

Reappointed Chair of ISO Acoustics & Noise

After 6 years as chair, Douglas Manvell has been reappointed for another 3 years

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Starting 1st January 2022, Douglas Manvell, Founder and Director of DMdB, enters a new period as chair of the International Organization for Standardization's (ISO) Acoustics & Noise Technical Committees. At the same time, he has also been re-appointed as convenor of the ISO working group on environmental noise. This reappointment term of 3 years for ISO TC 43, Acoustics; ISO TC43 / SC 1, Noise; and the European Committee for Standardization (CEN) TC 211, Acoustics extends Douglas' 6-year period already served.

ISO TC 43 Acoustics

ISO Acoustics deals with standardization all aspects of acoustics while ISO Noise deals with measurement of noise emission from sources, assessment of the effects of sound on humans, and with noise control.

Douglas Manvell states *"let me say how happy, thankful and proud I am to continue these positions. I look forward to continuing to work to ensure smooth, efficient and successful standardization management in cooperation with Agnes Sayer, manager of these committees."*

ISO Environmental Noise

Independent of this, Douglas has also been reappointed as convenor of ISO TC43/SC1's Working Group 45 on the description and measurement of environmental noise, also for another 3 years. This working group deals primarily with the ISO 1996-series of standards. Current work includes development of objective methods for the measurement of prominence of impulsive sounds and for assessing the audibility of tones, both expected published in 2022.

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