

## Karl DeGroot

Karl has been involved in the concept design and subsequent erection of some of the largest proprietary roofing system covers in the UK. He has a wealth of valuable knowledge that would benefit any client with a technically challenging project.

Neil Harrison Director, SCAFDAC Ltd





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# CV

Lead scaffolding consultant with over 35 years of scaffolding management experience working for Tier 1 scaffolding contracting organisations. Senior management appointments include roles at GKN Kwikform now Interserve, TK Palmer's , Lyndon's PLC and Network Scaffolding.

Specialist in Complex Scaffolding, Temporary Works Management and the delivery and implementation of Corporate Health and Safety initiatives. Delivery of Design Risk Management strategies through Buildability Reviews.

Undertaken major project works in Power Generation, Heavy Chemical, Rail Infrastructure, Heritage, and most notably the London 2012 Olympics and Manchester Bombing.

## **Career history**

#### 2018 to 2022

Scaffolding Association – Vice President

Vice President supporting the CEO of the trade association to raise the profile and professionalism of scaffolding within the construction and associated market sectors. Lead Auditor for Full Audited Membership of the association. Patron for the membership of the 5% Club a movement of employer members working together to drive 'earn and learn' skills training opportunities.

#### 2009 to present

Operations & Safety Director – Managing Director PLC Roles – Lead Consultant

Responsible for the delivery and implementation of Operations and the Strategic Safety performance, training programmes, apprenticeship schemes. Designated Individual under BS5975: responsible for Temporary Works strategies and implementation. SET Trainer and Lead Auditor. Accreditations lead on RISQS, Achillies and ISO9001,14001,18001. Profit & Loss accountability to 21.2m

Gained NVQ L3 Gold Card Supervision Qualification

Gained Specialist Membership IIRSM

Gained NVQ L6 - GradIOSH Health and Safety

Gained ILM L3 Management Qualification

Gained CITB Temporary Works Co-ordinator qualification

Gained AET L3 Teaching Qualification

Gained Highfield L3 Audit and Inspection Qualification

Gained IOSH CDM 2015 and Fire Risk Assessment Qualifications

Won Leadership Team of the Year - Thomas International

Won Sustainability Award - 2018/2019 - Thomas International

Won NASC National Safety Award 2013 Companies less than 100 employees.

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I found Karl to be very result orientated with the drive and commitment to see tasks through to their successful conclusion, which in turn yielded a strong results-based performance.

Paolo Benedetto CEO, Taziker





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1997 to 2009

Operations Director – Managing Director – PLC Roles

Responsible for the delivery of Company Safety performance and strategic direction across 2 Major PLC Roles. Responsible for the management and deliver of ISO9001 standards. Profit & Loss management to 18.0m. Gained IOSH Managing Safely Gained IOSH Directing Safely Gained Advanced Scaffold Inspection Gold Card ARCA Asbestos Manger and Supervisor

NASC Regional Safety Committee Chair

NASC Regional Chair & National Committee Member



1983 to 1997 GKN Kwikform PLC Branch & Regional Manager

Responsible for Regional project management at GKN Kwikform Ltd (Interserve plc) delivering major Construction, Heavy Chemical and Civils Projects in the Midlands and North West. Thelwall Viaduct, Manchester Bomb Damage, ICI Runcorn, Didcot Power Station. Gained a DMS at Manchester University.

Gained DMS Manchester University 2006 Management Development Programme GKN Group Basic Scaffolding Inspection CITB Risk Assessment Various Vocational Qualifications



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I would recommend Karl as a scaffolding specialist in all aspects of the industry, in particular his knowledge and application techniques with the Layher portfolio of products.

Sean Pike Managing Director, Layher Ltd





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## Qualifications and affiliations

NVQ Level 6 Diploma in Occupational Health and Safety Practice (ProQual) Certificate No: 276486

FIIRSM The International Institute of Risk and Safety Management: Fellow of IIRSM Member No: 309344

GradIOSH Membership No: 233761

TQUK Level 3 Award in Education and Training Certificate No: 601/1831/3

Highfield Level 3 Distinction Award in Effective Auditing and Inspection (RQF) Certificate No: 603/2606/2

CSCS Gold Card Supervisor Registration No: 01190221

CITB Temporary Works Co-ordinator Certificate No: 937649

Advanced Scaffold Inspection Certificate No: 10832

IOSH Directing Safety Certificate No: 6859

IOSH Fire Safety for Managers Certificate No: 7397

IOSH CDM 2015 Certificate No: 7320

British Safety Council Fire Risk Assessment Certificate No: 51301BSC

IOSH Managing Safely Certificate No: 7277

Enhanced DBS Checked: Disclosure No: 001240529272



