Please silence your phones and move into the middle of the rows while we are waiting to begin.
WELCOME!

• Omaha Post President, COL Henderson
  • Pledge of Allegiance
  • National Anthem by Gabreilla Linbrunner
• Thank you to the Speakers, Exhibitors, Sponsors, and Committee
  • Without you, this event does not happen
This Year’s Planning Committee

- Chris Langan, Co-Chair, Lamp Rynearson
- Deb Ash, Co-Chair, Environworks
- Anita Larson, Tumeq/Swift River
- Tony Krause, USACE
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- Jeni Merryweather, Farris Engineering
- Tory Burke, Lamp Rynearson
- Justin Schillerberg, HDR
- Matthew LaFollette, Enviroworks
- Kandi Srb, HDR
Special Guests in Attendance

- DOD Small Business Programs
- Veterans Administration
- Nebraska Army National Guard
- Offutt Air Force 55th CES
- Society of American Military Engineers (SAME)
  Executive Director, National Vice Presidents, Regional Vice Presidents, and National Directors
MEALS

• Continental breakfast today and tomorrow, lunch today, snacks, and this evening’s reception will be in the Exhibit Hall

• Lunch is on your own tomorrow between the last presentation and the Networking Session in the afternoon
  • Local restaurant information is available at the front desk and at the SAME Post booth
  • Small Business Outreach Lunch (by invite only)
Other Event Information

• Program schedule includes half-hour breaks between sessions to encourage attendees to visit the exhibit hall on the main floor

• The Networking Sessions will be on the 19th floor (EMC) tomorrow at 12:30 to 2:30 pm
  • If you didn’t pick up at registration, there is an informational sheet describing the sessions that may be found at the SAME booth in the Exhibit Hall

• Yes, the presentations will be posted on the website
Networking Signup Process

• Signup Board is at the SAME Omaha Post Booth in the Exhibit Hall
• WHITE or YELLOW stickers can now be used for your choice of Guest tables – this process allows for the each of the 420+ attendees a chance to sit at a table
• Check the board after we close tomorrow after 11:15 – you will be able to write your name on the board for an additional table choice if there is any space available
• Each session will be 30 minutes that includes 5 minutes between sessions to allow attendees time to move between the sessions
• The sessions will be held on the 19th Floor - there will be signs adjacent to the rooms
RAFFLE – SPLIT KITTY

• Raises scholarship funds
• Drawings held each month
• When we have a winner: \( \frac{1}{2} \) the kitty goes to the winner, \( \frac{1}{2} \) goes back to the Post
• Drawing to be held tomorrow during the last presentation (Omaha USACE briefing)
• Must be present to win (or have someone watch your tickets)
Special Event this Evening: Fundraiser at Upstream Brewing
About the OMAHA SAME Post

Support the SAME Mission: To provide education and support to the engineering components of the military and uniformed services and other federal, state, and local government agencies responsible for the nation’s infrastructure, and to advance the partnership between government and architecture, engineering and construction industry in the interest of national security.
Doug Plack Memorial Scholarship

- The Scholarship was established in 2006 by the Omaha Post in honor and appreciation for Doug’s many years of support to the Post
- Adam Plack, the first winner and Scholarship Chair will present to this year’s winner:
  - Jacob Quint – a senior at UNL studying mechanical engineering
Other Post Scholarship Winners

• Senior Scholarship was renewed by Sophomore Scholarship was renewed by Grayson Harvey
• Junior Scholarship was renewed by Mark Wathen, a sophomore at South Dakota School of Mines and Technology
• Sophomore Scholarship was renewed by Vincent Hunter, a freshman at the University of Southern
• New Junior Scholarship was awarded to Kelley Weiler, a sophomore at UNL
• Freshman Scholarship was awarded to Sarah Villarreal, a senior from Marian High School
Golden Eagle Award

• Omaha Post award created by Bill Stutz and is now being sponsored by Bhate Environmental
• It was created in honor of Doug Plack and is awarded to an individual whose traits and characteristics mirror those of Doug Plack
  • Dedication to God and country
  • Dedication to the engineering profession
  • Dedication to and love of family
  • Strong support of community programs
  • Support of youth programs
  • Willingness to respond to those in need
  • Well-known in the engineering community either locally or nationally
• A monetary donation will be made to the recipient’s charity of choice
Past Years Recipients

2007  Roy A. Singleton
2008  Jim and Paula Wells
2009  Daniel B. Owens
2010  Robert J. Michaels
2011  Jimmy Brasch
2012  Jeanne LeBron
2013  James H. Wathen
2014  David A. Packard
2015  Roger J. Wozny
2016  Mike Baldino
2017  William J. Glismann
Our Regional Vice President

A few announcements from our Missouri Regional Vice President, Ms. Jackie Hacker of HDR
SAME Executive Director

A few words from Joseph Schroedel, BG, PE, F.SAME, USA (Ret), SAME’s Executive Director
Keynote Session

Recent Changes to the Small Business Program

Ms. Alice Williams, Acting Deputy Director, Department of Defense Office of Small Business Programs

and

Steven Koprince, Koprince Law LLC