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# **PASMA Conference**

2019

**PASMA** will hold its annual conference on the 26th September. The event is a first hand opportunity to see how

versatile, cost effective and safe towers are for working at height.

Highlights will include Chris Debrick of Transport for London Major Projects Directorate on how/why TfL is working with PASMA to improve the behaviour and approach of its principal contactors and suppliers to working at height, while crane operator Katie Kelleher joins a panel discussion on the gender imbalance in construction and Paul Ormsby from GES will answer questions on what it is like to manage work at height in a high pressure, large scale events company.



Delegates will also see towers used in smart, innovative ways in the outdoor showcase - from the simplest to the more complex. It is also an opportunity to meet the PASMA Hire & Assembly and Manufacturer members who supplied and assembled the equipment, find out what paperwork and training was required for each build, and see first hand how towers can help people work at height safely. The conference is free to attend for anyone with an interest in

#### Annual Members Meeting

The PASMA **Annual Members'** Meeting will be held just before the Conference starts. **All PASMA** members are invited to attend, to hear about activities over the past 12 months and

pose questions to the Technical, Training and Hire & Assembly committee chairmen.



PASMA focus

The conference and meeting will be held at the Forest of Arden Marriott Hotel and Country Club, Coventry.

#### **PASMA training mandatory** towers and tickets are available from on Malaysian rail project pasma.co.uk/conference.

MMC-Gamuda has insisted that all mobile access towers used in Malaysia's Klang Valley Mass Rapid Transport project must conform to EN 1004 and that all users must be PASMA trained. This is to avoid a repeat of issues that arose in an earlier project caused by substandard equipment and poor assembly. It's part of a range of safety initiatives championed by Chris Fenton, head of safety at MMC-Gamuda which is delivery partner for the project. The company is currently working on the SSP Line, which is expected to serve 529,000 passengers a day when full service begins in 2022.

### **PASMA Operator's Code of Practice**

In its biggest update since 2009, the PASMA Operator's Code of Practice - a comprehensive, good practice guide for assembling, using, altering and dismantling mobile access towers - has been fully reviewed and refreshed by PASMA's Technical Committee. The updates follow a public review and reflect the state of the art in the industry and changes to product standards. The new version is being prepared for publication and will be released shortly.

## Tower computer game enters testing phase

PASMA's Tower Game is in the final stages of development, with only some final tweaks left to make. Players can assemble a tower on their computer in a safe, virtual environment before building the same tower on a Towers for Users training course.

Action for Children has been piloting the game with its PASMA training delegates. Training Manager, David Travers, said: "We work with inexperienced young people pursuing a career in the construction industry, therefore the Tower Game software is an excellent resource in

supporting them and giving them an initial understanding of the tower components and how they are used."

Delegates at the PASMA Conference will have a chance to try the game for themselves.



# **Member Relationship** Management system

PASMA has invested in a bespoke Member Relationship Management system, which will facilitate smoother communication between the organisation and its members. In addition, it will automate certain tasks that are currently manual and integrate systems that are currently separate, freeing up time for the PASMA team to focus on work that adds the most value for members. Work has been ongoing since early 2018. Phase one of the project is set to go live in October, with the full launch on track for early 2020.

# **New Membership Manual** for PASMA members

PASMA has launched a new Membership Manual, a clear, user friendly set of procedures explaining exactly how PASMA operates and what it expects from its members. It reflects new streamlined procedures that have been introduced in recent years as part of the association's drive towards digitalisation.



# **Dates for your diary**

PASMA will be represented at the following events:

- PASMA Conference 2019, Coventry, 26 September
- Health & Safety North, Manchester, 8-9 October
- · UK Construction Week, Birmingham, 8 October
- · AIF National Work at Height Conference, Manchester, 14 November
- The National Painting and Decorating Show, Coventry, 26-27 November



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