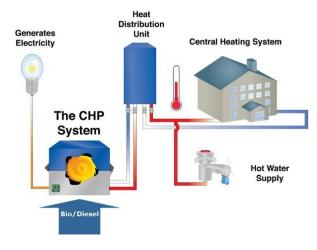
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Preview of February 2013 SAME Presentation, entitled "Combined Heat and Power: A Case Study of Industrial Energy Efficiency". This presentation will be given by Mr. Bill Bulpitt of URS.

Combined Heat and Power: A Case Study of Industrial Energy Efficiency



URS recently performed a feasibility study for a combined heat and power installation for an Army base located near Fairbanks, Alaska. This presentation will give an overview of the process that was utilized to examine the important elements of the study. These elements include base energy requirements, biomass system preliminary design, wood fuel and backup fuel requirements, and interconnection needs for the base. The discussion will also include special location requirements including harsh environments and construction logistics.

2013 Election Results

Congratulations to the new 2013 SAME Board!

Elections were held for all the officers and a several of the director positions at the January general meeting. Results given below.



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Presenter's Bio: Bill Bulpitt



Mr. Bulpitt is an engineer/manager with 35+ years of experience in the areas of power plant/energy plant construction and startup, environmental affairs related to energy plants and heavy industry (including steel and pulp & paper), and energy-related research. He has directed all aspects of large-scale project management and responsibilities have included budgets

and schedules. In the environmental area, he has handled management systems, auditing programs, plant and facility compliance, and all fields of permitting activities. He also has a strong background in directing due diligence activities for major acquisitions including Pacific Gas & Electric assets (3200 MW), Commonwealth Electric (MA) assets (1400 MW), Stateline Energy (IN) assets (800 MW), and participated in acquisition of Orange & Rockland (NY) assets (1800 MW). He has worked overseas on projects for several companies in Asia, Europe, the Caribbean, South America and Africa.

SAME Spotlight: Member of the Month



Born and raised in Parkersburg, West Virginia, Colonel Theodore (Ted) Munchmeyer is currently assigned as the Chief, Readiness and Emergency Management Division, Installations and Mission Support Directorate at Air Force

Reserve Command. In this role, he provides technical and organizational support for over 5,400 Citizen Airmen and various Civil Engineer programs within the Air Force Reserve including nine AFR installations, 31 Prime BEEF Squadrons, 6 RED HORSE Squadrons, 3 Prime BEEF Flights, and 3 Prime BEEF Staff Augmentation Flights. Col Munchmeyer additionally delivers CE logistic support through the Grissom ARB, Indiana Contingency Equipment Management Facility and advises technical training at the Expeditionary Combat Support Training and Certification Center located at Dobbins ARB, Georgia that ensures AFR Civil Engineers are properly trained and equipped to maintain proficiency in their chosen crafts. Col Munchmeyer has his P. E. License in Civil Engineering (1996 to present) from Commonwealth of Virginia.

Col Munchmeyer is no stranger to SAME as he was formerly published in

SAME Magazine in 1996 for a lighting study performed at Cheyenne Mountain Air Station Colorado along with an article on trenchless technologies at RAF Lakenheath, UK. His hobbies include running, economics, and writing. He has written two books and has a great love for travelling. His wife, the former Andrea Jonas, is a graphic artist with 20 years of experience and they have a 12 year old son who is a proud member of Scout Troop 220, which is the SAME Sponsored Boy Scout Troop here on base.

SAME Mission

"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."

SAME Vision

"To be a premier global engineering organization leading the professional and personal growth of all members in support of military readiness and development of solutions to national security challenges."

The next Robins Post General Meeting will be held on 20 February 2013 at 11:30 am. The meeting will be held at China Buffet on Russell Pkwy. All are welcome.

UPCOMING DATES FOR

17-23 February: 2013 National Engineer Week

20 February: 1130 Hours: SAME General Meeting immediately preceded by SAME Robins Post Board Meeting. URS will be giving a presentation entitled, "Combined Heat and Power: A Case Study of Industrial Energy Efficiency" at the China Buffet (605 Russell Parkway, Warner Robins, GA 31088).

March: Tour TBA.

April: Earth Day Golf Tournament. Exact date TBA.

15 May: 1130 Hours: SAME General Meeting immediately preceded by SAME Robins Post Board Meeting. PMS Construction will be giving a presentation on Asphalt Rejuvenation.

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Accepting Abstracts

We are currently accepting abstracts for presentations and tour ideas in 2013. Let us know what presentation topics, presenters, or tour ideas would most interest you. We want to know what is important to you. Please contact Mr. Ken Branton at Kenneth.Branton@urs.com with feedback or for more information.