

# COURSE OVERVIEW ME0020 Certified Boiler Operation, Control, Maintenance & Troubleshooting

# **Course Title**

Certified Boiler Operation, Control, Maintenance & Troubleshooting

#### Course Reference ME0020

Course Duration/Credits
Five days/3.0 CEUs/30 PDHs

### **Course Date/Venue**

Session(s)	Date	Venue
1	October 06-10, 2024	Harris Marker Brand Hall In Jan 9 O Year Mark It Outre
2	December 01-05, 2024	Horus Meeting Room, Holiday Inn & Suites Maadi, Cairo, Egypt
3	February 02-06, 2025	

## **Course Description**







This course provides a comprehensive coverage of the modern high-pressure boilers. It has been completely revised, reorganized and updated to include the latest techniques in boiler operation, maintenance, water treatment, performance, optimization, inspection, control, troubleshooting, safety, emission and steam system management. Sections on boiler water treatment are now included in the course. The course utilizes actual case studies from around the world to highlight the topics discussed.



The course provides practical information that can be readily applied to pinpoint and minimize energy losses in boiler plants and energy distribution systems. Participants will be guided through their plant system component by component, showing exactly where and how performance can be improved. Facts will be given on different fuel types and firing methods, and how modern high-efficiency boiler designs and control systems work.





















Following easy-to-implement guidelines and helpful time-saving diagrams, participants will go over strategies to methodically achieve the maximum utilization of fuel and energy to keep operating costs low and equipment performance high.

#### **Course Objectives**

Upon the successful completion of this course, each participant will be able to:-

- Apply an up-to-date knowledge, skills and systematic techniques in boiler operation, inspection, maintenance, safety & water treatment, troubleshooting, performance, optimization and steam system management
- Implement the technology for boiler water treatment including laboratory control of boiler water chemical analysis results
- Pinpoint and minimize energy losses in your boiler plant and improve its performance and efficiency
- Employ systematic techniques in boiler maintenance, inspection, testing, control, operation, tuning, start-up and shutdown and troubleshoot your boiler system in a safe manner and clean environment

#### **Who Should Attend**

This course provides an overview of all significant aspects and considerations of boiler operation, inspection, maintenance, safety & water treatment technology for utility superintendents, power house supervisors, maintenance engineers, design engineers, corrosion engineers, plant engineers, metallurgists, materials engineers, boiler engineers, supervisors and other technical staff. Further, reliability, mechanical integrity and safety engineers will also benefit from this important course.

#### Training Methodology

All our Courses are including **Hands-on Practical Sessions** using equipment, State-of-the-Art Simulators, Drawings, Case Studies, Videos and Exercises. The courses include the following training methodologies as a percentage of the total tuition hours:-

30% Lectures

20% Practical Workshops & Work Presentations

30% Hands-on Practical Exercises & Case Studies

20% Simulators (Hardware & Software) & Videos

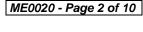
In an unlikely event, the course instructor may modify the above training methodology before or during the course for technical reasons.













## **Course Certificate(s)**

Internationally recognized Competency Certificates and Plastic Wallet Cards will be issued to participants who completed a minimum of 80% of the total tuition hours and successfully passed the exam at the end of the course. Certificates are valid for 5 years.

#### Recertification is FOC for a Lifetime.

# **Sample of Certificates**

The following are samples of the certificates that will be awarded to course participants: -



























(2) Official Transcript of Records will be provided to the successful delegates with the equivalent number of ANSI/IACET accredited Continuing Education Units (CEUs) earned during the course.



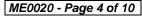






















#### **Certificate Accreditations**

Certificates are accredited by the following international accreditation organizations: -

• The International Accreditors for Continuing Education and Training (IACET - USA)

Haward Technology is an Authorized Training Provider by the International Accreditors for Continuing Education and Training (IACET), 2201 Cooperative Way, Suite 600, Herndon, VA 20171, USA. In obtaining this authority, Haward Technology has demonstrated that it complies with the **ANSI/IACET 2018-1 Standard** which is widely recognized as the standard of good practice internationally. As a result of our Authorized Provider membership status, Haward Technology is authorized to offer IACET CEUs for its programs that qualify under the **ANSI/IACET 2018-1 Standard**.

Haward Technology's courses meet the professional certification and continuing education requirements for participants seeking **Continuing Education Units** (CEUs) in accordance with the rules & regulations of the International Accreditors for Continuing Education & Training (IACET). IACET is an international authority that evaluates programs according to strict, research-based criteria and guidelines. The CEU is an internationally accepted uniform unit of measurement in qualified courses of continuing education.

Haward Technology Middle East will award **3.0 CEUs** (Continuing Education Units) or **30 PDHs** (Professional Development Hours) for participants who completed the total tuition hours of this program. One CEU is equivalent to ten Professional Development Hours (PDHs) or ten contact hours of the participation in and completion of Haward Technology programs. A permanent record of a participant's involvement and awarding of CEU will be maintained by Haward Technology. Haward Technology will provide a copy of the participant's CEU and PDH Transcript of Records upon request.



Haward Technology is accredited by the **British Accreditation Council** for **Independent Further and Higher Education** as an **International Centre**. BAC is the British accrediting body responsible for setting standards within independent further and higher education sector in the UK and overseas. As a BAC-accredited international centre, Haward Technology meets all of the international higher education criteria and standards set by BAC.

















# Course Instructor(s)

This course will be conducted by the following instructor(s). However, we have the right to change the course instructor(s) prior to the course date and inform participants accordingly:



Mr. Adel Abdallah is a Senior Engineer with over 20 years of extensive experience within the Petrochemical, Refinery and Oil & Gas industries. His expertise covers Fundamentals of Process Operations, Crude Oil & Refinery Products, Sampling & Feed/Product Quality, Process Troubleshooting & Problem Solving, Distillation Column, Process Heaters/Furnaces,

Reboilers, Condensers, Piping System and P&ID. He is also well-versed in Positive Displacement & Centrifugal Pumps, Compressors, Turbines, Fans, Blowers, Electric Motors, Gears & Transmission Equipment, Heat Exchangers, Valves, Packing & Mechanical Seal, Bearing, Couplings, Alignment, Water & Wastewater Treatment, Steam Boiler, Air Compressors and ISO system.

During Mr. Abdallah's career life, he has handled challenging positions wherein he has acquired his wide technical and practical experience in the field of process & chemical industry such as the **Technical Instructor/Consultant**, **Senior Chemical Engineer**, **Chemical Engineer**, **Process Engineer**, **Technical Engineer** and **Production Supervisor** for various companies such as the **Jordan Petroleum Refinery**, **Jordanian Tunisian Chemicals Co.**, Al-Mas Resin Factory, **Tabuk Chemical Fertilizer Factory**, **UIP-FCEC JV Design and Build Company**, **Degussa MBT** and **National Chlorine Company** in the Middle East.

Mr. Abdallah has a **Bachelor** degree in **Chemical Engineering** from the **University of Jordan**. Further, he is a **Certified Instructor** and delivered various trainings internally in his previous companies.

## **Course Fee**

**US\$ 5,500** per Delegate + **VAT**. This rate includes H-STK® (Haward Smart Training Kit), buffet lunch, coffee/tea on arrival, morning & afternoon of each day.

## **Accommodation**

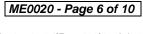
Accommodation is not included in the course fees. However, any accommodation required can be arranged at the time of booking.















# **Course Program**

The following program is planned for this course. However, the course instructor(s) may modify this program before or during the course for technical reasons with no prior notice to participants. Nevertheless, the course objectives will always be met:

Day 1

0730 - 0800	Registration & Coffee	
0800 - 0815	Welcome & Introduction	
0815 - 0830	PRE-TEST	
	Boiler & Boiler Systems	
0830 - 0930	<i>Types of Boilers</i> • <i>Configurations &amp; Characteristics of Each Type</i> • <i>Codes &amp;</i>	
	Standards • How to Use Steam Tables • Circulation of Boiler Water	
0930 - 0945	Break	
	Boiler & Boiler Systems (cont'd)	
0945 - 1100	Combustion • Boiler Fluid Flow Paths • Thermodynamics • Fuel • Air •	
	Feedwater • Steam or Hot Water	
	Burners, Superheaters & Reheaters	
1100 – 1215	Gas Burners • Oil Burners • Combination Gas/Oil Burners • Gas & Oil	
	Trains • Waste Heat Recovery	
1215 – 1230	Break	
	Burners, Superheaters & Reheaters (cont'd)	
1230 - 1420	Superheaters • Reheaters • Attemperators Configuration & Characteristics of	
	each Type • Relevant Metallurgy & Alloy Materials & Creep Factor	
	Recap	
1420 1420	Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the	
1420 – 1430	Topics that were Discussed Today & Advise Them of the Topics to be Discussed	
	Tomorrow	
1430	Lunch & End of Day One	

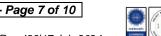
Day 2	
	Boiler Instrumentation & Controls
0730 - 0930	Modulating Control System • Fixed Positioning • Parallel Positioning with
	Operator Trim • Fuel & Air Metering • Oxygen Trim • Feed Water
	Control
0930 - 0945	Break
	Boiler Instrumentation & Controls (cont'd)
	Primary Control Sequence of Operation • Flame Monitoring Devices • Y-S
0945 - 1100	7800 Control System • Fireye Flame Monitor • Microprocessor based Burner
	Management System • Controls & Safety Devices for Automatically Fired
	Boilers • NFPA-85 Series
1100 – 1215	Boiler Startup & Shutdown
	Preparation for Startup • The Pre-Startup Walk Through • Filling the Boiler
	Drum • Establishing Flow through the Boiler • Establishing a Boiler Flame
1215 - 1230	Break
	Boiler Startup & Shutdown (cont'd)
1230 - 1420	Basic Shutdown Procedures • Reducing Firing Rate • Reducing Steam Flow
	• Reducing Air & Gas Flow • Maintaining Flow through Superheater
1420 – 1430	Recap
	Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the
	Topics that were Discussed Today & Advise Them of the Topics to be Discussed
	Tomorrow
1430	Lunch & End of Day Two



















## Day 3

	Boiler Operation & Steam System Management	
0730 – 0930	Normal Operation & Steady State Conditions • Maintaining Design Steam	
	Temperature & Pressure • Maintaining Proper Combustion Conditions	
0930 - 0945	Break	
	Boiler Operation & Steam System Management (cont'd)	
0945 - 1100	Maintaining Proper Feed Water Conditions • Monitoring the Steam/Water	
	Circuit • Safety Valves & Low Water Cutoff Control	
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1100 – 1215	Codes & Standards • Set Pressures & Capacity • Control Blowdown Test •	
	Slow Drain Test • Evaporative Test	
1215 – 1230	Break	
	Boiler Water Chemistry & Treatment	
1230 - 1420	Boiler Feed Water Quality • Mechanical & Chemical Deriation • Boiler	
	Water Chemical Selection & Dozing	
	Recap	
1420 - 1430	Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the	
	Topics that were Discussed Today & Advise Them of the Topics to be Discussed	
	Tomorrow	
1430	Lunch & End of Day Three	

# Day 4

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	Boiler Water Chemistry & Treatment (cont'd)	
0730 - 0930	Steam Purity & Controlling Steam pH • Laboratory Control of Boiler Water	
	Chemical Analysis Results • Sampling Boiler Water & Steam Produced	
0930 - 0945	Break	
	Boiler Efficiency & Waste Heat Recovery	
0045 1100	Heat Exchanger Efficiency • Combustion Efficiency Data Collection •	
0945 – 1100	Optimum Oxygen Percentage • Optimum Stack Temperature • Waste Heat	
	Recovery	
	Combustion Analysis & Tuning Procedures	
1100 – 1215	Combustion Efficiency Data Collection • Optimum Oxygen Percentage •	
	Optimum Stack Temperature • Tips & Generally Accepted Practices	
1215 – 1230	Break	
	Boiler Inspection & Testing	
1230 - 1420	Internal Inspection • External Inspection • Operational Inspection •	
	Hydrostatic Pressure Test • Common Inspection Code Violations	
1420 - 1430	Recap	
	Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the	
	Topics that were Discussed Today & Advise Them of the Topics to be Discussed	
	Tomorrow	
1430	Lunch & End of Day Four	

















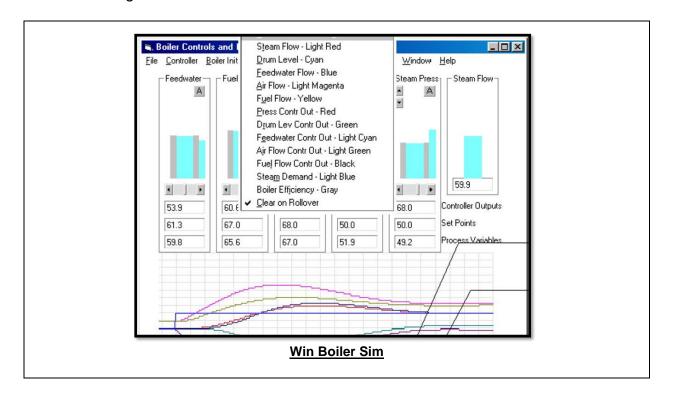


Day 5

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	Boiler Maintenance & Protection	
	Waterside Maintenance • Fireside Maintenance • Operating & Safety	
0730 - 0930	Control Maintenance • General Maintenance • Daily Maintenance •	
	Weekly Maintenance • Monthly Maintenance • Annual Maintenance •	
	Preventive Maintenance	
0930 - 0945	Break	
	Boiler Emissions & Pollution Control	
0945 - 1100	Six Criteria Air Pollutants • NOx & SOx • VOCs • Pollution Control	
	Systems	
	Boiler Troubleshooting & Safety	
1100 – 1215	Steam Traps • Loss of Boiler Flame • Low & High water • Loss of Boiler	
	Auxiliaries • Boiler leaks	
1215 – 1230	Break	
	Boiler Troubleshooting & Safety (cont'd)	
1230 – 1300	Boiler Overpressure • Equipment Fires • Foaming • Lockout/Tagout •	
	Confined Spaces • Boiler Accidents - Cause & Effect	
	Course Conclusion	
1300 – 1315	Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the	
	Course Topics that were Covered During the Course	
1315 - 1415	COMPETENCY EXAM	
1415 – 1430	Presentation of Course Certificates	
1430	Lunch & End of Course	

# Simulator (Hands-on Practical Sessions)

Practical session will be organized during the course for delegates to practice the theory learnt. Delegates will be provided with an opportunity to carryout various exercises using the simulator "Win Boiler Sim".

















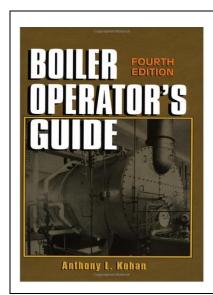






# Book(s)

As part of the course kit, the following e-book will be given to all participants:



Title : Boiler Operator's Guide

: 978-0070365742 ISBN Author : Anthony Kohan

Publisher: McGraw-Hill Professional

# **Course Coordinator**

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