



Midlands Branch

2017 Young Generation Network Midlands Branch Speaking Competition

29th June 2017

The University of Derby Kedleston Road Campus, Derby, DE22 3AW

18:00 – 20:00

£300 1st Prize

And Entry to the 2016 National YGN Speaking Competition

2nd Prize - £200 3rd Prize - £100

(Prizes TBC upon sponsorship approval)

What is it?

The YGN Midlands Branch Speaking Competition is your chance to present a talk on any **nuclear, energy or environmental topic, whether technical, social or personal to you**. It's a broad scope and we encourage entrants from **all backgrounds** to enter.

Each presentation should last **10 minutes** and will be followed by **5 minutes of questions** from the judges and audience.

The winner will be entered into the **National YGN Speaking Competition** to compete against the other local branch YGN competition winners, which will be held later this year. There are cash prizes and the opportunity to present at the YGN annual seminar which precedes the YGN annual dinner.

Why should I enter?

The competition will give you valuable experience in **communicating and presenting** to a live audience, as well counting towards your continuing professional development.

Who can enter?

The competition is open to **members and non-members of the NI who are under the age of 37** at the time of the competition.



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How do I enter?

All you have to do at this stage is submit a **title**, a **200-word synopsis** and the details requested below. The synopsis will give the judges a flavour of what to expect from your presentation. The best 6 synopses, as judged by the organising committee, will be invited to present on the 29th June.

Send your **200 word synopsis** by email to:

Events.midlands@nuclearinst.com

With the subject: “YGN Midlands Branch Speaking Competition Entry”

Provide the following details in your email:

Name

Company/Society/School

Address

Telephone Number

Email address

Title of your paper

All entries must be received by 25th June 2016

Please Note: For those of you wishing to present a “commercial/sensitive topic”, we remind you of the importance of **OBTAINING PERMISSION FROM YOUR EMPLOYER.**

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