



Rising Star Award Richard Mandeville, P.Eng.



Richard Mandeville was born in St. John's, NL, and spent his childhood between there and northern England. Following his graduation from Barnard Castle School in County Durham, England, Richard relocated to Newfoundland and Labrador where he received a Bachelor of Engineering degree with a focus in ocean and naval architectural engineering from Memorial University. He also received the Dean's Honour Award for Academic Excellence and Leadership.

While at university, Richard earned a commission in the Canadian Armed Forces and completed internships at London Offshore Consultants, C-CORE and the American Bureau of Shipping and assisted in research relating to the ultimate membrane strength of polar-classed icebreaker hulls.

Richard joined Technip Canada Ltd. in 2005 as a flexible pipeline designer and dynamic system analyst before moving into project work. He has been involved in several projects on the Grand Banks while based at TechnipFMC's St. John's office, interspersed with onshore/offshore work on BP Schiehallion and Petrobras Cascade/Chinook while based in TechnipFMC's Aberdeen and Houston offices, respectively. Through accepting positions of increasing responsibility, Richard attained the position of project manager and was responsible for TechnipFMC's activities for HMDC's Hibernia Unit BNA project in 2015.

Richard is currently working an internal secondment with TechnipFMC's Marine Operations Services department in Aberdeen as the asset manager for TechnipFMC's five Construction and S-Lay vessels. In this role, Richard is responsible for all aspects of their maintenance and operation and the health and safety of the approximately 900 seafarers working them at any given time on projects around the world. In 2016, more than 7.5 million person hours were conducted aboard Richard's ships. He manages a budget in the range of \$300 million USD annually.

Richard is also a certified instructor for TechnipFMC's PULSE Leadership Program, an in-house behavior-based HSE program, and is a licensed practitioner of Insights Discovery® psychometric evaluator.

Richard continues to maintain a strong relationship with Memorial University of Newfoundland through volunteer activities with the Office of Alumni Affairs and Development and as an occasional guest lecturer with the Faculty of Engineering. He has participated in the City of St. John's workshop on economic development for oil & gas and has served as a director with the Army Cadet League of Newfoundland and Labrador.

Richard is very fortunate to share his life with his wife, Laura, and daughters: Elizabeth and Claire.