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WiN UK News 2017



## WiN UK takes to the road

WiN UK representatives have been out and about speaking at events and conferences about our work and encouraging more people to get involved.

Vice-Chair, Maxine Symington spoke to the Women's Engineering Society about our successful speedmentoring events, while Fiona Jackson, also Vice-Chair, spoke to the LPG industry's women's group about the support WiN UK has received from its members which has made it a success.

WiN UK President, Jack Gritt spoke at the Marketforce nuclear conference on resourcing the future of nuclear and attracting more women to the sector.



## Outstanding women recognised by WiN UK

Women in Nuclear UK awarded Baroness Verma and Olivia Thompson its inaugural Champion of the Year and Mission Possible awards at its conference, Wednesday 1 February, 2017. The awards, launched in 2017, recognise people from across the nuclear sector who have supported WiN UK to succeed.

Did you know NI members get discounts to all WiN UK events?

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## We need you!

We were overwhelmed that 40 delegates at the WiN UK conference joined the ranks to be a WiN Ambassador and to help with our regional teams.

WiN Regional Teams are the local focus to extend the reach of WiN UK into the regions so we can do more locally. Team activities include:

- Supporting the needs of WiN members in the regions through organising events.
- Engage with and represent the local nuclear industry.
- Engaging with local organisations to promote the Nuclear Industry in the region.

We are looking for more volunteers to become WiN Ambassadors to set up the team. [Read more...](#)

## Great response to WiN Cumbria

WiN UK's Cumbria Team has a great response to its first drop in session, which saw founding member, Natalie Deane interviewed by BBC Radio Cumbria.

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## Women In Engineering Day

International Women in Engineering Day is taking place on 23 June. WiN UK will be sharing information about nuclear engineers on Twitter. Get involved and follow us at @WiNuclear

<http://www.inwed.org.uk/>

## Speedmentoring event hits the mark

Anna, a WiN UK member who attended a WiN UK Speedmentoring event after returning from maternity leave, has written a blog about her experience.

*"Empowering, inspirational and confidence-boosting - just what I needed after returning to work from maternity leave."*

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## Diversity on show

Jessica Taylor from the National Nuclear Laboratory outlines the diversity on show at the National Nuclear Laboratory's Science and Technology Conference, at which WiN UK patron, Adrienne Kelbie spoke.

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