



# THE FASTENER ENGINEERING AND RESEARCH ASSOCIATION

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## **FERA SEMINAR – VIBRATION RESISTANCE OF FASTENERS TUESDAY 13 NOVEMBER 2007**

National Metalforming Centre - 9.30am [Registration 9.00-9.30am]

The Fastener Engineering Research Association will be holding a seminar on topics that have relevance to Members and invited guests. On this occasion we shall focus on subjects that have interests within the membership and to bring to the attention of specifiers and designers, new progressive products and aspects of fastener technology.

### **TESTING FOR VIBRATION RESISTANCE**

Bill Eccles of Bolt Science is well known as the leading fastener application engineering consultant in the UK, and is at present engaged in doing an advanced degree on the vibration resistance of fasteners. Bill will review how vibration resistance of fasteners is tested, including the Junker test used in industrial and automotive applications with transverse forces applied to the bolted joint, and in aerospace applications with more shock loading applied. He will then show how various locking elements behave in these tests, and discuss some notable failures in service.

### **LOCTITE ADHESIVES**

Bob Orme, Senior Technology Specialist, and Colin Chapman, Marketing Manager, of Henkel Loctite Adhesives, will present information on the Loctite range of adhesive products for thread locking, and their capability. A particular focus will be given to case histories where the various products are successful.

### **PERFORMANCE OF SPIRALOCK INSERTS**

Cross Manufacturing Co has developed a range of wire thread inserts with the Spiralock thread form that has excellent properties of vibration resistance. Rodney Cross, Chairman of Cross Manufacturing, will present data on the performance of these inserts, and their current successful applications.

**£££:** **FERA/CBM members & members' guests £25+VAT**  
**Non members £50+VAT** to include free buffet lunch

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**Time:** 9.30am – 1.00pm

**Venue:** National Metalforming Centre

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