

Global Underwater Hub

Moorings and Anchors Conference & Workshop 2026

Thursday, 19 March 2026

Dynamic Earth, Edinburgh



Global Underwater Hub
is the leading trade and
industry development
body for the UK's
underwater sectors.

Owned and governed by industry, Global Underwater Hub represents, promotes and supports all sectors of the underwater industry. As the UK's underwater industry organisation, we support our member companies by enabling access to market opportunities, expertise, contacts and specialist support to accelerate market growth and build value.

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The GUH Moorings and Anchors Conference & Workshop brings together industry leaders to explore the full life cycle of moorings systems through a mix of technical presentations, panel discussions and workshop sessions.

Entering its third year after sell-outs in 2024 and 2025, the programme once again focuses on real-world opportunities, challenges and emerging solutions as offshore projects in multiple sectors move into deeper waters.

The conference programme in 2026 will include specific topics covering rope systems, connecting and tensioning and O&M and monitoring. Benefitting from a presentation programme and opportunities to network and workshop through a high knowledge base of attendees, this conference aims to drive forward and lead the discussion on key industry opportunities and challenges.

The confirmed delegate list continues to grow and includes representation from across the operator, developer, funding, manufacturer, installer, project management and operations ecosystem.

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| 08:30 | Registration, coffee and networking |
| 09:00 – 09:15 | Welcome, strategic focus, market and moorings forum Global Underwater Hub |
| 09:15 – 09:25 | Moorings as a focused for industry support Offshore Wind Growth Partnership |
| 09:25 – 09:35 | Insight spotlight – an operations perspective Adura and First Marine Solutions |
| 09:35 – 09:45 | Sponsor spotlight Port of Aberdeen |
| 09:45 – 11:10 | Session one and workshop – Rope and hybrid mooring solutions BEXCO, Lankhorst, DNV, Tadek |
| 11:10 – 11:20 | Insight spotlight Semar, DOF |
| 11:20 – 11:50 | Networking break |
| 11:50 – 13:05 | Session two and workshop – Connect/disconnect and Tensioning Encomara, Flintstone Technology, GWEC, Quoceant, Stiesdal Offshore |
| 13:15 – 14:15 | Lunch |
| 14:15 – 14:25 | Insight spotlight Reflex Marine |
| 14:25 – 15:50 | Session three and workshop – Operations & maintenance and monitoring GUH, 4Subsea, Principle Power, Crondall Energy |
| 15:50 – 15:55 | Closing comments |
| 15:55 | Networking |

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Confirmed speakers

Delegates to the **Moorings and Anchors Conference & Workshop 2026** on Thursday, 19 March will hear from representatives of the following organisations.



Future events from Global Underwater Hub

Global Underwater Hub organises a series of events throughout the year, bringing together businesses to discuss key industry topics. Full event information, including booking details and calls for abstracts can be found on our website at www.globalunderwaterhub.com, where you can also sign up to receive our weekly e-newsletter.

Offshore Structural Integrity Management

Wednesday, 22 April 2026 | [The Chester Hotel, Aberdeen](#)

This conference will explore the harsh offshore environment, managing the structural integrity of fixed, floating and subsea structures is a key requirement as owners consider their future, be it to safe and continuous late-life production, re-use for energy transition applications such as carbon capture or preparing for decommissioning and removal.



Subsea Cable Insurance Conference & Workshop 2026

Wednesday, 20 May 2026 | [Hilton Canary Wharf, London](#)

Returning for its fourth edition, the conference will once again convene representatives from across the subsea cabling, offshore energy and insurance sectors. Topics expected to be discussed include: failure modes – physical and electrical; interventions; monitoring; and insurance.



Underwater Robotics Conference 2026

Tuesday, 30 June 2026 | [Murrayfield Stadium, Edinburgh](#)

This established annual conference is focused on the development and application of underwater robotic technology. The one-day event is set to explore topics including data acquisition, AI and interpretation; regulation and insurance; seabed crawlers and intervention; and the new wave of developments and the challenges and opportunities they bring.



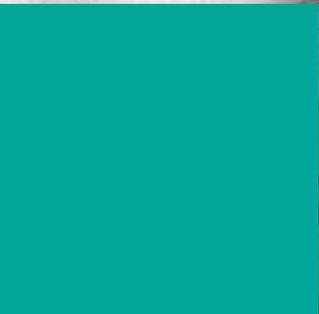
Led and governed by industry, Global Underwater Hub is helping to transform the UK's underwater industry into one of the largest and fastest-growing industries in the country, accelerating the drive to net-zero and creating high value jobs and exports.

With offices in Aberdeen, Newcastle and Bristol, Global Underwater Hub is well placed to support its members across the United Kingdom.



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