



**COURSE OVERVIEW EE0452**

**Certified Switchman: High Voltage Switching Operations**

**Course Title**

Certified Switchman: High Voltage Switching Operations

**Course Date/Venue**

Session 1: February 23-27, 2025/Business Meeting, Crowne Plaza Al Khobar, Al Khobar, KSA

Session 2: September 07-11, 2025/Boardroom 1, Elite Byblos Hotel Al Barsha, Sheikh Zayed Road, Dubai, UAE



**Course Reference**

EE0452

**Course Date/Venue**

Five days /3.0CEUs/30 PDHs

**Course Description**

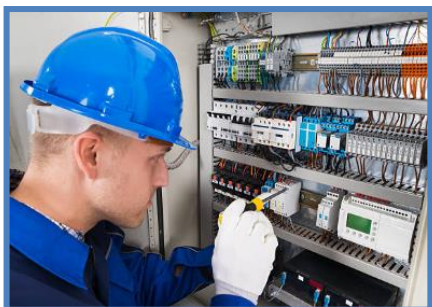


***This practical and highly-interactive course includes various practical sessions where participants will be engaged in HV/LV power switching and other working practices.***

This course is designed to provide participants with a detailed and up-to-date overview of high voltage switching operations. It covers the legislation and standards of high voltage switching operations; the risk management and control as well as the proper approach to high voltage-safe systems of work, permit types and permit procedures; operating local high voltage and low voltage switchgear; developing high voltage switchgear program; controlling permit to work operations; performing switching to a switching program; coordinating and directing switching program; and working safely near live electrical apparatus.



During this interactive course, participants will learn the access procedures to work on or near electrical network infrastructure; the HV field switching operation and power system substation switching operation to a given schedule; developing high voltage switching schedule; coordinating power systems permit procedures; directing power system switching schedules; and solving the energy supply network equipment problems in a professional manner.





**Course Objectives**

Upon the successful completion of this course, each participant will be able to:-

- Get certified as a “Certified Switchman”
- Review the legislation and standards of high voltage switching operations
- Carryout risk management and control as well as the proper approach to high voltage-safe systems of work, permit types and permit procedures
- Operate local high voltage and low voltage switchgear and develop high voltage switchgear program
- Apply control permit to work operations, perform switching to a switching program as well as coordinate and direct switching program
- Work safely near live electrical apparatus
- Apply access procedures to work on or near electrical network infrastructure
- Perform HV field switching operation and power system substation switching operation to a given schedule
- Develop high voltage switching schedule and coordinate power systems permit procedures and direct power system switching schedules
- Solve energy supply network equipment problems in a professional manner

**Exclusive Smart Training Kit - H-STK®**



Participants of this course will receive the exclusive “Haward Smart Training Kit” (H-STK®). The H-STK® consists of a comprehensive set of technical content which includes **electronic version** of the course materials conveniently saved in a **Tablet PC**.

**Who Should Attend**

This course provides an overview of all significant aspects and considerations of high voltage switching operations for electrical workers and engineers working with high and low voltage switchgear in industrial facilities and networks.

**Training Methodology**

All our Courses are including **Hands-on Practical Sessions** using equipment, State-of-the-Art Simulators, Drawings, Case Studies, Videos and Exercises. The courses include the following training methodologies as a percentage of the total tuition hours:-

- 30% Lectures
- 20% Practical Workshops & Work Presentations
- 30% Hands-on Practical Exercises & Case Studies
- 20% Simulators (Hardware & Software) & Videos

In an unlikely event, the course instructor may modify the above training methodology before or during the course for technical reasons.







**Course Certificate(s)**

(1) Internationally recognized Wall Competency Certificates and Plastic Wallet Card Certificates will be issued to participants who have successfully completed the course and passed the exam at the end of the course. Successful candidate will be certified as a "Certified Switchman". Certificates are valid for 5 years.

**Recertification is FOC for a Lifetime.**

**Sample of Certificates**

The following are samples of the certificates that will be awarded to course participants:-





- (2) Official Transcript of Records will be provided to the successful delegates with the equivalent number of ANSI/IACET accredited Continuing Education Units (CEUs) earned during the course.

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Continuing Professional Development (HTME-CPD)

**CEUs**

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## CEU Official Transcript of Records

**TOR Issuance Date:** 20-Sep-18

**HTME No.** PAR10475

**Participant Name:** Farhan Al Khatib

| Program Ref. | Program Title  | Program Date          | No. of Contact Hours | CEU's |
|--------------|--|-----------------------|----------------------|-------|
| EE0452       | Certified Switchman: High Voltage Switching Operations | September 16-20, 2018 | 30.0                 | 3.0   |

Total No. of CEU's Earned as of TOR Issuance Date **3.0**

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Maricel De Guzman  
Academic Director

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Haward Technology's courses meet the professional certification and continuing education requirements for participants seeking Continuing Education Units (CEUs) in accordance with the rules & regulations of the International Association for Continuing Education & Training (IACET). IACET is an international authority that evaluates programs according to strict, research-based criteria and guidelines. The CEU is an internationally accepted uniform unit of measurement in qualified courses of continuing education.

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### Certificate Accreditations


Certificates are accredited by the following international accreditation organizations: -

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The International Accreditors for Continuing Education and Training (IACET - USA)

Haward Technology is an Authorized Training Provider by the International Accreditors for Continuing Education and Training (IACET), 2201 Cooperative Way, Suite 600, Herndon, VA 20171, USA. In obtaining this authority, Haward Technology has demonstrated that it complies with the **ANSI/IACET 2018-1 Standard** which is widely recognized as the standard of good practice internationally. As a result of our Authorized Provider membership status, Haward Technology is authorized to offer IACET CEUs for its programs that qualify under the **ANSI/IACET 2018-1 Standard**.

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Haward Technology Middle East will award **3.0 CEUs** (Continuing Education Units) or **30 PDHs** (Professional Development Hours) for participants who completed the total tuition hours of this program. One CEU is equivalent to ten Professional Development Hours (PDHs) or ten contact hours of the participation in and completion of Haward Technology programs. A permanent record of a participant's involvement and awarding of CEU will be maintained by Haward Technology. Haward Technology will provide a copy of the participant's CEU and PDH Transcript of Records upon request.

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British Accreditation Council (BAC)

Haward Technology is accredited by the **British Accreditation Council** for **Independent Further and Higher Education** as an **International Centre**. BAC is the British accrediting body responsible for setting standards within independent further and higher education sector in the UK and overseas. As a BAC-accredited international center, Haward Technology meets all of the international higher education criteria and standards set by BAC.

### Course Fee

**US\$ 5,500** per Delegate + **VAT**. This rate includes H-STK® (Haward Smart Training Kit), buffet lunch, coffee/tea on arrival, morning & afternoon of each day.







### Course Instructor(s)

This course will be conducted by the following instructor(s). However, we have the right to change the course instructor(s) prior to the course date and inform participants accordingly:



**Mr. Pan Marave, PE, MSc, BEng**, is a **Senior Electrical & Instrumentation Engineer** with over **45 years** of extensive experience in **Oil, Gas, Petrochemical, Refinery & Power** industries. His expertise includes Safety Instrumented Systems (**SIS**), Safety Integrity Level (**SIL**), Emergency Shutdown (**ESD**); **DCS, SCADA & PLC**; **Measurement (Flow, Temperature, Pressure)**; **Process Analyzers & Analytical Instrumentation**; **Process Control, Instrumentation & Safeguarding**; **Process Controller, Control Loop & Valve Tuning**; **Industrial Distribution Systems**; **Industrial Control & Control Systems**, **Power Systems Protection & Relaying**; **Earthing, Bonding, Grounding, Lightning & Surge Protection**; **Electric Power Substation & Systems**; **Electrical Engineering Principles**; **Motor Control Circuit**; **Electrical Fault Analysis**; **Electrical Networks & Distribution Cables**; **Circuit Breakers, Switchgears, Transformers, Hazardous Areas Classification** and **Detailed Engineering Drawings, Codes & Standards**. Furthermore, he is also well-versed in **Microprocessors Structure**, **Lead Auditor (ISO 9000:2000)**, **ISO 9002**, **Quality Assurance**, and **Projects & Contracts Management**.

Presently, Mr. Marave is the **Technical Advisor** of **Chamber of Industry & Commerce** in Greece. Prior to this, he gained his thorough practical experience through several positions as the **Technical Instructor, Engineering Manager, Electronics & Instruments Head, Electrical, Electronics & Instruments Maintenance Superintendent, Assistant General Technical Manager** and **Engineering Supervisor** of various international companies such as the **Alumil Mylonas, Athens Papermill, Astropol** and the **Science Technical Education**.

Mr. Marave is a **Registered Professional Engineer** and has **Master's** and **Bachelor's** degrees in **Electrical Engineering** from the **Polytechnic Institute of New York** and **Pratt Institute of New York (USA)** respectively. Further, he is a **Certified Instructor/Trainer**, a **Certified Internal Verifier/Assessor/Trainer** by the **Institute of Leadership & Management (ILM)** and an active member of the **Technical Chamber** and the **Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineer (IEEE)** in Greece. He has presented and delivered **numerous international** courses, conferences, trainings and workshops worldwide.

### Accommodation

Accommodation is not included in the course fees. However, any accommodation required can be arranged at the time of booking.



**Course Program**

The following program is planned for this course. However, the course instructor(s) may modify this program before or during the course for technical reasons with no prior notice to participants. Nevertheless, the course objectives will always be met:

**Day 1**

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| 0730 – 0800 | Registration & Coffee  |
| 0800 – 0815 | Welcome & Introduction   |
| 0815 – 0830 | <b>PRE-TEST</b>  |
| 0830 – 0900 | <b>Legislation &amp; Standards</b>   |
| 0900 – 0915 | <b>Risk Management &amp; Control</b>   |
| 0915 - 0930 | <b>Approach to High Voltage - Safe Systems of Work, Permit Types &amp; Permit Procedures</b> |
| 0930 – 0945 | Break  |
| 0945 – 1030 | <b>Operate Local HV Switchgear</b>   |
| 1030 – 1100 | <b>Operate Local LV Switchgear</b>   |
| 1100 – 1230 | <b>Develop HV Switchgear Program</b>   |
| 1230 – 1245 | Break  |
| 1245 – 1330 | <b>Control Permit to Work Operations</b>   |
| 1330 - 1420 | <b>Perform Switching to a Switching Program</b>  |
| 1420 – 1430 | <b>Recap</b>   |
| 1430        | Lunch & End of Day One   |

**Day 2**

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| 0730 – 0815 | <b>Coordinate &amp; Direct Switching Program</b>                                    |
| 0815 – 0845 | <b>Working Safely near Live Electrical Apparatus</b>                                |
| 0845 – 0930 | <b>Apply Access Procedures to Work on or Near Electrical Network Infrastructure</b> |
| 0930 – 0945 | Break   |
| 0945 – 1015 | <b>Perform HV Field Switching Operation to a Given Schedule</b>                     |
| 1015 – 1145 | <b>Perform Power System Substation Switching Operation to a Given Schedule</b>      |
| 1145 - 1230 | <b>Develop High Voltage Switching Schedule</b>                                      |
| 1230 – 1245 | Break   |
| 1245 – 1315 | <b>Coordinate Power Systems Permit Procedures</b>                                   |
| 1315 – 1345 | <b>Coordinate &amp; Direct Power System Switching Schedules</b>                     |
| 1345 - 1420 | <b>Solve Problems in Energy Supply Network Equipment</b>                            |
| 1420 – 1430 | <b>Recap</b>  |
| 1430        | Lunch & End of Day Two  |

**Day 3**

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|-------------|--|
| 0730 – 0930 | <b>Isolation Certificates</b>            |
| 0930 – 0945 | Break                                    |
| 0945 – 1100 | <b>Isolation Certificates (cont'd)</b>   |
| 1100 – 1230 | <b>Electrical Permit to Work</b>         |
| 1230 – 1245 | Break                                    |
| 1245 – 1420 | <b>Danger Notices &amp; Pre-Cautions</b> |
| 1420 – 1430 | <b>Recap</b>                             |
| 1430        | Lunch & End of Day Three                 |



**Day 4**

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| 0730 – 0930 | <b>Sanction for Test</b>         |
| 0930 – 0945 | Break                            |
| 0945 – 1100 | <b>Log-Out &amp; Tag-Out</b>     |
| 1100 – 1230 | <b>Safe Key Systems</b>          |
| 1230 – 1245 | Break                            |
| 1245 – 1420 | <b>Safe Key Systems (cont'd)</b> |
| 1420 – 1430 | <b>Recap</b>                     |
| 1430        | Lunch & End of Day Four          |

**Day 5**

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|-------------|---|
| 0730 – 0830 | <b>Electrical Safety Systems- Interlocks-Earthing-Isolation &amp; Access Control</b>  |
| 0830 – 0845 | Break   |
| 0845 – 0945 | <b>Electrical Safety Systems- Interlocks-Earthing-Isolation &amp; Access Control (cont'd)</b>   |
| 0945 – 1030 | <b>Fault Reports</b>  |
| 1030 – 1045 | Break   |
| 1045 – 1245 | <b>Practical Session</b><br>Switching Program   |
| 1245 – 1300 | <b>Course Conclusion</b><br>Using this Course Overview, the Instructor(s) will Brief Participants about the Course Topics that were Covered During the Course |
| 1300 – 1400 | <b>COMPETENCY EXAM</b>  |
| 1400 – 1415 | Evaluation of Competency Exam   |
| 1415 – 1430 | Presentation of Course Certificates   |
| 1430        | Lunch & End of Course   |





### Practical Sessions

This practical and highly-interactive course includes the following practical sessions using Haward's HV Switchgears:-



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|-----------------------------------|--|
| (1) Switching Programs            | (6) Lock-Out & Tag-Out   |
| (2) Isolation Certificates        | (7) Safe Key Systems   |
| (3) Electrical Permit to Work     | (8) Electrical Safety Systems-Interlocks-Earthing-Isolation & Access Control |
| (4) Danger Notices & Pre-Cautions | (9) Fault Reports  |
| (5) Sanction for Test             |  |

### Course Coordinator

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