



tracking shipping's course
to a **zero emissions** future

Company profile



About us

ship.energy is an independent publishing, training and events organisation focused on the global marine fuels market and shipping's energy transition.

Previously known as Petrosport, the company is based in Oxfordshire in the UK and was established in May 2003 by Llewellyn Bankes-Hughes (CEO & Founder). He is supported by Lesley Bankes-Hughes (Managing Director) and backed by a highly professional editorial, events, sales and financial team.

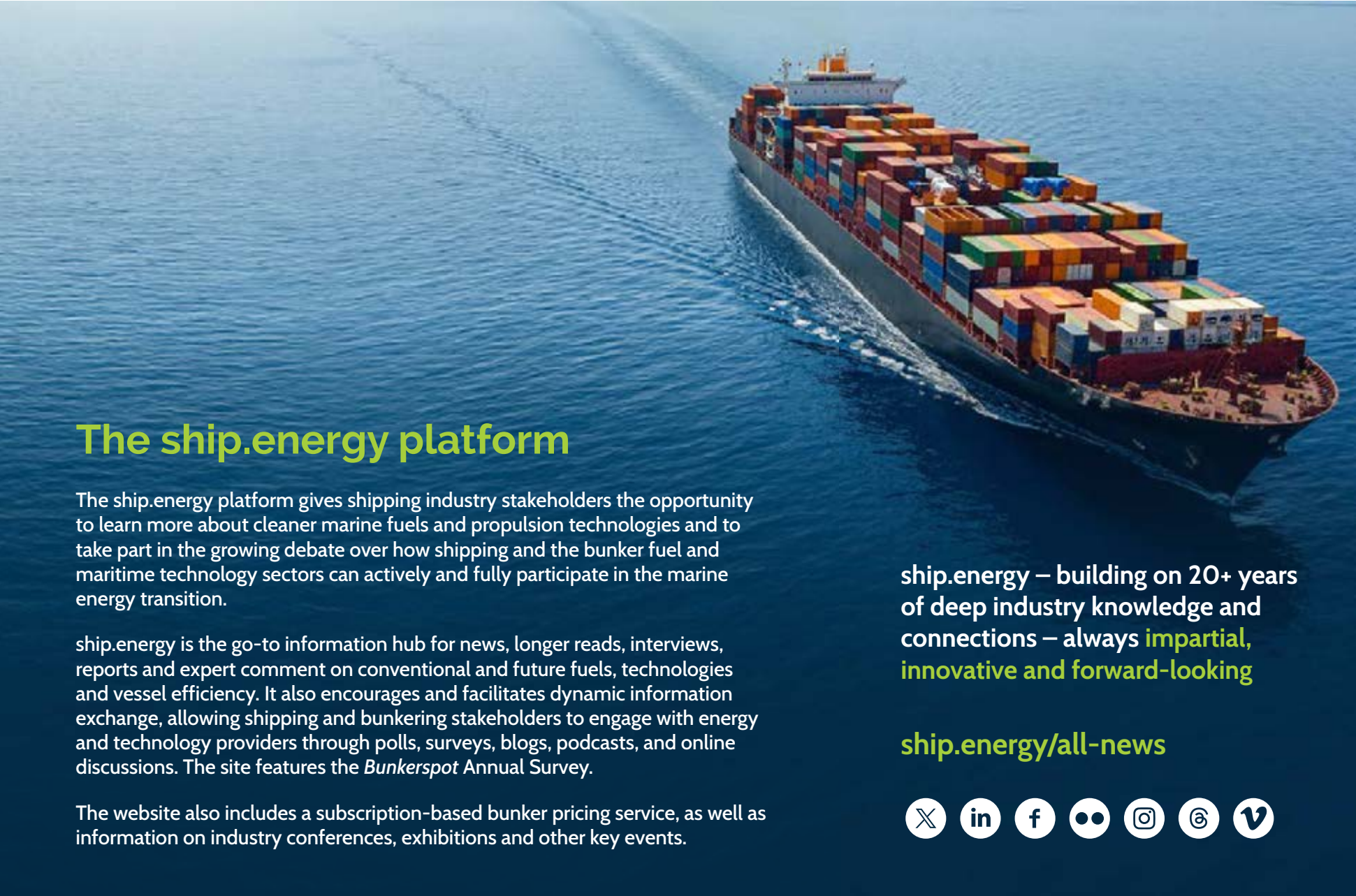
It delivers the highest quality strategic information in the most comprehensive and convenient formats – via a website, podcasts, magazine, and books, or face to face in conferences, exhibitions, seminars and training courses.

ship.energy works closely with governments and industry across various countries, organising some of the most significant and prestigious shipping and bunkering events globally. In the marine fuels sector, it hosts diverse events such as Maritime Week Americas, Maritime Week Africa, Maritime Week Gibraltar, Maritime Week Las Palmas, Portugal Shipping Week, the Middle East Bunkering Convention, ARACON, the Oman Maritime, Ports and Energy Forum, the ship.energy summit, and the Marine Energy Transition Forum.

The company runs a range of well-respected training courses and in-house training around the world, including the Oxford Bunker Course, and BunkerExperience.

In the shipping sector, via Shipping Innovation, which is its joint venture partnership with Elaborate Communications, ship.energy organises one of the key events in the global shipping calendar, London International Shipping Week.





The ship.energy platform

The ship.energy platform gives shipping industry stakeholders the opportunity to learn more about cleaner marine fuels and propulsion technologies and to take part in the growing debate over how shipping and the bunker fuel and maritime technology sectors can actively and fully participate in the marine energy transition.

ship.energy is the go-to information hub for news, longer reads, interviews, reports and expert comment on conventional and future fuels, technologies and vessel efficiency. It also encourages and facilitates dynamic information exchange, allowing shipping and bunkering stakeholders to engage with energy and technology providers through polls, surveys, blogs, podcasts, and online discussions. The site features the *Bunkerspot* Annual Survey.

The website also includes a subscription-based bunker pricing service, as well as information on industry conferences, exhibitions and other key events.

ship.energy – building on 20+ years of deep industry knowledge and connections – always **impartial, innovative and forward-looking**

ship.energy/all-news



Training/professional development

ship.energy runs a range of well-respected training courses as well as bespoke in-house training around the world, including:

- Oxford Bunker Course
- BunkerExperience
- An Introduction to Shipping
- An Introduction to Shipping and Bunkering
- An Introduction to LNG bunkering
- An Introduction to Alternative Fuels
- An Introduction to Biofuels
- An Introduction to Mass Flow Meters
- An Introduction to Bunker Claims

In numbers

PROFESSIONALS
TRAINED

+4,500

21+ years
working with
Governments and
industry

NEWS SITES
READERSHIP

16,000

EVENTS
DELIVERED IN

26 COUNTRIES

Conferences

ship.energy organises global events as diverse as:

- The ship.energy summit
- Marine Energy Transition Forum
- Oman Maritime, Ports and Energy Forum
- The Bunkering & Sustainability Forum – Tenerife
- Maritime Week Americas
- Maritime Week Africa
- Maritime Week Gibraltar
- Maritime Week Las Palmas
- Portugal Shipping Week
- Middle East Bunkering Convention
- ARACON
- Madiera Maritime Week
- Nordic-Baltic Maritime Forum

<https://ship.energy/conferences>



London International Shipping Week ([LISW](#)) is a joint venture between ship.energy Limited and Elaborate Communications. Since its launch in 2013, LISW has grown into one of the world's most important shipping and maritime events.

LISW25, the 12th edition, welcomed thousands of global industry decision-makers across hundreds of official events. UK Government support was strong, with the Department for Transport involved, alongside the Department for Business and Trade, the Foreign Office, and the Scottish Office.

The LISW25 Headline Conference, held at the IMO headquarters, featured government and industry leaders, attracting more than 40 international media outlets and reaching a potential audience of over a billion people.

The week concluded with a Gala Dinner attended by over 1,800 guests at Evolution London in Battersea Park.

Networking

View all ship.energy event photos here: <https://www.flickr.com/photos/petrospot/albums>



Publishing

The bi-monthly *Bunkerspot* magazine, launched in February 2004, is an essential and authoritative source of information for marine fuels and shipping professionals. It covers the global marine fuels industry (including conventional and alternative energy sources), with a focus on the technical, operational, commercial, environmental and legal aspects of bunkering,

This high profile and well-respected publication is written by experienced shipping and bunker journalists with contributions from top industry experts.

<https://ship.energy/magazines>



Books

Ship.energy publishes some of the world's most authoritative books on bunker fuels, LNG bunkering, marine lubes, shipping, shipping law, risk management and marine surveying.

The full list of titles can be found here:

<https://ship.energy/books>



An all new **ship.energy** website



ship.energy Podcasts

The ship.energy podcast allows subscribers to engage first-hand with the many discussions that are happening and evolving around shipping's energy transition. We talk regularly to maritime thought leaders, technology experts, policymakers and finance providers as shipping embarks on its huge learning curve towards decarbonisation.

Expect some tough talking, intelligent thinking, as well as some questions – nobody has all the answers!

The ship.energy podcasts are available via the website and also on the following platforms:



The Management Team



Llewellyn Banks-Hughes
CEO & Founder

Llewellyn has worked in bunkering, oil and shipping since 1980, as a journalist and broker, in London and New York, working for *Argus*, *Petroleum Intelligence Weekly*, *Eperon Petroleum*, *Albion Oil and Energy Information*. He joined MRC in Oxford to launch *BunkerNews*, before establishing Petrospot in 2003 to publish *Bunkerspot* magazine, news and pricing services, and highly-respected bunker and shipping books.

He has created and run globally-recognised events in 26 countries around the world, including Middle East Bunkering Convention, Maritime Week Americas, Maritime Week Africa, ARACON, London International Shipping Week and European Shipping Week, and runs internationally-renowned training programmes, including the Oxford Bunker Course and BunkerExperience.



Lesley Banks-Hughes
Managing Director

Lesley Banks-Hughes is a highly experienced editor, news journalist and features writer. After a number of years as business editor of *Jane's Defence Weekly*, she worked for the International Stock Exchange and Euromoney Publications.

She also established a specialist newsletter covering European corporate mergers and acquisitions, and later spent several years at Christ Church, University of Oxford, with responsibility for developing educational outreach projects.

At Petrospot, she has taken a lead on editorial projects relating to the marine fuels sector since 2007.



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