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# PROJECT CARGO NETWORK MONTHLY NEWS

## ABOUT PCN

Established in 2010, the Project Cargo Network (PCN) brings together professionals in heavy lift and project cargo logistics through a structured global network governed by strict membership rules. PCN includes over 340 companies across more than 110 countries and operates in accordance with ISO 9001 and ISO 14001 standards. The network consistently maintains a high annual renewal rate of around 95%.

PCN also offers an online Heavy Lift training program that has been used by organisations such as DHL, Kuehne+Nagel, Bertling Logistics, DB Schenker, and DSV Panalpina, along with more than 1,000 worldwide companies.

We're thrilled to announce that our 2026 Annual Summit will be held from 15–17 November 2026 at the **JW Marriott Hotel Muscat** in Oman!

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Welcome to our monthly eMagazine, an official PCN publication which includes articles on Member's projects, the latest companies to join, reminders of membership tools and official updates.

Distributed to both our internal readership of 10,000+ staff worldwide and also accessible to the 5000+ visitors per month to our website. We also invite external companies to subscribe and currently over 500 industry executives engaged in energy, construction, shipping, and ancillary industries have asked to regularly receive a copy. Please feel free to **subscribe** and each issue will be delivered straight to your inbox.

To see the latest news, please see the **News section** of our website.

We are delighted by our continued strong growth - scan the QR code to see our impressive association which has a global reach of over 110 countries. However, we are more impressed with the amount of business and projects that our members collaborate on. It is why we exist!

Head to **page 12** for details on our exciting 2026 Annual Summit in Oman!

Enjoy this issue.

Rachel Crawford FCILT  
PCN President/C.E.O.





The PCN Team  
From left: Tom, Judith, George,  
Rachel, Sam, Wendy

**Rachel is supported at the PCN Head Office by a strong group of talented individuals drawn from a variety of transport and media backgrounds, all of whom very much contribute to the success of our organisations.**

### MEMBER SUPPORT

Judith manages the network on a day-to-day basis, assisted by Wendy and Tom. Together they ensure that all systems are up-to-date and are the first stop for any Member queries. In addition, Wendy secures collaborations with the **world's top industry exhibitions**.

### RECRUITMENT

Sam manages membership recruitment, selecting companies who will become active Members. His current aim is to expand our global coverage filling our **vacant territories** and emerging markets. Sam also runs our **News Desk**, publishing online articles and managing the company's **LinkedIn** account.

### PUBLICATIONS

George is responsible for the production of our colourful **eMagazines** (packed with Members news!) and all brochures, marketing and sales material available to Members.



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# Fast & Efficient Project Solutions from Petrel Central Asia

**We are pleased to introduce Petrel Central Asia as new members in Kazakhstan. Located in Almaty, their professional, reliable and trustworthy team have the necessary knowledge and experience to handle complex projects.**

*“Petrel Central Asia is advancing with innovative and bold steps in the heart of the rapidly changing logistics world. With our well-trained team, ultra-modern technology and customer-oriented approach, we always aim to take expectations one step further.*

*We are professionals in the transportation of oversized and heavy project cargo loads using*

*specialised equipment. Our **multimodal project cargo services** are provided to a wide range of industrial projects including oil & gas, mining, power & energy, construction, infrastructure, automotive, marine, defense, machinery, and manufacturing.”*

*“We optimize transportation processes with **fast, efficient and economical solutions** specific to the characteristics and needs of each project.”*

*“We look forward to connecting with the **experienced and reliable PCN partners worldwide.”***

Pictured above is a recent project handled by Petrel involving the sea transportation of a oil production facility.

# HEAVY LIFT & PROJECT CARGO MENTORSHIP PROGRAMME

**A unique hands-on learning experience for the next generation of heavy lift & project cargo specialists**

We are delighted to introduce a brand-new Mentorship Programme designed to support the next generation of heavy lift and project cargo professionals within our membership.

This initiative pairs **less-experienced personnel** with **highly experienced industry experts**, offering a unique opportunity to follow a **live, real-time project** from start to finish. Instead of classroom theory or case studies, mentees will gain practical insight by observing an actual project as it unfolds.

## How It Works

- Mentors and mentees are carefully matched based on experience and learning goals.
- Each mentorship team will connect on a **weekly call** to review the project's progress.
- Calls will focus on real challenges, decisions, timelines, methods, pricing, compliance, and client needs.
- Weekly reviews run until project completion, creating a powerful end-to-end learning journey.

## Why Take Part?

### For Mentors:

- Share your expertise and guide the next generation
- Support talent across our global network
- Play a meaningful role in strengthening industry capability

### For Mentees:

- Learn directly from experts with decades of real experience
- Understand the practical side of heavy lift operations
- Build confidence and fast-track your professional development

## Ready to Join?

Please [click here](#) to learn more and to access our Sign-Up Forms.

We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible participating in this exciting new initiative!







# Take your logistics operations to the Next level

## Centralize your operations on a single database

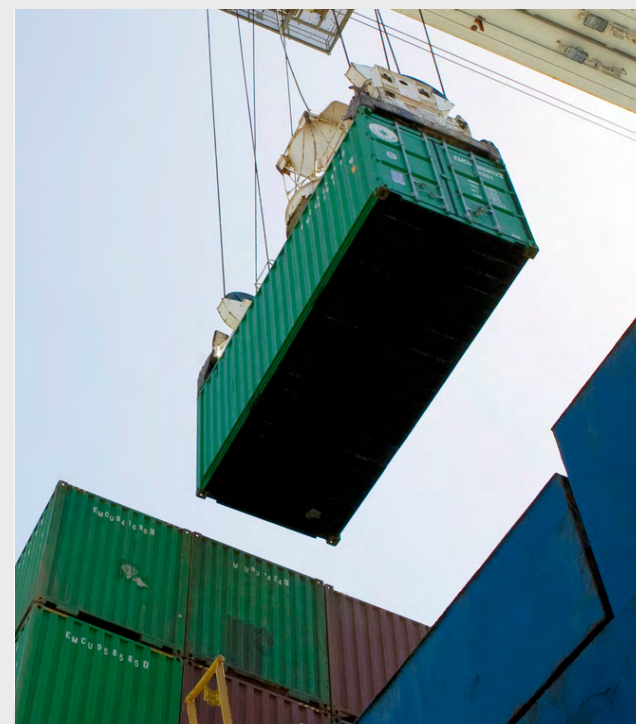
With all your data accessible in one secure, centralized location, you can eliminate need to run multiple platforms, which in-turn eliminates the need to re-key data, all while increasing productivity, visibility and communication.

## Operate any where, in any language

CargoWise is a multi-language and multi-currency platform, allowing screens and documents to be viewed in over 30 different languages – allowing users to eliminate language barriers, calculate local taxes and submit the right paperwork.

## Configure your system to work for you

CargoWise features powerful configuration tools that help you automate, manage and optimize your operations. Every task, process or job can be fine-tuned and configured to build workflows and processes that allow CargoWise to work the way you want it to.



### EXCLUSIVE DISCOUNTS AND BENEFITS AVAILABLE TO MEMBERS

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# DAKO Worldwide Transport Deliver for Power Plant Project



**D**uring the holiday season, DAKO Worldwide Transport successfully delivered a 291tn engine (14.24 x 4.26 x 6.32m) and a 75tn generator for an ongoing power plant project in Cartagena, Colombia.

The cargo was shipped from Vaasa in Finland to Cartagena, Colombia.

*"Delivering another flawless operation to our clients reinforces our strong track record in handling power plant projects."*





# Ramps Logistics Mobilises Antonov to Deliver Critical Equipment over Christmas

**R**amps Logistics report a critical Christmas delivery completed in under 48 hours with innovation and efficiency by mobilising an Antonov AN-124.

*“Christmas Eve into Christmas Day is one of the most unforgiving operating windows in logistics. Capacity is scarce, working hours are tight, and timelines collapse fast. But for 24/7 production facilities, the work cannot wait.”*

During this peak holiday period, Ramps Logistics in Trinidad & Tobago was tasked with an urgent move to support the rapid restoration of full production at a local industrial plant. With freight options limited, the holiday window closing, and cargo positioned across multiple locations, the operation demanded a **decisive solution and flawless execution.**

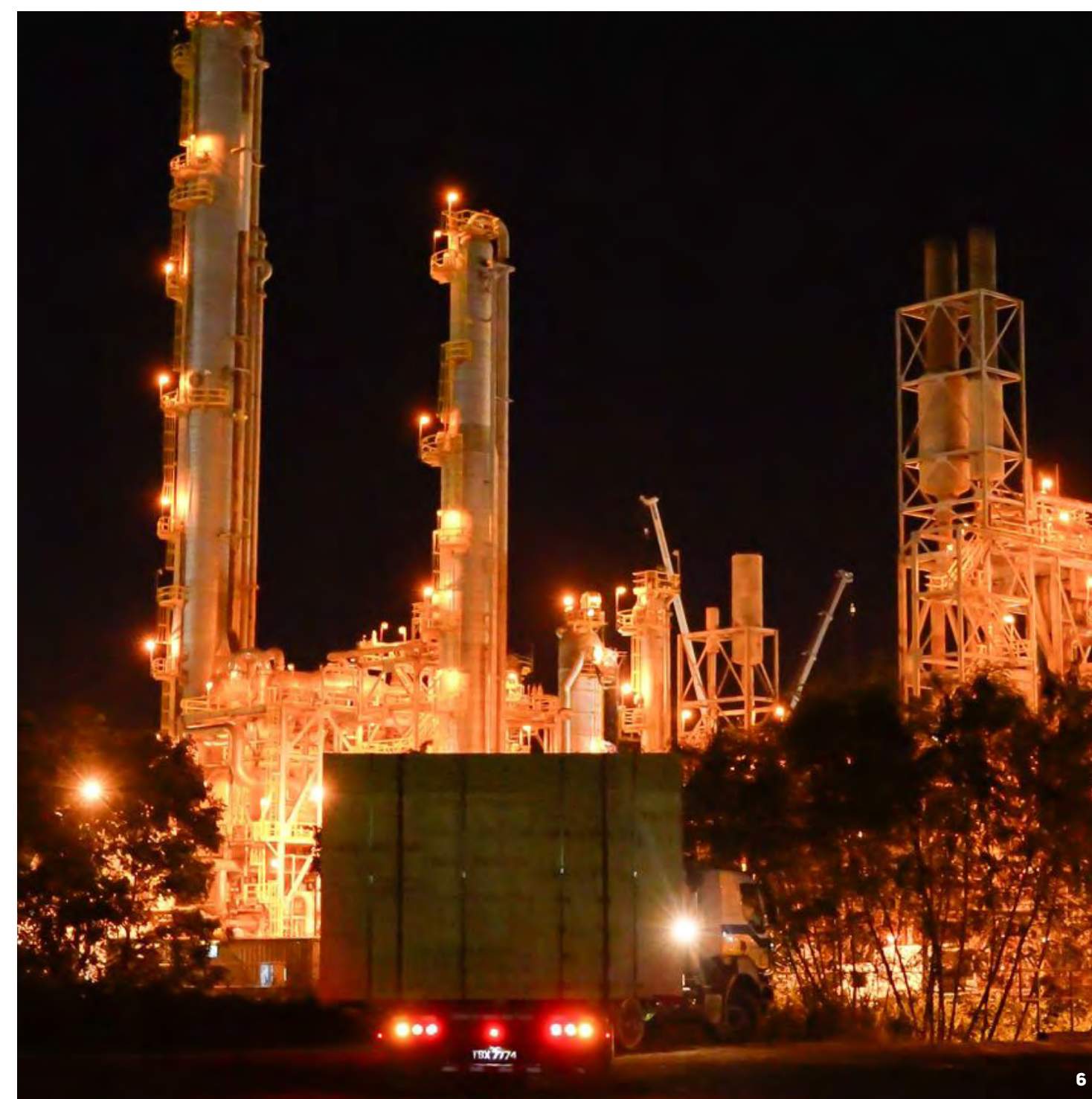
**The answer was an Antonov AN-124.**

One of the largest cargo aircraft in the world and a rare arrival into Trinidad, the Antonov was mobilised to meet the challenge. In under 48 hours, the Ramps Logistics team coordinated the consolidation, clearance, security screening, and loadout of critical equipment. Just after 9pm on Christmas Eve, the aircraft entered Trinidad and Tobago’s airspace. Before the clock struck Christmas Day, the cargo was on the ground and moving to the site, enabling engineers to begin bringing the facility back online.

*“This operation was executed under pressure at the highest level showing **real-time problem solving** as well as tight coordination across stakeholders, with safety and compliance*

*protected at every step. The kind of discipline most people never see, but which many depend on when timing matters most.*

*Organisations managing critical timelines know that peak-period moves like this are a reminder that the real differentiator isn’t speed alone, it’s preparedness. When capacity is tight and the margin for error disappears, outcomes depend on partners who can anticipate constraints early, coordinate across all stakeholders, and execute operations safely without losing momentum.”*







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# NEW PCN MEMBERS SINCE LAST ISSUE

COMPANY	COUNTRY	DATE JOINED
Petrel Central Asia	Kazakhstan	19 January 2026
Modus Logistics Management	Greece	21 January 2026



# Modus Logistics Management are Here to Deliver!

We are pleased to approve Modus Logistics Management as new members in Greece. Based in Athens, they are specialists in project forwarding and project logistics management.

The company are certified by the Association of International Freight Forwarders & Logistics Enterprises of Greece with a professional, reliable and dynamic team.

Managing Director, **Dimitris Pataras** comments; “We are keen to find strong and expert partners in the PCN network.”

“Modus is a leading logistics provider specializing in the efficient management of **power generation and energy projects**. Our team consists of logistics professionals who possess huge knowledge and expertise in handling challenging cargo.”

“We are committed to delivering high-quality, customer-centric solutions that optimize operational flow and add value to our clients’ businesses. With extensive experience, we pride ourselves on efficiently navigating complex logistics challenges as well as demanding customs procedures and transportation

regulations, ensuring smooth management.”

“Our key strengths lies in our **adaptability and flexibility**. We understand that every project has its unique demands and we are able to surpass expectations by diving deep into those requirements and providing **tailored solutions**.”

“At Modus Logistics Management, we firmly believe in fostering long-term relationships with our partners and clients. We understand that **trust, reliability, and prompt responsiveness** are the pillars of successful collaborations.

We offer integrated services that cover all aspects and rise to the occasion with **efficiency and professionalism**. Our portfolio of project cargo handling consists of many high-value, transportation projects successfully performed on tight deadlines and often under difficult circumstances. Whether you need a turnkey services provider who will supervise the entire project from start to finish or a partner who will manage one challenging segment of a transportation project, we are here to deliver!”

Please **click here** for details of some recently handled projects from Modus Logistics Management.





## The 26<sup>th</sup> China International Petroleum & Petrochemical Technology and Equipment Exhibition

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# 2026 Annual Summit Muscat, Oman

The event will be held from 15–17 November 2026 at the JW Marriott Hotel in Muscat, Oman.

Framed by mountains, desert, and sea, it's the ideal spot for pre- or post-event relaxation.


Perfectly positioned at the crossroads of Asia, Africa, and Europe, Oman is easily reached via direct flights or 1-stop connections through many major hubs and Muscat International Airport (MCT) welcomes over 40 international airlines serving 100+ destinations.

We'll kick things off in style on Sunday evening with an elegant dinner under the stars on the beautiful lawns of the JW Marriott Hotel, providing the perfect setting to reconnect and network in a relaxed atmosphere. Then get ready for two full days of 1-2-1 meetings that promise to be both productive and rewarding.

On Monday night, we'll whisk you away on a short coach ride to an unforgettable Omani-themed evening, complete with live music, dazzling dancers, and a few surprises that will make the night truly magical.

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# Introducing Our New Monthly Online Social Catch-Ups!

**We're delighted to introduce a new and enjoyable way for our members to stay connected, a monthly online social catch-up, created to bring our global family together in a friendly, informal setting.**

These sessions are all about conversation with no presentations or agenda, just a relaxed space to share what's happening in your world and to strengthen the friendships behind the business. **It's also a great opportunity to put faces to names, welcome new members, and stay in touch between our Annual Summits.** Each month will feature a light theme to help spark conversation (see next page).

Our catch-ups will take place on Zoom, we encourage cameras on if possible, and you're welcome to bring along a drink or snack. The session will last up to one hour, and you're free to join the conversation at any time, whether you're at your desk, at home, or traveling.

When hosting a global meeting, there is no perfect time. Therefore, the sessions will take place at **15:00 GMT** as this is considered the most globally inclusive across the majority of time zones.

**Looking forward to seeing you online and keeping our global community connected all year round.**

*Rachel Crawford*  
Founder/C.E.O.

## MONTHLY THEME CALENDAR

### **5 January – “Hello 2026!”**

Happy New Year! Let's start by looking ahead, what's one thing you're excited for or looking forward to in 2026? Big or small, we'd love to hear it.

### **3 February – “Favourite Things”**

Let's share something you're loving at the moment, maybe a TV show, book, hobby, or even a snack you've discovered. What's your current favourite thing?

### **3 March – “Where in the World Are You?”**

Since we're joining from all over the world, let's begin with something local. Show or tell us something from where you are, your weather, a view, a food, or a fun fact about your city.

### **7 April – “Childhood Throwback”**

Here is something fun ... share a childhood memory that still makes you laugh or smile. It can be sweet, silly, or surprising.

### **5 May – “Hidden Talents & Quirks”**

What's one hidden talent or quirky little skill you have? Nothing is too small or too strange, we love them all!

### **2 June – “Weekend Joys”**

Time for something simple ... what does your perfect weekend look like? Whether it's adventure or doing absolutely nothing, we want to hear.

### **7 July – “Food & Feasts”**

Food brings us together, so let's begin with a delicious topic, what's your favourite comfort food, or a dish your country is famous for?

### **4 August – “Holidays & Adventures”**

This topic is travel, what's the best place you've ever visited, or where would you go tomorrow if you could hop on a plane anywhere?

### **1 September – “Pets, Plants & People”**

Now for something close to home. Introduce us to something you care for, a pet, a plant, or even a family tradition. We'd love to meet what matters to you.

### **6 October – “Fun & Fears”**

This theme is light and playful ... what's something silly you're afraid of, or something fun you'd love to try but haven't yet? No judgement, we all have them.

### **3 November – “Feel-Good Moments”**

Let's spread some positivity. What's something that made you smile or laugh recently? Big or small, we want to hear your feel-good moment.

### **1 December – “The Year's Best Bits”**

As we wrap up the year, let's share one highlight from the past 12 months. It can be a personal win, a special moment, or something simple that meant a lot.





# Middle East Bunkering Convention

**3-4 February 2026**

**Hilton Dubai Jumeirah, UAE**

Now in its 11th year, the Middle East Bunkering Convention returns to Dubai where it will debate the many and complex issues impacting the marine fuels industry, from both a regional and a global perspective.

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# Go Gauge Projects Report Heavy Lift Chartering

**Go Gauge Projects have recently successfully executed the chartering of a heavy lift vessel for the shipping of a 200mt piece of industrial machinery, along with additional packages.**

The cargo was delivered by Go Gauge under a **door-to-door turnkey solution** from Shanghai, China to Mumbai, India. Their scope of

work included cargo surveys, ground lifting operations, heavy haul transportation, and ocean freight on the heavy lift vessel.

The successful execution was supported by detailed engineering studies, route and lifting analysis, and strict compliance with international safety and operational standards.

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