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## Electrical & Electronic Equipment and the Environment

*- Meeting the technical and regulatory compliance challenges*

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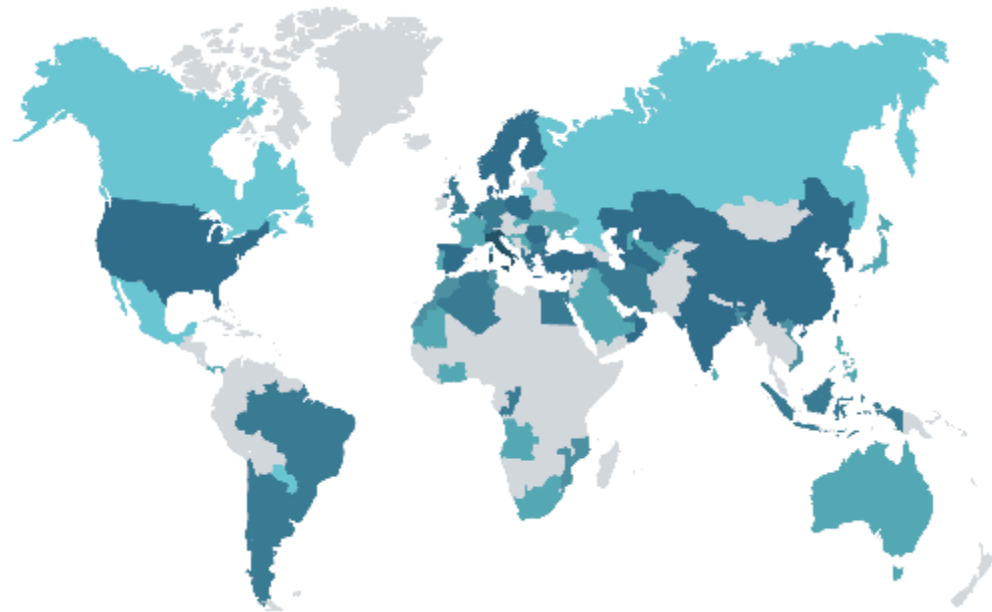
The Edif group was acquired by RINA in 2016 and has been rebranded

We are now part of a larger global consulting organisation offering Consulting Engineering, Classification, Certification services, Testing, Failure Investigation and Inspection.

ERA Technology Ltd (Edif ERA) is now RINA Consulting Ltd.

What does this mean in practice?

- **Same staff at same location**
- **Same services to clients – and more**



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## - *19<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference*

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**Heathrow Hilton,  
London**

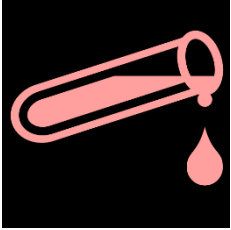
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# Conference Programme

## - *Addressing hardware product-related requirements*

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### Chemicals

- REACH, CLP, RoHS, F-gas, ODS, POPs, Proposition 65, biocidal products, batteries, packaging
- Restrictions, reporting requirements, SVHCs, SDS, obsolescence, testing



### Circular Economy

- Ecodesign requirements and impacts
- Sustainability of material use
- Disposal: WEEE, batteries, hazardous waste



### Responsible Sourcing

- Conflict minerals (3TGs)
- Supply chain due diligence



### Meeting global market requirements

- UK, EU, US, China, Korea, Japan, Canada, Australia, Russia etc.
- Brexit and Trade

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### Global requirements and Brexit



- Life in the Trump Lane: Key U.S. policy and regulatory initiatives under the new administration



- Brexit and Trade: export controls, the frictionless border and more besides



- Brexit: the consequences for future EU and UK environmental policy



- Negotiating Brexit: Where are we now and what does it mean for Aerospace and Defence?



- RoHS in the Eurasian Economic Union



- Status of China RoHS 2.0 & China REACH



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### Chemicals



- REACH requirements for article manufacturers, importers and suppliers



- RoHS, REACH and POPs enforcement in Sweden



- Biocidal Products (Treated articles) in EEE



- Materials-related obsolescence (REACH and BPR)



- REACH and the 2018 deadline; implications for the EU supply chain



- Renewal of RoHS exemptions

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### Responsible Sourcing



- Brief review of New EU regulation on conflict minerals



- Supply chain engagement at HP: supply chain responsibility and conflict minerals due diligence



- Conflict minerals due diligence: lessons learned from the OECD Alignment Assessment



- Responsible recruitment - the first step in preventing exploitation



- A year of reporting under the Modern Slavery Act: Progress or status quo?

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### Circular Economy



Department  
for Environment  
Food & Rural Affairs

- UK policy development and implementation round-up



- ICT and Ecodesign/Circular Economy Policy in 2017: new regulatory challenges, industry practice and change



- Recent product energy enforcement action at UK and EU level



- Outcomes of the EU Standby Regulation review



# Conference Programme

## - *Benefits*

- Learning from leading policy, industry and expert speakers
- Share with your peers
- Networking opportunities
  - Informal pre-conference dinner
  - Drinks reception and conference dinner
  - Refreshment and exhibition breaks



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