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Highlight

*It is highly
encouraged
to bring several
colleagues to
the E-Week
Technical
Training
Conference to
help cover all
the great topics!*

2013 E-WEEK TECHNICAL TRAINING CONFERENCE

***"WHEN LESS BECOMES MORE" ...
"ACHIEVING SUCCESS IN CHALLENGING TIMES"***



February 19, 2013

Armstrong Center

13040 Abercorn Street, Savannah, GA 31419

<http://savannaheweek.org>

Click here to view the Savannah 2013 E-Week website for information on registration, agenda, speakers, sponsorship, etc.

The Savannah E-Week Technical conference provides technical training for civil, structural, geotechnical, water resources, environmental, electrical, and mechanical engineers.

Designed to provide industry insight related to engineering, entrepreneurship and leadership, the conference presentations will be divided into the following three tracks:

- **Government Track** - provides briefings that span the federal, military, state and local sectors to provide the very latest economic trends, developments and opportunities.
- **Engineering Track** - Local and regional engineering firms have developed presentations to educate participants on the latest engineering trends
- **Environmental Track** - Local and regional environmental firms have developed presentations to educate participants on the latest environmental trends that are cost effective in today's market.

This year's Savannah E-Week Conference not only brings the latest energy developments to the local architect/engineering community, it also provides an inexpensive way to earn professional development hours.

\$110 - Early Bird Registration (now through Feb. 1)

\$140 - Registration (after Feb. 1)

\$100 - Government Flat Rate

\$150 - At the door

\$25 - Student Registration

\$0 - Student Facilitators

For additional information and registration click here for the Savannah E-Week website:

<http://samesavannahpost.org>



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SAME Savannah Post Newsletter



Brasfield & Gorrie has been given the opportunity to compile and publish the Savannah Post Monthly newsletter. The goal of the newsletter is to keep the members up to date on what is going on in the post and to let them know what opportunities are available in the region and nationally. Each member is given the opportunity once a year to provide an article on their company and to provide a company logo to go with the article. A chart is provided in each newsletter that list all sustaining members and the month they can provide an article. The article should be no more than half a page. Each member is also given the opportunity to give a two-minute presentation at a monthly SAME meeting to introduce their company and explain what they do. We request that each speaker bring a gift for the raffle to be drawn after each presentation is complete. Most people bring gifts cards that are about \$50 or you are free to bring another gift of your choice. We have been doing this for about a year and so far close to 25 percent of the members have taken advantage of this opportunity. It is our hope that more companies will participate this year. The proceeds from the raffle go towards the SAME scholarship program. If you have any questions about the newsletter please contact Larry Christopher at lchristopher@brasfieldgorrie.com.

Larry Christopher, Senior Business Development Manager at Brasfield & Gorrie

JANUARY MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Col. Hall hands off the microphone to Gwen Parker, AECOM Director of Federal Small Business Programs.



Col. Jeffrey Hall greets everyone who attended the SAME Savannah Post January monthly meeting.



Peter A. Oddi, Deputy District Engineer for Programs and Project Management, was the January speaker at the luncheon. He spoke to the crowd about how he manages the PPM division which is responsible for executing an annual program that exceeds \$2 billion.





Don't Forget to Save the Dates:

June 11-12, 2013

**The SAME Savannah Post Small Business Showcase,
and Annual Program Review** at the Marriott
Riverfront in Savannah.

The Annual Golf Tournament will be held at
The Westin Savannah Harbor Golf
Resort and Spa in Savannah.

Upcoming Events:

DOD and Federal Agency

FY14 Program Briefings

on March 26, 2013; Bethesda, Maryland

SAME Joint Engineer

Training Conference & EXPO

from May 21-24; San Diego, California

SAME / DBIA

Federal Project Delivery Symposium

from August 20-22; National Harbor, Maryland

Executive Forum

from October 7-10; Sacramento, California

2013 South Central –

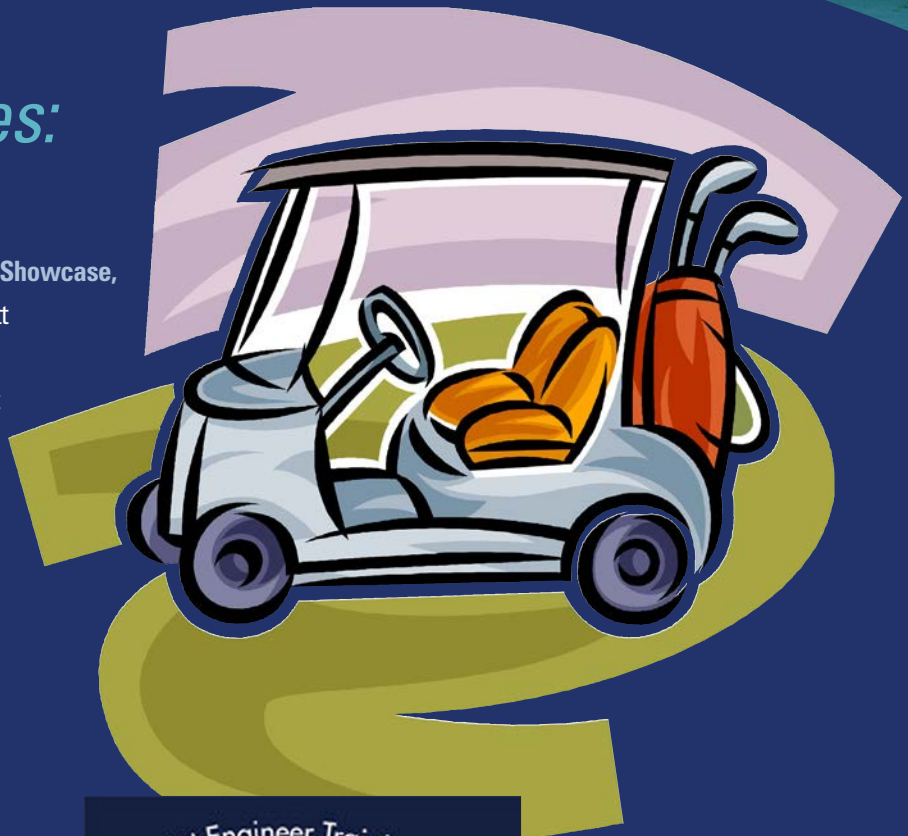
South Atlantic Engineering Training Symposium

from October 22-24; Mobile, Alabama

A Friendly Reminder...

There will not be a regular monthly SAME meeting due to E-Week.

We will resume our monthly meeting on March 18 at the Pirates House.





SUSTAINING MEMBER BRIEFINGS 2013

For 2013, the Savannah Post SAME is offering Sustaining Member firms the opportunity to submit an article on their company for the monthly newsletter, and to have a two-minute briefing to discuss their firm at the monthly SAME meeting. Each firm will be asked to bring a gift to raffle. A list of all sustaining members is below with each member's assigned month. We ask that all articles be forwarded to Larry Christopher at lchristopher@brasfieldgorrie.com. Please contact Hugh Giggelman at hgiggelman@cemsengineering.com for more information.

JANUARY

AECOM
Alliant Corporation
AMEC
American Structurepoint
Applied Engineering Solutions, Inc.
ARCADIS
Atkins
Barge Waggoner Sumner and Cannon Inc.
Bechtel-S Corporation
Bhate Environmental Assoc. Inc.
Brasfield & Gorrie General Contractors
Bristol Alliance of Companies
Brown & Caldwell
BRPH Companies Inc.

FEBRUARY

E-Week Technical Conference

MARCH

Building & Earth Sciences Inc.
Burns & McDonnell
CAPE
Cardno TBE
Carolinas Concrete Masonry Association
Carothers Construction, Inc.
Castle Engineering, LLC
CDM Smith
CEMS Engineering Inc.
CH2MHILL
Clark Nexsen
Cogdell & Mendrala Architects, P.C.
Columbia Engineering & Services, Inc.
Cromwell Architects Engineers
Crowder Construction Company

APRIL

CTI and Associates, Inc.
Davis & Floyd, Inc.
Dewberry
Dulohery, Weeks & Gagliano Inc.
EA Engineering, Science & Technology, Inc.
Eaton Corporation
ECC
Edifice
Elkins Constructors, Inc.
Environmental Services, Inc.
GEL Geophysics, LLC
Golder Associates, Inc.
Goodwyn Mills & Cawood, Inc.

Government Services Integrated
Process Team LLC
Greenhorne & O'Mara

MAY

JETC Conference

JUNE

Annual Program Review

JULY

Guidon Design, Inc.
Harvard Jolly Architecture
Hatch Mott MacDonald
HDR
Holocene, LLC
Howard W. Pence, Inc.
Hussey, Gay Bell & DeYoung
IKHANA, LLC.
J2 Engineering, Inc.
Jacobs
JE Dunn Construction
Kennedy Engineering & Asso. Group, LLC.
KBE Building Corporation
KBR Government & Infrastructure
Knight Architects, Inc.

AUGUST

LBVD, Inc.
Leetex Construction, LLC.
Leo A Daly
LG2 Environmental Solutions, Inc.
Lindbergh & Associates, LLC
Lowe Engineers
LS3P Associates Ltd.
Mason & Hanger
McDonough Bolyard Peck, Inc.
Merrick & Company
Micah Group Environmental Contractors, Inc.
Michael Baker Corporation
Moffatt & Nichol
MRI Architectural Group, Inc.
MWH
North Wind Inc.

SEPTEMBER

O'Brien & Gere Parsons
Paragon Environmental Construction, Inc.
Parsons
Parsons Brinckerhoff
Pinnacle Construction & Development
Group, Inc.

Pond & Company
Port City Design Group, LLC
Project Management Services
Ramey Kemp & Associates
R.C. Construction Co., Inc.
R2T
Reeves Construction Company
Reynolds, Smith & Hills, Inc.
Rosser International
Q Solutions, Inc.
S&ME, Inc.

OCTOBER

Science Applications International Corp.
Schenkel Shultz
Sherlock, Smith & Adams
Siemens Industries Inc
Small Business Group, Inc. (DBA SBG-EEG)
Southern Energy Management
Spatial Engineering Inc.
SpecPro Environmental Services LLC
Stanley Consultants Inc.
Stantec Inc.
STOA Architects
Sundt Construction, Inc.
Teng & Associates, Inc.
TerranearPMC, LLC
Tetra Tech, Inc.
The Louis Berger Group Inc.

NOVEMBER

The Sack Co. & SCM Inc.
The Shaw Group Inc.
Thompson Engineering Inc.
Tidewater Environmental Services, Inc.
Toland & Mizell Architects, Inc.
Trans Systems
United Consulting Group, Ltd.
URS Corporation
Volkert, Inc.
Walbridge
Weston Solutions, Inc.
W.G. Yates & Sons Construction Company
WK Dickson & Co., Inc.
Wolverton & Associates, Inc.
Woolpert, Inc.

DECEMBER

SAME Savannah Post Christmas Party



FEBRUARY SUSTAINING MEMBER HIGHLIGHT



Brasfield & Gorrie is one of the nation's largest privately held construction firms,

providing general contracting, design-build, and construction management services for a wide variety of markets, including healthcare, commercial, institutional, federal, municipal, industrial, infrastructure, and water/wastewater treatment.

We serve clients from offices in Atlanta and Columbus, Georgia; Birmingham, Alabama; Dallas, Texas; Jacksonville and Orlando, Florida; Nashville, Tennessee; and Raleigh, North Carolina.

Brasfield & Gorrie has approximately 2,900 employees, and its 2011 revenues were \$1.7 billion. *Engineering News-Record* ranks Brasfield & Gorrie 32nd among the nation's "Top 400 Contractors" for 2012.

Brasfield & Gorrie has delivered many successful projects for a variety of government agencies — including GSA, NAVFAC, USACE, and VA — and has developed a highly specialized group of experts within our Federal Group to optimize the procurement, delivery, and performance expectations of our government clients. The Federal Group was created to manage the complex nature of these projects. Building on our depth of private sector construction experience, Brasfield & Gorrie relies on a time-tested set of core principles that guide every project — from courthouses to border stations and beyond. As a result, all over the country, our list of design-build government success stories grows with every ground breaking.

Some of our notable federal projects include:

- VA Blind Rehabilitation Center in Biloxi, MS (LEED® Silver)
- USACE Solider Family Care Clinic in Fort Stewart, GA (LEED® Silver; 2012 ABC national and chapter Excellence in Construction awards)
- NAVFAC Main Exchange Replacement in Bethesda, MD (LEED® Gold)
- GSA Donna Land Port of Entry in Donna, TX (LEED® Gold; 2010 ABC national and chapter Excellence in Construction awards)

Projects in progress:

- Wallace Creek Bachelor Enlisted Quarters, Camp Lejeune, NC
- DFAC Conversion and Training Barracks Upgrade, Ft. Benning, GA
- Murray-McNair Elementary School, Ft. Bragg, NC
- Reception Battalion Renovation, Ft. Jackson, SC
- Laerodo Border Patrol HQ Renovation, Laredo, TX
- LED Sign Replacements, Buffalo, NY

Brasfield & Gorrie's mission is to build with integrity while exceeding the expectations of our clients, business partners, employees, and communities, and we are proud to have been the first construction company to become a member of the Society for Corporate Compliance and Ethics (SCCE). We leverage our diverse experience to bring maximum value to all our projects — achieving optimum cost, schedule, quality and most importantly we want our projects built safely.

LINKS TO KNOW

- <http://www.same.org/>
- <http://samesavannahpost.org/>
- <http://www.sas.usace.army.mil/>

WE WANT YOUR INPUT

If you have an article or announcement you want to include in future issues of the newsletter, please submit them by the end of the previous month to Larry Christopher with Brasfield & Gorrie General Contractors at lchristopher@brasfieldgorrie.com