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2015 Fall Conference to Include Tour of Advanced Energy

The 2015 Fall Conference Planning Committee announced today that the 76th Annual Fall Conference will feature a tour of Advanced Energy, a planning, technical and licensed engineering firm headquartered in Raleigh, North Carolina. Advanced Energy (AE) works with electric utilities, government entities, manufacturers, and a wide variety of public and private partners to provide market-based, energy-related solutions. They offer program design and implementation, consulting, training, testing and research to five markets: Buildings, Industrial, Motors and Drives, Renewables and Transportation.

The AE Motor and Drives team offers high precision laboratory motor and drive testing, expert consulting, training and audit services. Since 1990, they have provided services to the motor industry through their internationally accredited test lab, the first in the world to be certified specifically for motor efficiency testing by the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) in 1997. AE's test results and consulting services are used around the world by trade associations, governments, utilities, motor manufacturers, OEMs, and motor service centers. Their Proven Efficiency Verification (PEV) program identifies leading motor service centers in their commitment to quality motor repair.

AE has been an Allied member of EASA for almost 23 years, and they place high value on the important role EASA and its members play in keeping motor driven systems running. To that end, they are also an approved EASA Accreditation auditor, leveraging their industry experience to provide complete accreditation guidance and support.

Don't miss what is sure to be an interesting and informative tour of Advanced Energy. Start planning now for the 2015 Fall Conference October 8-10 in Durham, North Carolina.



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SC State Director Mick Hatley (L) is welcomed to the chapter board by then-Region II Director Lenwood Ireland

New Region II Director Sworn In

At the recent EASA Convention in San Antonio, Charles Brown of Holland Industrial in Henderson, North Carolina was sworn in as the new director for EASA International Region II. Charlie served as Southeastern Chapter President from 2010-2011, and we are glad to have him representing the chapter on the EASA International Board.

The Southeastern Chapter also congratulates former Region II Director Lenwood Ireland, who now serves as Secretary/Treasurer on the EASA International Executive Committee. Lenwood joins twelve other Southeastern Chapter representatives who have ascended to the chairs at International. We are very proud that our chapter continues to make such contributions to our association's leadership.

Welcome New Chapter Active Members!

Broward Armature & Generator
340 SW 21st Terrace
Fort Lauderdale FL 33312
954-583-9888
954-583-9866

Carolina Motor Service Inc.
225 Hallman St
Batesburg SC 29006
803-307-0124
803-307-0127 Fax

Miami Pump and Supply Company
6008 NW 6th Ave
Miami FL 33127
305-751-3535
305-756-0239 Fax

Meet the Board

Introduction to the members of the Southeastern Chapter Board of Directors

South Carolina State Director James "Mick" Hatley

Mick Hatley is currently the General Manager and Owner of Electric Motor and Repair in Columbia, South Carolina. Electric Motor and Repair has been a privately owned business since its inception in 1938. Mick has been the General Manager for twenty years and has worked with EASA as a state director for three terms totaling seven years of his career. "I feel very fortunate to work with EASA," Mick says, "because it has afforded me the opportunity to meet and learn from so many of my peers. Our company works in many industries, but my EASA affiliation has helped me to interact and support other smaller motor shops with repairs and new product sales. Most of all, it has helped me make so many new friends and acquaintances along the journey. Years ago, I was told by an older member that EASA was the most important affiliation I could make. Glad I listened."

The 2015 Southeastern Chapter Handbook!

This important document now available at
<http://easasoutheast.org/resources.htm>

Access to the Southeastern Chapter handbook is available to every Active, Affiliate or Privileged member of the Southeastern Chapter. It has already been emailed to all members with an address on file, but if you did not receive yours you may contact the chapter office for information on how to download this useful document from our website (address above). A user name and password will be required. If you do not have the means to receive your copy by email or download it, please contact the chapter office and we will get a copy to you.

handbook@easasoutheast.org

FALL CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

TOUR OF ADVANCED ENERGY LABS!

ALIGNMENT 101: HANDS-ON

By Mike Keohane, VibrAlign Inc.

This 4-hour class is an initial presentation on alignment basics followed by hands-on alignment training.

- Does Precision Alignment Matter?
- Alignment Terms and Tolerances
- Alignment Report
- Alignment Methods
- Pre-Alignment
- Belts
- Hands on Alignment Using Lasers and Alignment Demonstrators
- Base Bound / Bolt Bound
- Offline to Running (Thermal Growth)

Conference will also feature presentations on...

- Shaft seals, proper installation and removal
- Shaft current remediation – proper selection, installation and testing of the Aegis shaft grounding ring.

FOR MANAGEMENT – Update on the new EASA Accreditation program, Q&A, “What to expect when the auditors come calling,” and more.



Skeet Shoot!

This year our Fall Conference will feature a Skeet Shoot on Thursday sponsored by State Director Mick Hatley of Electric Motor and Repair Inc. in Columbia, SC. Cost per person will be **only \$40** and will include everything: lunch, shotgun, ammo, birds—but registration will be limited and *first come first served!*



2015 Fall Conference Venue

October 8-10

Sheraton Imperial Hotel
Durham, North Carolina

Room Rate only \$110 per night
plus tax, free self-parking

Reservation Cut-Off Date
September 10

As always, our room block is limited, and under the terms of this contract, once our block is closed, it is very unlikely that additional rooms will be available at this price! Please plan to reserve your rooms early!

Call (800) 325-3535 24-hours to reserve
or online at

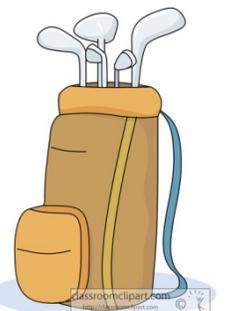
<https://www.starwoodmeeting.com/Book/EASAOctober2015>



The terms of our contract also require us to advise our attendees that the Sheraton is a “smoke free” facility, and that a \$200 cleaning fee will be charged to anyone who smokes in their room!

Golf Tournament!

Our traditional golf tournament will be held on Thursday at the Lochmere Golf Club in Cary, North Carolina. Our special thanks to Scott Blake of Wolters Motors & Drives for his hard work arranging and supervising this outing! Cost will be **\$60** per person, and will include greens fees, range balls (1 hour before start), cart rental, scorecards and lunch. **Sponsorship of golf lunch is still available at press time. Contact the chapter office for more information!**





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This could be the LAST *Southwind* that you receive by “snail-mail!”

It costs about \$650 to print and mail each edition of *Southwind*, and the Board of Directors has set a goal to reduce that number as much as possible. In the past, many of our members have specifically agreed to receive the newsletter and other communications from the chapter by email. Times have changed, and now almost all of our members have and use email on a daily basis. Of course, members who *do not* have an email address on file will continue to receive the newsletter and other communications on paper by USPS, and some members have already notified the chapter recently on member information update forms, but in the future, the chapter will communicate electronically with all other members unless they have specifically asked to receive communications via “hard copy.”

If you wish to continue receiving the *Southwind* and other communications from the Southeastern Chapter on paper by postal service, please make this known by phone, fax, USPS or email at the chapter address above. Thank you very much for your cooperation and assistance!

In Memory

The Southeastern Chapter extends its sympathy to the families and friends of Homer Snow and Larry Holland Sr. They will be missed.

Homer Snow

Homer Snow passed away August 21, 2014. Homer was born August 9, 1940. He and his brother, Jim, operated Snow Electric in Winston-Salem, North Carolina, for over forty years, and were second-generation owners of that company. Homer was an avid outdoorsman and loved hiking, kayaking, history and genealogy.

Larry Holland, Sr.

Larry Franklin Holland Sr. passed away at age 70 on May 20, 2015. Larry was born August 14, 1944 in Henderson, North Carolina, where he worked with his father in the electric motor business, managing the services division of the company until his semi-retirement in 2004 when Holland Industrial became an employee-owned ESOP. Larry loved family events, including cooking and boating.