May 2016 eNews

ELECTRIC TRACING: A HOT TOPIC!!

Meeting - Tuesday May 17

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Meeting Topic

ELECTRIC TRACING: A HOT TOPIC!!

We are going to heat up the Gig!! Heat tracing may be far from the mind when we are looking at a long hot Texas summer, but the need for it can be year round and you certainly want it to work when it is needed.

The presentation this month is about recent advances in heating cable technology. Our presenter is Steve Makar, Vice President of Drexan Energy Systems Inc.. He will discuss Life-Expectancy Testing of Heating Cables with some comparative examples; advances in Heating Cable Power Connection / Splices/Tees; and New Options for High-Temperature applications of non-polymeric heating cables.

Steve has a Bachelor of Science from McGill University and an MBA from Cornell University.

Don't Miss This Meeting!!
May Meeting Logistics

Mark your calendar now!

**Monthly Meeting Tuesday May 17th**

The Gig
240 Crockett Street
Beaumont, Texas

5:00 pm - Social
5:45 pm - Dinner and Presentation

*Invite Your Associates!*

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**Menu:**
- Texas Smoked Chicken
- Sausage Link Bites
- Dave’s famous Homemade Potato Salad
- "Brewsky Brewed” BBQ Baked Beans
- Peach Cobbler

Menu Provided by Oak Tree Catering

*Drexan Energy Systems is sponsoring the meeting, and the Section extends a Hearty "Thank You".*

President’s Comments

A reminder that the Section's officers election will be on the agenda for the May Meeting.

The Leadership Team had a good work session April 29th. The meeting schedule for the 2016-17 year has been posted. Again all meetings will be on Tuesdays. Richard Booth has joined the Leadership Team and is helping with the Expo committee. Welcome and thank you.

EXPO Update

Arrangements for the section's biannual 2016 Expo have been finalized with the Holiday Inn Walden Road in Beaumont. There will be 56 booths in the grand ballroom with three food and beverage locations. A Professional Ethics seminar is one of several that will be available.

Mark your calendar for Tuesday October 18, 2016. Show hours are 1:00 - 7:00 PM.

Response has been great with all the premium booths being spoken for along with several others. Over 70% of the booths have been spoken for.

Become a sponsor, get your logo in the spotlight. Contact Gary or Jim.

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Activity Schedule

- Future meeting schedule

All section meetings are being scheduled for Tuesdays

2016

May 17th
September 20th
October 18th EXPO
November 15th

2017

January 17th
February 21st
March 21st
April 18th
May 16th

Volunteer

It is never too late to Help keep this good thing going!!

The Southeast Texas Section of ISA

Volunteer! Join the leadership team!

Please indicate your interest via an email to George Wheatcroft, Immediate Past President. Click here

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