

# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear St. Louis Post Members,

Our Centennial Celebration is almost here! We're all set to have a beautiful event in the open-air World's Fair Pavilion overlooking the Grand Basin in Forest Park. We're excited that along with USACE St. Louis District's representation, SAME's Executive Director, Brig. Gen. Joseph Schroedel (Retired), and SAME's President-Elect, Ms. Cindy Lincicome, will be in attendance to help us celebrate. The event is scheduled from 4 pm – 7 pm, with brief remarks at 5:30 pm. The Planning Committee has worked hard to make this an enjoyable event; I can't wait to see you there!

Our August in-person lunch meeting featured our scholarship winners. It was encouraging to hear their stories and plans for the future and meet their families. All are headed into engineering fields and two have plans for U.S. Air Force careers. We wish them the best and are pleased to be a part of their journeys. Thanks to



Amanda Fisher and Maureen Roth for their work with the Education and Mentoring Committee throughout the year. Also, a big Thank you to those firms and individuals who continue to support these scholarships through our annual Education and Mentoring Golf Tournament.

Speaking of the Education and Mentoring Golf Tournament: it's October 1. Registration is now open. Details are in this newsletter for sponsorships and golf. It's always a fun day!

We've had many folks step up to volunteer for the upcoming Midwest Levee Conference, tentatively scheduled for October 2022, but there is plenty of room for more. Please let me know how you would like to help.

The Nominating Committee is looking for future leadership for our Post. Please reach out to me if you would like to be further involved in a committee or an office. And, as always, please reach out to me or any of our officers with questions or comments regarding Post activities. We look forward to hearing from you.

Pam Hobbs

Pam Hobbs President, St. Louis Post

SAME MISSION: "To lead collaborative efforts to identify and resolve national security infrastructure-related challenges."





9th Sept. 2021

SAME St. Louis Post 100th Centennial Celebration



Come join the St. Louis Post to celebrate our 100 year anniversary! We want to thank all our members for your support. Join us for heavy hors d'oeuvres, an open bar, and DJ. Spouses are welcome with ticket purchase.

\*Dress is nice business casual (no shorts please)

4pm - 7pm

World's Fair Pavilion in Forest Park 1904 Concourse Drive, St. Louis, MO 63110

WHEN

WHERE

Cost (Per Person):
\$30 (members)
\$50 (non-members)
\$10 (gov./military members)

CLICK HERE TO PURCHASE TICKETS

**REGISTRATION CLOSES SEPTEMBER 8!** 



# CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Sept. 9th - Centennial Celebration Happy Hour

Oct. 1st - SAME Golf Tournament

Nov 12<sup>th</sup> – Veterans Trivia Night/Silent Auction

# SEPTEMBER 9th - SAME CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION HAPPY HOUR



Date: Thursday, September 9, 2021

<u>Time:</u> 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. <u>Where:</u> World's Fair Pavilion

1904 Concourse Dr, St. Louis, MO 63110

Cost (Per Person):

\$30 (members)

\$50 (non-members)

\$10 (gov./military members)

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# OCTOBER 1st – 22ND ANNUAL EDUCATION AND MENTORING FUND GOLF TOURNAMENT

Join us for a golf tournament which will benefit the Education and Mentoring Fund! Bring a foursome and come ready for a day of golf and fun. As in past years, we will be joined by USACE St. Louis District Commander. Single entries will be grouped with other entries. Seniors (70+) will tee off from the Forward Tees!

Over the last 12 years, the SAME Golf Tournament has raised \$84,100 towards our Education and Mentoring Fund and provided \$58,500 in college scholarships. Any remaining funds have been used to provide SAME members with training opportunities.

Date: Friday, October 1, 2021

Time: 7:00 a.m. – 7:30 a.m. (registration); 7:30 a.m. (shotgun start)

Where: Forest Park

18 Golf Drive, Madison, IL 62060

Cost: \$100/person (public sector employees/retirees)

\$150/person (private sector employees)

Includes green fees, cart and range; refreshments on the course and after; lunch; and flight/attendance prizes. TO REGISTER

**CLICK HERE** 

More Information? Contact: Bob Welsch at <a href="mailto:bob.welsch@stantec.com">bob.welsch@stantec.com</a> or 314-941-3810 Sponsorship Available: Major - \$500; Lunch - \$400; Beverage - \$400; Hole-in-One - \$400; Hole - \$200



**CLICK HERE** 

TO REGISTER

# NOVEMBER 12th - 5th ANNUAL VETERANS TRIVIA NIGHT/SILENT AUCTION

Date: Friday, November 12, 2021

<u>Time:</u> 6:30 p.m. (doors open); 7:00 p.m. (trivia start) Where: 4359 Lindell Blvd, St. Louis, MO 63108

Cost: \$30 per ticket

All proceeds benefit the Paralyzed Veterans of America Gateway Chapter

Sponsorships: Event - \$1,500; Platinum - \$1,000; Gold - \$500; Beverage - \$400; Trivia - \$400; Silver - \$200



## **CAREERS**

# **U.S. Navy Reserve**

**US Navy Reserve** – The Navy has openings for Civil Engineer Corps (CEC) and Engineering Duty Officer (EDO) Reserve Officers, among others. Please contact LT Jack Ramage in charge of Officer Production for the Talent Acquisition Onboarding Center St. Louis.

CONTACT: LT JACK RAMAGE – JOHN.L.RAMAGE@NAVY.MIL or C: 314-610-4005

# VETERANS CURATION PROGRAM (VCP)

The Veterans Curation Program is re-open. The Program is now accepting applications for the Summer 2021 session. Please visit the site for more information and to download an application. Currently, all satellite VCP labs are operated on-site at university campuses.

Visit <u>www.VeteransCurationProgram.org</u> to learn more about the Program and download an application.

## **DID YOU KNOW?**

# SAME NATIONAL

Be sure to visit SAME National Calendar of Events to stay up to date on free webinars and national programs! You can find more information here!

# Scholarship Recipients attending July Luncheon

#### COMMITTEE MEMBERS

If you are interested in supporting a Committee/Board position, we are looking for volunteers. Contact President, Pam Hobbs for more info!



### **Affiliated Society Event**

St. Louis Post participated in the Affiliated Society event organized by The Engineering Center. Our table (pictured left) displayed information on our 100 years as a Post, recognition of our Sustaining Member Firms and upcoming events. President Pam Hobbs gave a brief presentation on SAME and the St. Louis Post to the attendees. The event was held in conjunction with The Engineers' Club Fellowship Night and was well attended by their Affiliated Societies.



# **MEMBERSHIP**

#### **WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS!**

Kimble Slaton - Prairie Engineers, P.C.

Jennifer Thompson - Hydrogeologic, Inc.

# Sustaining Members

**AECOM** 

Aerial Services, Inc.

Alberici Constructors, Inc.

Benham Design, LLC

**B&N** Inspection and Supply

Ben Hur Construction

Cabrera Services Inc.

CDG Engineers, Inc.

Crawford, Murphy, & Tilly, Inc.

CTI and Associates, Inc.

Envirocon, Inc.

Environmental Restoration, LLC

Environmental Solutions & Innovations, Inc.

Environmental Works, Inc.

Etegra, Inc.

Farnsworth Group, Inc.

Force Elegance

**G&W** Engineering

Gannett Fleming, Inc.

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HydroGeoLogic, Inc.

IMEG Corp.

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Oates Associates, Inc

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Rain for Rent

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Tetra Tech, Inc.

Thouvenot, Wade, & Moerchen, Inc.

USACE St. Louis District

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<u>Sustaining Member Benefit:</u> One benefit is the opportunity to present a three-minute organization overview at a monthly luncheon. For more information, or to schedule a presentation, please contact *Loren Boyd at loren@faithgroupllc.com*.

CLICK HERE TO SIGN UP AS A SUSTAINING OR INDIVIDUAL MEMBER



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# **QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS?**



If you have any questions, comments, concerns, or suggestions for the newsletter, please reach out to Loren Boyd.



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