

Day One - 5th March

Smart Manufacturing Summit 2025

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9.15 - 9.45	Registration	Tea/Coffee
9.45 - 10.00	Liam Maguire Ulster University	Welcome
10.00 - 10.40	Keith Ridgway Industry Wales	Unlocking Manufacturing Excellence: Strategic AI Adoption for Productivity, Efficiency, and Sustainable Growth
10.40 - 11.20	Dr Dan Bradley Sustainable Smart Technologies Ltd	Retrofitting smart sensors for energy saving, uptime and quality: Where to even start?
11.20 - 11.40	TEA/COFFEE	
11.40 - 12.20	Joanne O'Doherty Kinsetsu	Catalysts of Change : IoT Data Visualisation to improve process flow, resource, and energy efficiency.
12.20 - 13.00	Güven Gurkan Inan Heriot-Watt University	Capability Building through Digitalisation in Manufacturing SMEs
	LUNCH	
14.00 - 14.40	Prof Norman Apsley OBE SMDH Industrial Advisory Board	Is SMDH with its Collegiate Approach the route to a Making-based Economy?
14.40 - 15.20	Dr Mey Goh P-LD lead Loughborough University	People-led Digitalisation: Unlocking the potential for AI and Digital Twin
15.20 - 15.40	Tea/Coffee	
15.40 - 16.20	Tim Telford, CEO, DEVTANK	Net Zero aspirations? It's all about the data!
16.20 - 17.00	Richard Hogg Macrete Ireland Ltd	Preventative Maintenance In A Digital world

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9.30 - 10.10	Dolores Saunders and Dorian Smellie Total Control Pro	Unlocking Manufacturing Excellence: Strategic AI Adoption for Productivity, Efficiency, and Sustainable Growth
10.10 - 10.50	Michael Gleaves Atos	Advanced Computing at Eviden: Sovereign HPC & Vertical AI to Computer Vision.
	Tea/Coffee	
11.10 - 11.50	Lindsey Colton, Terex	Start Small - Think Big - Focus on progress over perfection, do small things well to deliver big change
11.50 - 12.30	Michael Wright, Output Industries	Has Industry 4.0 let down manufacturing?
12.30 - 13.10	Andrew Sherlock, National Manufacturing Institute of Scotland	TBA
	LUNCH	
	CLOSE	