



Successful Value Driven Maintenance® seminars in both the Netherlands and the UK



On the 28th and 29th of October Industrielinqs and Mainnovation hosted a successful VDM seminar in the inspiring environment of the "Van Nelle Ontwerfabriek" (Van Nelle Designfactory) in Rotterdam.

On day one speakers from leading maintenance organisations from various industries demonstrated their experiences with Value Driven Maintenance®. Speakers from DSM, NedTrain, Volvo Cars, the Port of Rotterdam, Astellas, Pepsico and the World Class Maintenance Consortium impressed the audience with both

their way of presenting as the content of their presentations. On the second day the delegates got the chance to experiment with VDM themselves, during the most sophisticated real life Maintenance game in today's market; the Value Driven Maintenance Business Experience. The delegates evaluated both days with great scores.



A week later, On Tuesday 4 November, 2008, Conference Communication, in conjunction with Mainnovation, organised the one day "Getting Lean through Value Driven Maintenance®" conference at Scarman house, Warwick University, UK. Many companies in Europe have introduced Lean practices through VDM, with very impressive results. At the conference, speakers from Akzo Nobel, Centocor Pharmaceuticals (a Johnson & Johnson company), Coor Service Management (at Volvo Aero) and Royal Boskalis Westminster

described how they have managed to link up with Lean Thinking and how Value Driven Maintenance® has assisted them to accelerate the lean benefits. Their presentations were greatly appreciated by the delegates and this seminar also received an overall very well evaluation.



If you would have wanted to attend one of these seminars but couldn't, or if you would like to be notified in case any future seminars are being organised, please do not hesitate to contact us!