



WORKSHOPS – 11:05 – 11:50

<p>Beyond the Levy: Creating strategic Provider–Employer Partnerships to develop future skills together</p> <p>Room WPT001</p>	<p>Considering the User when Gathering Digital Twin Information Requirements – An Approach</p> <p>Room WPT003</p>	<p>Don't forget the office! - AI automation flows in manufacturing context</p> <p>Room WPT004</p>	<p>Building a Resilient Energy Strategy</p> <p>Room WPT005</p>
<p>This workshop explores how training providers and employers can work in genuine partnership to build the skills needed for the future engineering workforce.</p> <p>Moving beyond transactional delivery models, we will examine how shared ownership can support long-term capability development. Through practical examples and discussion, the session will highlight how meaningful partnerships enable organisations to respond to emerging skills needs, improve workforce resilience, and create sustainable talent pipelines.</p> <p>Led by: Rachel Hall – Director for Apprenticeships, Leicester College and Ian Mallabone – Global HR & Training Director, Nylacast Holdings</p>	<p>Through small group discussions and collaborative exercises, attendees will identify the types of digital twins relevant to their organisations, define how their employees will interact and how to identify the information needed to do so. Attendees will be trained in an approach to gather and structure the information needs of multiple types of users of a complex, digital manufacturing system.</p> <p>Led by: Professor Mey Goh, Professor of Transdisciplinary Design Engineering, Associate Director of the Intelligent Automation Centre, Loughborough University</p>	<p>You've invested in precision on the shop floor, but does your entire customer experience match that quality?</p> <p>This session explores how information flow governs the customer journey from first contact through to final delivery. While you have mastered the physical product, it is vital to ensure the office side doesn't let you down.</p> <p>Join local AI automation experts, flowmondo, to learn how to integrate simple AI automations that create touchpoints for staff and customers that are commensurate with the high quality of the products you make.</p> <p>Led by: Alistair Wilson, CEO, flowmondo</p>	<p>Let's discuss how to build a resilient energy strategy for the next 5 years.</p> <p>We will start off with a quick survey on some of the key energy risks faced by your business. For example, tariffs on imports and exports, grid constraints and increases in non-commodity costs.</p> <p>We will share / discuss some of the results of the survey and what practical steps are working well to mitigate these risks.</p> <p>We can then explore and discuss what "A good resilient energy strategy looks like", and I will talk you through a real-life case study.</p> <p>We will finish off with one last take-away question.</p> <p>Led by: Jaz Aujla – Strategic Energy Partner, DCC Energy</p>