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# The Post

**SAME Mission:** "TO LEAD COLLABORATIVE EFFORTS TO IDENTIFY AND RESOLVE NATIONAL SECURITY INFRASTRUCTURE-RELATED CHALLENGES."

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## Effective and Economical Concrete Moisture Control

Presenter: Richard Koon, Barrier One Contract Agency

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Barrier One is the only award winning, scientifically proven, porosity inhibiting admixture developed with our full line of exclusive concrete enhancement technology (CET) products.

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## SAME REGIONAL VP MEDAL

Post President Mike Resty presented Wesley (Wes) Vaughn, Post Scholarship Chair, with a Regional VP award (on behalf of RVP Cindy Miller) for outstanding support to the SAME golf tournament, which is a main source of income for our scholarship fund. Pictured to the left is Wes (left) and Post President Mike Resty.

# Look out for these Upcoming Events!

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## WHAT'S COMING UP:



February 6-8, 2019  
San Antonio, TX

Get in front of targeted, qualified buyers in the FM and A/E/C fields to compete in a more sustainable, global, resourceful and mobile marketplace.

There will be workshop sessions to allow you to explore options for solving facility obstacles. For more information, please visit: <http://www.fmworkshop.org/index.cfm>



February 28 – March 1, 2019  
Linthicum, MD

The SAME Transition Workshop and Job Fair connects uniformed and veteran service members with organizations recruiting qualified A/E/C professionals. For more information, please visit: <https://www.same.org/calendar/ModuleID/6303/ItemID/760/mct/EventDetails>



March 11-13, 2019  
Herndon, VA

From in-depth forums presented by leaders in the federal sector to an informational panel featuring the Engineering Service Chiefs of the Army, Navy, and Air Force, the DoD & Federal Agency Program Briefings is SAME's premiere forward-looking event. Open exclusively to SAME members, the event provides preview of the coming fiscal-year construction programs of the uniformed services and select federal agencies. The SAME Academy of Fellows will also hold three major events as part of Capital Week! For more information, please visit: [www.samecapweek.org/index.cfm](http://www.samecapweek.org/index.cfm)



February 9<sup>th</sup>  
2019 GSPE MathCounts  
Competition

February 21<sup>st</sup>  
SAME Meeting

February 22-24  
Georgia State Academic  
Decathlon Competitions

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## SAME Vision:

"TO BE RECOGNIZED AS THE MULTI-DISCIPLINED INTEGRATOR OF MILITARY, PUBLIC, PRIVATE, AND ACADEMIC NATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE-RELATED CAPABILITIES TO PRODUCE VIABLE SOLUTIONS FOR AMERICA'S NATIONAL SECURITY."