Safety Futures Initiative Update



Zoe Garstang, lead for the Safety Futures Initiative (SFI), provides an update on the progress made by the SFI including details of future events, and she asks for volunteers for the SFI's new mentoring scheme.

Progress Update

Work is underway to provide SFI members with a series of events and activities. This includes a mentoring scheme and regular events, such as further Get To Know You sessions and an upcoming lecture competition (Spring 2023).

The lecture competition will see individuals deliver a short presentation on a safety-related topic of their choice, followed by a short Q&A. Keep an eye on the SFI website (www.scsc.uk/gf) for updates and to find out when entries open.

Mentoring Scheme – Volunteers Needed!



We are establishing a mentoring scheme for SFI members and members of the SCSC community to build on knowledge sharing and career development. The scheme will be one-to-one mentoring, which is flexible to suit the requirements and schedules of those involved. The focus of the mentoring sessions can be anything from technical areas through to career development.

If you would like to register your interest as a mentor or mentee please contact Zoe Garstang (zoe.garstang@scsc.uk).

Upon registering your interest, you will be provided with a short questionnaire in order to match you with the best possible mentor/mentee that aligns with your experience and aspirations.

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Membership

Membership for the SFI is free for the first year, so I would encourage anyone who would like to get involved to sign-up (please see www.scsc.uk/membership).

SFI members get access to all SFI events and activities, as well as discounted fees at SCSC Events.

Further Information

If you would like further information about any aspect of the SFI, please do get in touch with Zoe Garstang (zoe.garstang@scsc.uk).

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