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

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Project Management Institute: Benefits and How to Join Presenter: David Roebuck, Krebs Engineering and Rosanna Juestel, Synovus

Rosana Juestel PMP has over 10 years of professional experience in a variety of areas such as, planning, research, coordination, plan implementation, process improvement, customer relations, project management, and marketing/advertising. Rosana is currently working for Synovus as the PMO Program Analyst.



Rosana is originally from Bogota, Colombia where she completed her bachelor's degree in industrial engineering from Catholic University of Colombia. Then moved to the states and earned another bachelor's degree in business administration from Columbus State University. Shortly thereafter, she obtained a master's degree in Public Administration from the same university. She has been a member of PMI since 2014. Shortly after joining, she became the VP of Marketing and Communications for our Chapter. She has enjoyed preparing different marketing material and communications to help with the various meetings and events. She is eager to continue making positive contributions to our chapter now as President.

Mr. Roebuck, PE, CCM, PMP, LEED AP has more than 35 years of experience as a professional engineer, program manager and construction manager with a wide range of infrastructure projects both in the United States and internationally.



David is a Registered Professional Engineer in Alabama, Georgia, Florida, Texas and New York. He holds a Master of Science in Civil Engineering from the University of Alabama at Birmingham and a Bachelor of Civil Engineering from Auburn University.



SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The SAME Fort Benning-Columbus, GA Chapter is partnering with the PMI Columbus, Georgia Chapter for the first time to enhance the collaboration between these two nationally recognized organizations to promote the importance between the Project Management and Professional Engineering fields. We believe this mutually beneficial engagement will result in enhancing the professional bond between these closely related professional groups. This effort is in line with the national goals of both organizations.

The Columbus Georgia Chapter of the Project Management Institute (PMI) is recognized as a dynamic organization of professional project managers dedicated to serving the business and education of its area of operation through the advancement of Project Management. The Chapter provides a forum for professional project managers to promote the principals and mission of the PMI through networking with other project managers, sharing project experiences, providing and receiving training, and supporting Project Managers in their certification efforts. The Chapter area of Operation includes the city of Columbus, GA and surrounding areas. LaGrange, GA borders the area to the north, Montgomery, AL to the west, Warner Robins, GA to the east and Albany, GA to the south. Visit <http://www.pmicolumbusga.org/> for more information.

POST EVENTS

SAME Ft. Benning-Columbus Post 21st Annual Golf Tournament – Friday June 7th, 2019

Location: The Fort Benning Golf Club

<https://www.same.org/Get-Connected/Find-a-Post/Fort-Benning-Columbus/Golf-Tournament>

Golf registration will begin at 7:30 A.M. with a shotgun start at 8:30 A.M.

Breakfast will be available at registration. Immediately following golf there will be a catered lunch, golf awards assembly, and the presentation of the scholarship award winners.

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:

Premium Sponsor: \$500 (includes four-person team, hole sign and tournament signage) 36 spots available

Beverage Sponsor: \$500 (signage on beverage carts and recognized on tournament signage) 2 spots available

Driving Range Sponsor: \$500 (signage on driving range and recognized on tournament signage) 1 spot available

Lunch Sponsor: \$500 (recognized at award ceremony and on tournament signage) 2 spots available

Breakfast Sponsor: \$500 (recognized at award ceremony and on tournament signage) 1 spot available

Four Person Team: \$250 / Active Duty or Government Employee Team \$200

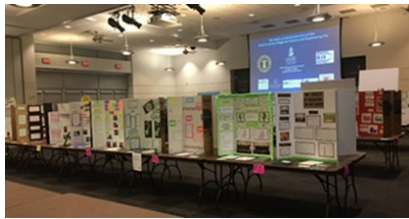
Individual Player \$75 / Active Duty or Government Employee Player \$50

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******DO YOU HAVE COMPANY 'SWAG' THAT YOU WANT TO DISTRIBUTE IN THE BAGS?******



STEAM CORNER

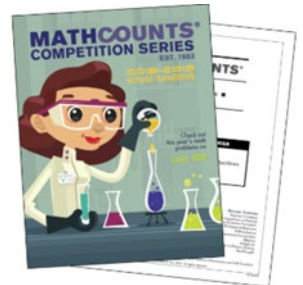


Columbus Regional Science & Engineering Fair | 1/28/2019

Thank you to Post members John Brent, Dorinda Morpeth, Don Jones, Jason Powers and Post Vice President Kirk Ticknor who served as judges for the 2019 Columbus Regional Science Fair.

2019 GSPE MATHCOUNTS Competition | 2/9/2019

MATHCOUNTS is a national program designed to improve math skills among U.S. students. The program focuses on middle school students, who are at a crucial stage in developing and sustaining math interest and ability. Students who do not begin developing strong problem-solving, logical thinking and analytical abilities in middle school will face an uphill battle later in life if they wish to pursue a medical, scientific, mathematical, engineering or technical career. Post Board Members Goeff and Whitney Ray supported this as competition coordinators/judges. Thank you for your involvement in supporting our community!



Exploring the World of Science

2019 Regional Science Olympiad

Post Vice President Kirk Ticknor and Cindy Ticknor with Columbus State University are instrumental in the planning of this local event for middle school students. They devote hours of planning, preparation and supervision that allows this event to be such a success. This event brings 12-15 local middle schools together to compete in 23 events. There are approximately 150 student exhibits related to various topics such as Biology, Chemistry, Earth and Space Sciences, Health, Physical Education and Exercise Sciences, Logistical Services, Mathematics and Philosophy to name a few.

Georgia State Academic Decathlon Competition | 2/22/2019 – 2/24/2019

The ChattCo Middle High School, which is in rural Casseta, GA and adjacent to Fort Benning, has requested support for their Academic Decathlon Team as they participate in the Georgia State Academic Decathlon competitions.

ChattCo Middle High School is part of the Chattahoochee Valley Academy (CVA) that our SAME Chapter is targeting to mentor as they graduate future STEM students. The school is trying to raise \$1500 to offset expenses associated with food, lodging and registration for this event. This is right in line with our 2019 charter to grow future engineering professions. SAME Ft. Benning is proudly supporting these students by providing \$900 in their efforts to meet their goal.



SAME National Upcoming Events!

Stay Connected! Visit <https://www.same.org/> for additional details

TRANSITION WORKSHOP

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>

2019 CAPITAL WEEK

March 11- March 13, 2019 | Herdon, VA

Capital Week includes the FY2020 DOD & Federal Program Briefs and Academy of Fellows events (Luncheon, Investiture, Golden Eagle Awards Reception & Dinner). Please visit the conference website for more information: www.samecapweek.org

2019 SUMMER CAMPS

There are 5 engineering & construction camps offered this year including a new Navy camp at Port Hueneme. All the camp information is available on the Camps page:

<https://www.same.org/stemcamps>

Applications are open NOW for SAME's 2019 Engineering Camps – spread the word through your community!

Campers apply here:

<https://www.same.org/Camps/application-process>

STEM COMMITTEE SEEKS NEW LEADERSHIP

The STEM Committee seeks a Chair-elect to direct the committee starting at JETC 2019 for up to a two-year term. Details and to submit your name for consideration:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/7FKFL8Q>

DON'T FORGET:

March 4, 2019
Streamer Results

March 21, 2019
Post Meeting
Bldg. 6 | Rm 224

March 15, 2019
2019 Engineering Camps
Application Deadline

Scholarship Application
Deadline May 1, 2019

June 7, 2019
21st Annual Golf
Tournament
Golf registration will begin
at 7:30 A.M. with a
shotgun start at 8:30 A.M.

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SUSTAINING MEMBER NEWS

Are you with a Sustaining Member Firm?

If you would like to become one, or if you are not sure of your company's registration status, please contact any of our Board Members for more information.

Accepting Abstracts

We are accepting abstracts for presentations for 2019. Let us know what presentation topics, presenters, or tour ideas would most interest you. We want to know what is important to you.

Please contact Mr. Geoffrey Ray at: geoffrey.d.ray.civ@mail.mil with feedback or for more information.

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."