

PRESIDENT'S NIGHT

Thursday 17 October 2019

By Martin Gough, HTS President 2019/20

One man's contribution to the field of enhanced heat transfer

A need... a challenge... an opportunity... 'A Mission'... So how can you spend nearly 40 years following this pursuit and still find it interesting?

Martin is Founder and Managing Director of CALGAVIN Limited, formed in 1980 to research and develop thermal solutions to improve the performance of tubular heat exchangers and reactors. He developed the now widely used hiTRAN tube-side enhancement systems.

On what will surely be an entertaining and colourful stroll through a rich and deep history of the heat transfer industry, and in his own indefatigable manner, Martin will talk about aspects of technology development and application engineering. From humble beginnings to what has now become a science and research lead business of the future.

Martin will punctuate his presentation with images of the past when international communication was by telex, slide rules were in vogue, the first 386 chip computer arrived and even before HSE was considered to be important!! Digression and even touches of nostalgia will undoubtedly ensue.

Martin will idiosyncratically finish the evening with a toast to British Manufacturing and Engineering and to the future of the United Kingdom.

The meeting will start at 7pm with a buffet from 6.00pm.

Refreshments and buffet will be kindly provided by Cal Gavin Ltd.

Venue is **The Barley Mow,** 104 Horseferry Road, Westminster, London, SW1P 2EE. Nearest stations are St James's Park and Victoria

Future events.

- AGM, London, 3 March 2020
- Annual Dinner, London, 27 March 2020

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