



# SAIMENA

(Cape Town Branch)

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## GENERAL MEETING ON TUESDAY 25 OCTOBER 2011

The Chairperson and Committee of the Cape Town Branch of the **South African Institute of Marine Engineers and Naval Architects** cordially invite all members and guests to the following presentation:

Presentation by: **Wilfried Meichle (Germany) and Gerd Bauer (Cape Town)**  
**ZF Services South Africa (Pty) Ltd**

Subject: **ZF Commercial and Fast Craft Propulsion Systems**

- ZF was founded by Graf Zeppelin in 1915. To fulfil his dream to develop high technology airships, he needed lightweight, precision transmissions to match the high performance Daimler Benz engines. The company grew rapidly and soon diversified to supply the automotive industry.
- ZF has developed large transmissions suitable for commercial vessels powered by medium-speed Diesels, as well as corresponding controllable pitch propellers and associated controls.
- ZF Marine also offers a wide range of steerable thrusters, including well mounted thrusters, retractable thrusters, tunnel thrusters and controls, available in fixed pitch, CP and CRP versions.

Date: Tuesday 25 October 2011

Time: 17:30 for **18:00** hours

PARKING: PLEASE PARK AT HOTEL SCHOOL VENUE PAST THE SURVIVAL CENTRE

Venue: SURVIVAL CENTRE (map attached)  
Cape Peninsula University of Technology  
Granger Bay Campus  
Beach Road, Mouille Point, CAPE TOWN

Refreshments: Snacks & drinks supplied

RSVP: Please confirm with Annette on 021 – 425 3202.

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