



Central Savannah River Section

Mark your Calendars:

UPCOMING AACEI-CSRA SECTION MEETINGS

- 01/29/09 Norman Powell, VP Site Integration, SRNS
"SRNS Project Controls Mission & Future Vision"
- 02/26/09 Georgia Power, "New Nuclear Development at Plant Vogtle"
- 03/26/09 Tim Simmons, Security Federal Bank "Aiken Railroad Depot and other Private/Public Projects"

OTHER IMPORTANT DATES

- 03/13/09 EVP Certification Workshop - Augusta State Univ
(See Page 2 for details)
- 04/20/09 Early Fee Deadline - Cert Exam Registration
- 05/04/09 Deadline - Cert Exam Registration
- 06/13/09 Certification Exams (Augusta State Univ)



Member Spotlight



AACEI **Monthly Dinner Meeting** **January 29, 2009 (Thursday)**

"SRNS Project Controls Mission & Future Vision"



Norman G. Powell
Vice President, Site Integration
Savannah River Nuclear Solutions, LLC

5:45 p.m. Registration and Networking
6:30 p.m. Dinner and Program

Location: North Augusta Community Center
495 Brookside Drive
North Augusta, SC

Cost: \$15 per person
Guests/Spouses are welcome

Please RSVP to:
Ronny McIver (2-6829), ronny.mciver@srs.gov, or
Asoka Pillai (8-0054), asoka.pillai@srs.gov
through email by COB Monday, January 26, 2009.



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Ronny McIver, CCC, EVP

President's Corner

Happy New Year Everyone!

November's AACEI-CSRA Annual Social was a huge success. We had over 40 people attend the function at the North Augusta Community Center. Attendees included several of our fellow peers from both the Project Controls and Project Management profession. Take a minute to look at the photos a couple of pages back.

We have a great line-up of dinner meeting speakers for you the next couple of months. Join us next week when Norm Powell will be speaking to us about the future plans for projects controls at SRS. In February, we will have the folks from Plant Vogtle join us with the future plans for the power plant expansions across the river. Then March's meeting promises to be a real treat when we get to hear the straight scoop on all those railway cars being renovated in downtown Aiken!

Come join us for a fun evening of networking and great food. See you there!

March 13, 2009

Earned Value Professional (EVP) Certification Workshop

Augusta State University
Augusta, Georgia

Instructor: Kathlene M. Roberson, EVP

(Reserve your seat by March 9, 2009)

The EVP Workshop is intended for anyone in the field of project or program management, project controls, cost engineering, planning, scheduling, finance, estimating or any other project or program related work who is preparing to take the EVP Certification Exam. Professionals attending the EVP Certification Workshops should be fairly knowledgeable and have at least an intermediate level of project or program experience.

The cost of each workshop is \$295.00 per person. Both training workshops are co-sponsored by Augusta State University. Continuing education units, 1.0 CEU, will be awarded by ASU and attendees will receive a certificate from ASU. The cost includes course handouts, breakfast, lunch, and an Augusta State University (ASU) parking decal.

Remit payment (checks only) to:
AACE International, CSRA Section
PO Box 749
Jackson, SC 29831-9998

Note: Both workshops are authorized by SRS Site Training, and payment for SRS employees is possible with:

- a) Management approval by completing and routing an Electronic Offsite Event Request (OER) through Lotus Notes (Sitewide Apps) and
- b) Forwarding a **hard copy of the approved OER and the Class Flyer to SRS Accounts Payable (Jonell Obryant).**

For Reservations:

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Norm Powell is vice president of site integration for Savannah River Nuclear Solutions (SRNS). Named to this position in 2007, he is responsible for the overall integrated site baseline, including change management and interface management for the Department of Energy's Savannah River Site.

Powell's responsibilities include developing the site interface plan and maintaining relationships with other site contractors. He also leads planning and integration of projects and operations, project controls, and the site-wide performance measurement system including risk identification, estimating standards and work authorization. He also has responsibility for the development, implementation and oversight of the site's integrated project team. Powell has 30 years experience in the engineering, procurement and construction of major international and domestic projects for Fluor Corporation. Prior to joining SRNS, he spent six years at Fluor's Hanford Site as the vice president of business services. His responsibilities included finance, supply chain operations, information technology, prime contract administration, internal and external communications and public affairs, community relations and legal.

During his career, Powell has provided business support to over 1,500 commercial and government projects in 13 countries. He also served as general manager of a 450-person engineering office, providing personnel to Hanford's nuclear projects and support to Fluor's Federal Projects organization.

aace International *www.aacei.org* **Women in Project Controls**

<http://www.aacei.org/membership/regions/wpc/>

AACE International offers a number of opportunities for women to grow professionally and take on leadership positions. In January 2005, the Women in Project Controls (WIPC) task force was created by AACE International to encourage and mentor the growing number of women entering the Project Controls profession.



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Don't miss out on this excellent opportunity to network with your peers, earn CEUs/PDHs and attend the latest papers on cost, schedule and management at AACE's 53rd Annual Meeting.

SAVE THE DATE!

AACE International's 53rd Annual Meeting
TCM: Improving Decision Making in a Green World

at the
Seattle Sheraton Hotel
Seattle, Washington

Sunday, June 28, 2009
thru
Wednesday, July 1, 2009

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Membership is open to cost and management professionals and visitors are welcome at Section meetings.

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