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Challenges of Offshore Wind Energy

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The presentation will give an overview of offshore wind energy development and then focus on two major challenges:

Construction out at sea – the evolution of specialised vessels; and

Access for maintenance – transferring technicians in wild and windy conditions

**Tuesday 9th September 2014
at 7.30pm**

**Queen's Building, Room 1.15, University of Bristol,
Bristol BS8 1TR**

Please register your proposed attendance at:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/challenges-of-offshore-wind-energy-tickets-12512640645>

Members and non-members are welcome. The talk will be followed by a discussion and buffet.

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