

StormGeo 2013 Weather Seminar

Wednesday 30th of October 2013

12:00-16:00 Stavanger



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We have the pleasure of inviting you to the StormGeo 2013 Weather Seminar. StormGeo will have the spotlight on critical issues and updates on safety, cost effectiveness and risk in weather sensitive operations offshore. Please join us in Stavanger for this half-day seminar.

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| 11:30-12:00 | Doors open. Coffee/tea served |
| 12:00-12:30 | Lunch and Welcome |
| 12:30-13:00 | Decision support for sensitive operations. When weather really matters. Kristen Myklebust Ravnestad, Meteorologist and Weather Presenter |
| 13:00-13:30 | Environmental challenges and regulatory compliance in the offshore sector. Kirsti Natvig, Chief Engineer, Section for the Oil and Gas Industry, The Norwegian Environment Agency |
| 13:30-13:45 | Coffee/tea break |
| 13:45-14:15 | Monitoring the ocean, protecting the environment. Hilde Holdhus, M.Sc. Oceanography and Business Developer |
| 14:15-14:45 | Sea ice and icebergs in the Arctic, a challenge for offshore activities. Stein Sandven, Director Nansen Center |
| 14:45-15:00 | Coffee break |
| 15:00-15:30 | Challenging the Arctic weather. Erik Kolstad, PhD Meteorology |
| 15:30-16:00 | 15 years of fame and the future of weather forecasting. Siri Kalvig, Co-founder of StormGeo and Meteorologist |
| 16:00 | End |



Siri Kalvig
StormGeo

15 years of fame and the future of weather forecasting.

When StormGeo first launched their weather services for the offshore industry the competitors was fax and telex information. Over these 15 years weather forecasting has seen a tremendous technical development, both in visual presentation and content. But what are the next steps within the offshore weather forecast area?



Stein Sandven
Nansen Center (NERSC)

Sea ice and icebergs in the Arctic, a challenge for offshore activities.

The Nansen Center is an independent non-profit research foundation. The Center conducts basic and applied environmental and climate research and operational monitoring and forecasting services of ocean circulation, water masses, ocean surface conditions, sea ice and biological/chemical constituents in the Arctic.



Kirsti Natvig
The Norwegian Environment Agency

Environmental challenges and regulatory compliance in the offshore sector.

The Norwegian Environment Agency has a key role towards the Oil & Gas sector in nature management and pollution control. What are the new regulatory requirements and the Agency's expectations to operators in vulnerable areas? The presentation will address risks related to spills and challenges new to the Norwegian shelf, like oil-in-ice.



Hilde Holdhus
StormGeo

Monitoring the ocean, protecting the environment.

Drilling in sensitive areas requires high quality knowledge about the physical environment to avoid damage on the organisms living in it. How can the O&G industry meet requirements to reduce environmental risk in areas with little available information? Can real-time monitoring help to reduce risk?



Kristen R. Myklebust
StormGeo

Decision support for sensitive operations. When weather really matters.

Planning and executing weather sensitive operations offshore. StormGeo will share our experience on how we can best contribute to ensure efficient and safe execution of offshore operations. Marine forecaster Kristen Ravnestad Myklebust shares his experience from Onsite Operations.



Erik Kolstad
StormGeo

Challenging the Arctic weather.

The offshore industry has a long history in handling risk and to prepare for what is coming. Will they meet new weather challenges moving to the Barents and Arctic areas? And how well are we able to forecast for these areas?

Venue: Solastrand Gård, Nordsjøvegen 299, 4053 Ræge, Stavanger - 3 minutes by car from the airport ► [Map!](#)