**An Invitation to the Inaugural Clean Energy Science Lecture**

**and the Workshop on Combustion-Related Research**

**Westminster London Monday 7th October 2019**

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**The International Flame Research Foundation**

**The Combustion Institute - British Section**

**The IChemE Clean Energy SIG**

**The IoP Combustion Physics Group**

Dear Colleague,

**I am writing to invite you to the “Inaugural Clean Energy Science Lecture” and the “Workshop on Combustion-Related Research” both to be held at Mary Sumner House, Westminster, London, SW1P 3RB, on Monday 7th October 2019.**

I am pleased to announce that Dr Nina Skorupska CBE FEI, Chief Executive of the Renewable Energy Association has agreed to present the Inaugural Clean Energy Science Lecture.

Dr Nina Skorupska has been the Chief Executive of Renewable Energy Association, (REA), since 2013. She has over 30 years' experience in the energy industry working in the UK, Germany and the Netherlands.  She was the first female power station manager for RWE npower and her career in the RWE Group culminated as Chief Technical Officer and executive Board Member of RWE's Dutch business, Essent, delivering electricity and heat generation as well as leading new energy and sustainability developments.

Nina is also currently a Board member of the European Renewable Energy Federation, (EREF), Renewable Energy Assurance Limited, (REAL), Transport for London, (TfL), and Deputy Chair of the Board of Women in Science and Engineering, (WISE), Campaign.  She sits on a number of Advisory Groups including Carbon Trust, 10:10, Entrepreneurial Women in Renewable Energy, (EWIRE), and University of Nottingham Industrial Advisory Board for Energy.

Nina has a BSc. in Chemistry from Newcastle upon Tyne and Ph.D in Coal Combustion. She is a Fellow of the Energy Institute.

The title of Dr Skorupska’s Lecture will be “**Evolution or Revolution: A Personal Journey of the UK Power Industry towards a Sustainable Future”.** This Lecture will be preceded by Tea/Coffee at 5.00.pm. and followed at 6.30.pm. by a Reception and Buffer Dinner.

In addition to this Evening event, there will an afternoon event entitled **“Workshop on Combustion-Related Research”** commencing at 2.00.pm., (please see the full Event Programme attached above). This Event will be preceded by tea/coffee at 1.30.pm.

Attendance at both event will be by E-ticket only, where there will be a separate E-ticket for the afternoon and evening events. These E-tickets will be E-mailed to your or your colleagues following your application through the Event Registration Form attached above, and which will be sent to you on or shortly after the closing date for registrations, **Friday 23rd August 2019.**

**Attendance at this event is without charge, however, due to the limited capacity of the venue, in issuing an E-ticket the recipient will be expected to attend. If you are issued with an E-ticket and subsequently can not attend, please let us know at the earliest possible opportunity so that your ticket can be released to another attendee.**

Best regards,

David J.A.McCAFFREY.

General Secretary of the Fuel and Energy Research Forum.