



SOCIETY OF AMERICAN MILITARY ENGINEERS



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President's Corner



Hello Portland Post -

A great big thank you to the members of APWA who joined us during the March meeting. We heard a terrific and informative presentation from Mark Lueck with the City of Tigard about Building Ground Up Partnerships and establishing current resources for Emergency Response and resiliency so our communities are ready in the event of a disaster that could be large and complex, with the cooperation of experts from multiple disciplines.

There is still one week left to register for SAME summer camp, so if you know a high-school student who might be interested, please encourage them to apply. The Portland Post will be sponsoring a student to attend a camp of their choice. The application deadline for this great opportunity is March 15, 2022. More information and a link to the application is available at <https://www.same.org/STEMCAMP>

The Portland Post is looking for volunteers for Part 2 of the Post's Virtual Resume Building Session for students at OSU and UP. Part 1 of the series will feature a presentation about "What a good resume looks like", followed by Part 2, which will allow the Students to sign up for direct resume feedback with one of our members. This feedback session would occur in April during a 1-on-1 virtual meeting at the discretion of the student and the member. The Post is looking for 10 to 20 members to volunteer for a time commitment of about 1-hour during the month of April. Do you have the time to help out these students? If so, please let Bryan Scism (scismb@lclark.edu) or Dana Holschuh (dholschuh@heg-inc.com).

Also – for our upcoming meeting in April, we have a really interesting program for everyone, which will feature the Goldendale, Pump Storage Project presented by Erik Steimle. Our April meeting will be an in-person only event, and I hope to see you all join us in person for a great opportunity for networking and learning about energy storage.

Heidi Nelson, PE
Oregon NW Region Cleanup Program
President, SAME Portland Post

Next Post Luncheon – April 6, 2022

Presentation:	Goldendale, Pump Storage Project, presented by Erik Steimle, Rye Development
Date:	Wednesday, April 6, 2022
Time:	11:30 AM to 1:00 PM
Location:	Sentinel Hotel, 614 S.W. 11th Avenue, 2nd floor (PREPAYMENT RQD, VACCINATION REQUIRED)
RSVP By:	March 30, 2022
In-Person Cost:	Retired Members, Public Agency Members & Military (\$30.00) Members (\$40.00) Non-Members (\$50.00)

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APRIL 2022 Goldendale Pump Storage Project

Speaker is Erik Steimle, Vice President of Project Development for Rye Development

Abstract: Come learn about large scale energy storage solutions for our country, not the Tesla battery but the water battery. Mr. Erik Steimle from Rye Development with more than 20 years of new hydropower development in the US, will discuss regional strategies to develop complex and challenging pumped storage type projects in difficult markets and regulatory environments.

Speaker Biography: Erik Steimle, Vice President of Project Development for Rye Development, is responsible for project development activities at Rye Development, ranging from equipment procurement, consulting contracts, business development, and ensuring a predictable development process. Erik's professional background includes more than 20 years of new hydropower development in the US and a consistent track record of project completion in difficult markets and regulatory environments.



MAY 2022 Planning the Broadway Corridor

Speaker is Nolan Lienhart, Principal and Director of Planning and Urban Design, Zimmer Gunsul Frasca, LLP



Abstract: Nolan will discuss the Framework Plan and Central City master plan for the Broadway Corridor (Main Post Office blocks), including discussing the major elements of the planning efforts since 2015, including the inclusion and equity elements of the process and the community engagement strategies that the team engaged. Topics covered will also include land use goals, infrastructure and development strategies.

OTHER SAME EVENTS – SAVE THE DATE

Seattle SAME Partnering with UW through Design Build: Mar 15, 2022, GLY Construction (In-Person and Hybrid Event)

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/same-march-2022-program-in-person-registration-for-hybrid-event-tickets-290919647497>

SAME Small Business Symposium: April 18-19, 2022, Kitsap Conference Center. Tickets and sponsorship available! Click on the link below – Questions? lori@cavalryconsulting.com <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/same-small-business-symposium-tickets-185072315277>

Joint Meet the Chiefs: June 21, 2022 (Tuesday) 8:00 am – 1:30 pm. Sponsorships available. Questions? Please contact Kurtis Schaaf, kurtis.schaaf@gmail.com. Event tickets: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/same-regional-meet-the-chiefs-2021-tickets-147189430549>

SAME PORTLAND POST – ANNOUNCEMENTS

What makes SAME and Portland SAME special? YOU!

Are you passionate about building leaders for the profession and leading collaboration? The Portland Post of SAME needs your active involvement as an officer or Director in the Post!

Nominations are now open for Board Officers and Director Positions of the Portland Post of SAME.

Nominations are due on or before March 15, 2022. Please email your nominations (including self-nominations) to Toni Leon, Nominations Committee Chair at tleon_sgus@yahoo.com

SAME ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION CAMPS 2022

Application Deadline: March 15, 2022

Portland Post will be providing a scholarship to a student to attend summer camp. Do you know a high-school student who is interested in learning more about becoming a STEM professional? Please encourage them to apply for one of the SAME summer camps. More information about each of the camps and the application is located here:

<https://www.same.org/stemcamps> - if you have any questions or to submit an application, please contact Tony Roos, troos@kittelson.com.

SAME has been supporting STEM (science, technology, engineering, and mathematics) events for over 30 years, and conducting camps for more than 20 years. Our camps, in partnership with the military services, are world-class and feature a very impressive record of producing thousands of engineers and STEM leaders. They provide a rigorous experience for students interested in exploring STEM skills and careers. Campers gain a sense of what it takes to become a STEM professional and what options exist to explore that interest from high school to college and beyond.

2022 SAME Camps Schedule:

- U.S. Army Engineering & Construction Camp: Vicksburg, Miss., June 12-18, 2022
- U.S. Marine Corps Engineering & Construction Camp: Camp Lejeune, N.C., June 19-25, 2022
- U.S. Navy STEM Engineering & Construction Camp: Port Hueneme, Calif., June 19-25, 2022
- U.S. Air Force Academy Engineering & Construction Camp: Colorado Springs, Colo., June 23-29, 2022
- U.S. Air Force Engineering & Construction Camp: Scott Air Force Base, Ill., June 25-30, 2022

JETC Registration Open:

Registration is **open for SAME's 2022 Joint Engineer Training Conference & Expo.**

Being held May 10-12 at the Gaylord Rockies Resort & Convention Center in Aurora, Colo., this year's JETC will feature more than 70 hours of education and training sessions, a robust exhibit hall, numerous networking and recognition events, keynote speakers, senior leader panels, and much more.

- Only at JETC will you meet with service chiefs, senior NCOs, industry executives, rising stars, and friends and colleagues from across the world.
- Only at JETC will you discover new ideas and innovations, conduct market research and business development, and connect face to face with decision-makers from military, government, industry and academia.
- Only at JETC will you find everything *you* need to strengthen *your* organization's mission and advance *your* professional potential.

Only at JETC: There's Nothing Else Like It! **Reserve your spot at www.samejetc.org**



SAME Portland Post Bylaws

SAME Portland Post Bylaws – Portland Post has revised the Post Bylaws. This revision reflects changes adopted by the National Board of Direction and alignment with the 2025 SAME Strategic Plan (<https://www.same.org/strategic-plan>). The 2022 Bylaws were approved by the Portland Post Board on February 2, 2022, and was unanimously approved by the general membership by vote at the Post meeting on March 2, 2022. Please direct any questions/comments to Col. Scott Grainger, grainger@up.edu.

Past Presentations

For those interested in reviewing the slides from our past presentation, please check them out on our post website:

<https://www.same.org/portland>

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