



ADVANCED JOINING PROCESSES COURSE

COURSE STRUCTURE

Online / Live Stream
6, 7, 8 and 12, 13, 14 april 2021

Part A – Welding (2 days)

1. Laser welding (8h – 6th April) – Arnold Gillner

Laser welding fundamentals – Arnold Gillner

- Laser radiation
- Laser types
- Laser beam propagation
- Interaction between Laser radiation and materials

90min

Break

10min

Laser beam welding of metals - micro and macro – Arnold Gillner and Olowinsky

- Laser welding principles for metals
- Process variants
- Basic conditions
- Requirements for metal components
- Typical applications

90min

Break

45min

Laserwelding of polymers – Arnold Gillner and Brosda

- Optical properties of polymers
- Process variants
- Possible combinations of polymer
- Applications

30min

Hybrid joining processes – Arnold Gillner and Van der Straeten

- Special aspects of a hybrid connection
- Physical and mechanical requirements
- Technical approaches
- Applications

45min

Break

10min

Process monitoring – Arnold Gillner and Abels

- Goal of process monitoring
- Introduction to error definitions
- Suitable approaches and sensors for process monitoring
- Industrial implementation

45min

Break

10min

LIVE - Labtour laser welding – Arnold Gillner and Brosda

- Guided tour through the laboratories
- Explanation of typical laser welding equipment
- Demonstration of a LIVE welding
- Explanation and demonstration of analysis methods
- Questions and answers

60min

Conclusion and Outlook – Arnold Gillner

- Laser safety
- Future developments
- Summary
- Discussion

45min

2. Weld manufacturing, design and analysis (8h – 7th April) – Gregory Glinka and Rakesh Goyal

Weld Manufacturing – Rakesh Goyal

- Overview of welding processes
- Welding Symbols – Interpretation and most common challenges
- Welding Standards – Brief overview of various International Weld Standards
- Welding Terminology – Weld joint types
- Evaluate design for manufacturing/welding
- Weld Quality and WPS/PQR

80min

Break

10min

<p>Static Design Welded Structures - Rakesh Goyal</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Static Strength analysis of welded joints • Stress concentration and stress distribution in welded joints • Weld design – International standards (AWS and ISO) • Determination of weld size – Butt, lap and T-joint 	45min
<p>Residual Stress and Distortion - Rakesh Goyal</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Residual Stress and distortion – What, how and why • Controlling residual stresses and distortion in Welds • Modeling and simulation to determine residual stress and distortion • Systematic accounting of residual stress in fatigue design 	45min
Break	30min
<p>Fatigue Design of Welded Structures - Gregory Glinka</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to modes of failure • Loads and Stresses in welded structures • Stress concentration for welded joints • Contemporary fatigue analysis methods 	90min
Break	10min
<p>Nominal Stress Method - Gregory Glinka</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wohler's Fatigue Test • The Minor's rule • Fatigue design codes and standards for weldments • Ambiguity of the Nominal stress definition for weldments 	30min
<p>Local Strain Life Method - Gregory Glinka</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Basic Concept of the ϵ-N Method • The mean stress effect • The Neuber and ESED rule • The load sequence effect • Example case study 	45min
Break	10min
<p>Fracture Mechanics Method - Gregory Glinka</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basics of Linear Fracture Mechanics • Determination of Stress Intensity Factors • Fatigue Crack Growth Analysis • Example case study 	45min
<p>Fatigue Life Improvement of Welded Joints - Rakesh Goyal</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Critical factors affecting fatigue life of weld joints • Design against fatigue fracture • Fatigue life improvement techniques - Brief • High Frequency Mechanical Impact Treatment • Ultrasonic Impact Treatment (UIT) • Design, Manufacturing and Quality considerations 	40min

Part B – Mechanical Joining (2 and 1/2 days)

3. Friction stir welding (8h - 8th April) – Reza Beygi and Krishna Kishore Mugada

<p>Introduction - Reza Beygi</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Process definition • Applications • Comparison with fusion welding • Load and torque during welding • Heat generation during welding • Weld structure • Material flow • Advantages 	50min
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Break	10min
FSW tools - Krishna Kishore Mugada	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tool materials • Tool geometries • Tool Design-Shoulder design, pin design, and geometric parameters • Case study: Tool geometry effect on material flow in FSW of 6082 Al alloy 	50min
FSW variants - Reza Beygi and Krishna Kishore Mugada	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • COM-stir™ • Skew-stir and its variants • Dual-stir • Re-stir • twin-stir™ • Stationary shoulder FSW • Bobbin tool FSW 	20min
Friction stir based processes - Krishna Kishore Mugada	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Friction stir processing • Friction stir additive manufacturing • Friction stir forming • Friction stir spot welding • Friction stir channeling 	40min
Applications - Krishna Kishore Mugada	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FSW applications 	10min
Weld design - Reza Beygi	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Weld configuration • Adjusting the process for each configuration 	20min
Break	10min
Industrial Lecture or Lab demonstration - Industry	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practical case study 	30min
FSW machines - Reza Beygi	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Types of machines • Load and torque measurement techniques • Controlling techniques 	20min
Friction stir spot welding - Reza Beygi	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic FSSW • Refill FSW • Stich FSSW • Swept FSSW 	20min
Break	30min
Joining of similar materials - Reza Beygi	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aluminum alloys • Copper alloys • Magnesium alloys • Steels 	60min
Simulation of FSW - Krishna Kishore Mugada	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Simulation of FSW 	30min
Break	10min
Joining of dissimilar materials - Reza Beygi and Krishna Kishore Mugada	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aluminum-steel • Aluminum-copper • Aluminum-magnesium • Aluminum-titanium 	70min



4. Design and analysis of bolted joints (8h - 12th April) - Sayed Nassar

Torque-Tension Relationship	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bolted System Variables Brief overview of Bolting Terminology and specifications Motosh Model, Torque Components Joint Testing, signature, and Joint Diagram 	70min
Break	10min
Process Control Methods	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Torque-control Torque-Angle control Torque-to-yield control Bolt stretch control 	50min
Break	10min
Analysis of Bolted Systems	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Elastic Interaction (1-pass, 2-pass) Static Loading of Bolted Systems Joint Diagram Fatigue Loading of Bolted Systems 	60min
Break	30min
Fatigue Design of Bolted Systems	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brief Overview of Metal Fatigue Effect of Bolt Mean Stress Fatigue Stress Concentration in Threaded Fasteners Importance of Initial Bolt Preload Fatigue Safety Factor 	70min
Break	10min
Vibration Loosening of Bolted Systems	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Intro to Vibration Loosening Junker Test Analytical Models for Bolt Loosening Loosening variables (preload level, pitch, clearances, friction, ...) Loosening Analysis Software 	70min
Break	10min
Corrosion of Bolted Systems	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Concept of Corrosion Battery Types of Corrosion Battery Stress Corrosion Cracking (SCC) Corrosion Protection 	50min
Break	10min
Selection of Bolt Preload Level	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strength consideration (service loads, static, fatigue, SCC, ...) Reliability of Control Method at initial assembly Type/nature/consequence of failure 	30min

5. Deformation assisted joining - overview (4h - 13th April) - Paulo Martins

Introduction	10min
Joining mechanisms	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Force-closed 	50min
Break	5min

Joining mechanisms

- Form-closed
- Material-closed

50min

Break

5min

Joining of tubes

- Rolling
- Crimping
- Hydroforming
- Electromagnetic forming
- Plastic instability

25min

Joining of sheets

- Hemming
- Clinching
- Sheet-bulk forming
- Magnetic pulse welding

25min

Break

10min

Joining of sheets to tubes

- Rolling
- Ironing
- Electromagnetic expansion
- Hydroforming
- Plastic instability
- Boss forming and upsetting
- Sheet squeezing

20min

Joining of sheets to rods

- Thermal expansion-contraction
- Boss forming and upsetting
- Sheet squeezing
- Cross rolling

20min

Riveting

- Solid punch riveting
- Self-pierce riveting
- Double-sided self-pierce riveting

20min

Part C – Adhesive Bonding (1 and 1/2 day)

6. Introduction and overview (4h - 13th April) - Lucas da Silva

Introduction

- Applications
- Technologies involved
- Advantages
- Disadvantages

30min

Theory of Adhesion

- Forces involved
- Surface roughness
- Phase change
- Wetting
- Spreading
- Theories of adhesion

30min

Break

20min

<p>Adhesive selection</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Classification • Composition • Hardening • Epoxies • Polyurethanes • Acrylics • Phenolics • Polyaromatics • Selection process 	40min
<p>Joint design</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stress analysis • Failure modes • Failure criteria • Optimisation • Tubular joints • T joints • Corner joints • Jointdesigner 	40min
Break	20min
<p>Surface treatment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Characteristics that affect adhesion • General principles • Importance • Assessment • Selection • Methods 	20min
<p>Fabrication</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Steps • Storage • Metering and mixing • Adhesive application • Fixturing of parts • Hardening • Safety and environment 	20min
<p>Control</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Destructive tests • Non-destructive tests • Post-fracture tests 	20min

7. Functionally graded joints (2h - 14th April) - Eduardo Marques

<p>Introduction</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Concept definition • Ideal stress distributions • Substrate vs adhesive grading • Main advantages and limitations • Practical uses 	30min
<p>Graded joint design theory</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Analytical models • Numerical models • Optimization strategies 	30min
Break	10min

Comparison of practical techniques

- Mixed adhesive joint
- Differentiated adhesive curing
- Resin/hardener ratio control
- Particle addition
- Adherend toughening
- Composite layup control
- Additively manufactured substrates

50min

8. The behaviour of adhesives under impact loads (2h - 14th April) - Eduardo Marques

Introduction

- Impact loads in adhesive joint
- Bonded structures in the automotive industry
- The challenge of modern adhesives
- Key competences for designing impact resistant joints
- Design of impact testing equipment

10min

Adhesive characterization and joint testing under impact loads

- Tensile testing under impact
- Shear testing under impact
- Fracture toughness testing under impact
- Mixed mode fracture toughness testing under impact
- Single lap joint testing
- Component level testing

30min

Break

20min

Numerical simulation under large strain rates

- Strain rate definition
- Strain rate in material characterization tests
- Procedures for strain rate control
- Cohesive zone modelling under impact
- Strain rate dependent cohesive zone element design

30min

Case study in joint design for the automotive industry

- Typical design brief
- Adhesive selection
- Surface treatment selection
- Material property determination
- Joint design using numerical tools
- Design validation activities
- Design for manufacturing

30min

9. Fatigue of adhesive joints (4h - 14th April) - Alireza Akhavan-Safar

S-N methodology in fatigue life assessment of adhesive joints

- Experimental procedures (Different test approaches, Effects of load level, mode mixity, Properties degradation, etc.)
- Post processing approaches (L-N and S-N diagrams, Effective stresses and how they should be obtained, and how to construct a master curve out of the raw data?)
- Total fatigue life estimation in real adhesive joints using S-N approach by direct and indirect methods
- Theory of critical distances in adhesive joints
- Multiaxial fatigue life prediction models using the critical plane technique

70min

Break

20min

Fatigue crack growth in adhesive joints

- Experimental procedures (Different test specimens, Effects of load level, Frequency, Mode mixity, R ratio).
- Data reduction technique.
- Post processing approaches: Paris law curves (different paris law relations, how to define a master paris law curve for adhesive joints, how the threshold condition is obtained).
- Fatigue life estimation using Paris law curves.

70min

Break

20min

Numerical simulatioin

- Cohesive elements and cohesive zone modelling
- Degradation of adhesive properties (which properties should be degraded and how?, Different models for degradatoin of the cohesive properties)
- How to simulate the fatigue response of adheisve joints (cycle by cycle sterategy, cycle jumping technique)
- Damage initiation and damage propagation as a function of load cycle and nodal stress state.
- How to implement the method in Abaqus

60min