Alejandro Jiménez, Project Engineer: “It looks more impressive seeing it than doing it.”

Tim Hobday, Project Engineer: “The training is being really useful actually and last week we were doing the first aid training, which is a really valuable life skill both for work and at home.”

Julio de la Jara, Contract Manager: “We are beginning to work offshore, therefore we need a minimum amount of training for a significantly different environment to what we are used to.”

“It’s the first time that I face a fire directly. It’s good to experience this before you may have to tackle it in a real situation.”

Alejandro Jiménez, Project Engineer: “You feel cautious, but once you have seen your colleagues extinguishing the fire before, you realize there’s no danger. When you get close to it you see how easy it is.”

“The first exercises have been a combination of sea survival and working at height. We have jumped with a system called Milan. This system makes you fall at a constant speed. This is a simulation of how we would have to get down from the TP into the sea, falling into the water directly.”

Julio de la Jara, Contract Manager: “The exercises are not particularly difficult. They teach us important points such as: how to react in an emergency, accident; having really clear ideas and steps to follow in situations that are not part of your daily routine, being out of your comfort zone.”

Stuart Cameron, Managing Director Maersk Training: “It’s absolutely primordial that the technicians are trained to a high level. The offshore sector and offshore windsector is a dangerous environment so is essential individuals have got the required skills to work safer.”

Alejandro Jiménez, Project Engineer: “If these exercises had taken place in the sea, I would have been scared. But thanks to all these techniques we have learned, in spite of being scared, can make a difference.”