



C-XIV Education and Training

Agenda Annual Assembly 2024

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Comments: Meeting to be held face to face

1. Agenda of the meeting to be held in Rhodes, Tuesday 9th of July

09:00-09:15	Welcome, apologies, approval of minutes, approval of agenda and review anti-trust policy	Carl Peters Chair of C-XIV
09:15-09:45	Development and Implementation of Virtual Reality Labs in Welding: an example of multi-disciplinary collaboration at University West	Asun Valiente Associate Professor University West (Sweden)
09:45-10:25	Sub commission C-XIVA explained. Open discussion on its purpose and objectives	Aimee SCHMELZER CEO Artwelding GmbH President SVS, Swiss Welding Association, Chair C-XIVA (Switzerland)
10:25-10:45	Austria's Dual Education System, a WorldSkills journey and the transition to Industry	Daniel SCHINAGL Global Supplier Quality Management: Palfinger AG (Austria)
10:45-11:15	Break	
11:15-11:45	Attracting and Developing Young Talent	Patricio MENDEZ Professor: University of Alberta Director: Canadian Center for Welding and Joining (Canada)
11:45-12:15	Attracting the Next Generation in SE Asia	Steve SNYDER Regional Director, Welding Technology: American Welding Society (Indonesia)
12:15-12:45	Use of Welding Cameras in Education and Industry	Juha KAUHANEN Savo Vocational School:(MEng) representing Cavitar Ltd./Arcless Academy (Finland)

12:45-13:00	Updates from the IIW Secretariat	Elisabetta SCIACCALUGA IIW Technical Manager (Italy)
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2. Agenda of the meeting to be held on Wednesday 10th of July 2024

09:00-09:15	The newly created IIW Charity Fund	Bob SHAW IIW VP, IIW BOD (USA)
09:15-09:45	Preparing Students for Welder Certification Tests	Rick POLANIN Professor: Illinois Central College President: WRP Associates CoPI, The National Center for Welding Education (USA)
09:45-10:15	Attracting the Next Generation at Caterpillar Inc	Don STICKEL Manufacturing Engineering Fellow, integrated Components and Solutions: Caterpillar Inc. (USA)
10:5-110:45	Private Industry Attracting the Next Generation	Benjamin GERHARDS (IWE) Head of Research and Development Product Manager Local Vacuum (Germany)
10:45-11:15	break	
11:15-11:45	Establishing an Effective Safety Program	David WERBA Mgr., Product Design Compliance/Sr. Electrical Engineer: Miller Electric Mfg. LLC. Chair of C-VIII (USA)
11:45-12:15	Advancing Additive Manufacturing Education for Global and Societal Challenges	Adelaide ALMEIDA Education Products Division Manager: European Welding Federation (Portugal)
12:15-12:45	University of Alberta’s Welding Program	Patricio MENDEZ Professor: University of Alberta Director: Canadian Center for Welding and Joining (Canada)
12:45-12:55	Welding in the World	Video
12:55-13:00	Close	Carl PETERS

