other forms of writing and on types of documents common in technical fields and organizations. While the emphasis will be on writing of technical information, oral communication will also form an important component of the course as well.

Participants learn the protocol for proper technical report writing. Subjects include punctuation, grammar and research techniques, as well as the creation of title pages, tables of contents, format pages, glossaries and appendices. It will also cover other common engineering documents such as specifications, technical reports, operating manuals and emails. The workshop will also emphasize style, tone and the importance of writing in plain, comprehensible English.

As a great deal of class time will be spent in a variety of interactive formats, active participation is essential.

## Learning Outcomes

At the end of the course delegates will:

- understand the benefits and challenges of effective technical writing
- be aware of the fundamental concepts of writing as a communication skill
- know how to plan their document for maximum effect
- be able to write in a style that is clear and appropriate
- be able to use punctuation correctly and effectively
- appreciate the importance of a document review
- know how to use social media for professional networking

## Why this course?

• Excellent Value

•Detailed guide book and templates for continuous learning and improvements

- Practical learning approach using latest tools
- Limited class size to ensure quality delivery
- Helps you to develop your own personal branding

# TENTATIVE PROGRAMME

TIME (DAY 1)	PROGRAMME
08:30 - 09:00	Registration and Welcome Coffee / Tea
09:00 – 09:30	Ice breaking session
09:30 - 10:30	Understanding Technical Writing
10:30 - 10:45	Morning Tea Break
<u> 10:45 – 11:30</u>	Understanding Technical Writingcon't.
<u> 11:30 – 13:00</u>	Common Problems and Writing Styles
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 15:45	Grammar, Punctuation and Capitalization
15:45 - 16:00	Tea Break
<u> 16:00 – 16:45</u>	Workgroup 2

TIME (DAY 2)	PROGRAMME
08:30 - 09:00	Registration and Welcome Coffee / Tea
09:00 - 09:30	Writing correspondences (emails, letters)
09:30 - 10:30	Using social media in work – LinkedIn, FB
10:30 - 10:45	Morning Tea Break
10:45 - 11:30	Workgroup 3
<b>11:30 – 13:00</b>	Writing Specifications, Reports
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch
14:00 - 15:45	Workgroup 4
15:45 - 16:00	Tea Break
<u> 16:00 – 16:45</u>	Q&A/ Feedback/ Summary

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	+ 6% SST			
	TOTAL PAYABLE			

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Cash RM

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