UPCOMING EVENTS

WHAT: Monthly meeting Lunch-and-Learn. Sign-up using the link below.
WHERE: St. Martin’s University, Cebula Hall, 3rd Floor
WHEN: November 12th
Speed Mentoring: 10:00am—11:00am
Networking: 11:00am—12:00pm
Lunch Program: 12:00pm—1:00pm
The cost per person is $50, $20 for government and uniformed service members
https://www.eventbrite.com/e/same-luncheon-student-networking-event-tickets-78304305285

WHAT: NEW monthly social networking event. No RSVP necessary.
WHERE: Join us at 7 Seas
2101 Jefferson Ave, Tacoma, WA
WHEN: 3rd Thursday of every month. Come out with us this month on Nov 21st; 5:00pm—7:00pm

Have something to say or show? Tweet us! @SAMEMtTacoma

Gondolas
Cable-Propelled Transit for the Masses
Speaker - Perry Shea
SCJ Alliance Senior Principal

What is Cable-Propelled Transit?
In steep terrain and dense urban settings, the use of cable-propelled transit is on the rise. SCJ is leading the way with this efficient cost-effective solution. In his presentation, Perry Shea will delve into questions like:

- Common Applications
- Speed, Capacity, & Cost
- Best Practices

2020 Post Board Nominees
President: Seth Mattos
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New Members
We gained one new Mt Tacoma Post member in October:

Ms. Gina Bryan
Welcome!
THE MISSION of the Society of American Military Engineers is “To promote and facilitate engineering support for national security by developing and enhancing relationships and competencies among uniformed services, public and private sector engineers, and related professionals.” One key avenue for the society to accomplish that mission is to make the expertise and capabilities of our members readily available to government agencies responsible for response to natural and manmade disasters. To accomplish that end the Mt. Tacoma and Seattle Posts established an Emergency Preparedness and Infrastructure Resilience (EP&IR) committee.

HISTORICALLY, large-scale response to emergencies has been a partnership between government and private industry. The full support potential of the A/E/C industry in the Puget Sound area can only be reached when the Government’s emergency managers and the executives of the member companies are aware of each other’s requirements and capabilities.

EP&IR COMMITTEE MEMBERS reach out to local, State and Federal agencies to inform them of the capabilities of our sustaining members. The committee has prepared a tri-fold leaflet explaining the mission and purpose of SAME emergency preparedness. The leaflet contains a listing of member firms who have indicated a readiness to respond to emergencies and disasters.

THE COMMITTEE NEEDS TO KNOW if you or your firm will be available to respond with your resources in the event of a disaster. The key questions are: (1) what capabilities do you offer to emergency managers in the early stages of disaster response and (2) how responsive can you be given that a regional event, such as an earthquake, may damage your facilities including employees’ homes? Any member firm that would like to participate as a listed available resource to government emergency management agencies should contact the Mt. Tacoma or Seattle Post Co-Chair of the Emergency Preparedness and Infrastructure Resilience Committee. In addition, any individual member who would like to work with the Committee is encouraged to contact one of the committee co-chairs.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS about this effort please contact:
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- **864th Engineer Battalion**  
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- **23rd Brigade Engineer Battalion**  
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- **14th Brigade Engineer Battalion**  
  Commander, LTC Eric Prathemore  
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  MAJ James Kadel

### ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

- **Construction and Fac Mx Office**  
  LTC Adam Iwaszuk  
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### US AIR FORCE

- **627th Civil Engineer Squadron**  
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- **446th Civil Engineer Squadron**  
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### AIR NATIONAL GUARD

- **248th Civil Engineer Flight**  
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Monthly Young Member & Student Chapter Networking Event!

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Your firm can appear in this space too! If you would like to become a Sustaining Member of the Mount Tacoma Post, please contact Dave Newkirk at 253-606-1047.
SUPPORT OUR THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE!

Please bring 1-2 non-perishable food items to our luncheon at St. Martin's 11/12, just in time for Thanksgiving. Our goal is to collect & donate 100 items in honor of 100 years of faithful service.