Technical Societies Council Officers
President: Art McKinnon (BEAM)
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TSC website – www.eng.buffalo.edu/tsc/

1. Monday, November 14, 2016 at 6:00 PM:
   TSC Delegate’s Meeting, UB @ Davis 208
2. Monday, January 9, 2017 at 6:00 PM:
   TSC Delegate’s Meeting, UB @ Davis 208
3. Monday, March 13, 2017 at 6:00 PM:
   TSC Delegate’s Meeting, UB @ Davis 208
4. Tuesday, March 14, 2017 at Salvatore’s
   TSC Joint Meeting, All members of all Societies,
5. nMonday, May 8, 2017 at 6:00 PM:
   TSC Delegate’s Meeting, UB @ Davis 208

TSC - Technical Societies Council

Topic: Invoice for Dues
Duration: 2016 - 2017
Member Society Dues: $50.00
Make checks payable to the TSC with a notation on the check that it is for TSC dues
Remit to: Frank J. Kizlik
   TSC Treasurer
   60 Jenell Drive
   Grand Island, NY 14072
Questions: email fjkizlik@roadrunner.com or 773-1652

ASM Buffalo

Topic: Vendor’s night.
Speaker: Dr. Rajan
Speaker Information: "Materials and Design and Innovation," a new Academic Department at SUNY Buffalo.
Date: November 10 2016
Time: 5:30pm.
Location: Holiday Inn
   4600 Genesee St.
   Cheektowaga, NY
Credits for Education: NA
Contact for reservations: Chuck LaFountain
   clafountain@diamondsaw.com, 716-496-7417. Stan Biernet. sbiernat@moog.com
   716-805-2285

ISA Niagara Frontier Section

Tour of the Calspan testing facility on Genesee Street by the Buffalo Airport.
Date: November 14, 2016
Time: 5:00PM
Location: 4455 Genesee Street Buffalo NY 14225
Calspan has been providing independent engineering design, testing and research
services for more than 70 years. This tour will cover their operations in
- Crash Research + Investigations;
- Tire Performance Testing;
- ATD (Dummy) Certification + Calibration;
- Automotive Safety Testing;
- Subsonic/Transonic Wind Tunnel Testing.

There will be dinner following the tour at Danny’s Restaurant.

**Cost:** $25 members; $35 non-members

**Credits for Education:** (if applicable) Pdh available upon request

**Contact for reservations:** [http://www.isa-niagara.org/events/calspan-corporation/](http://www.isa-niagara.org/events/calspan-corporation/)

### ASME Buffalo Section

**Presentation Title:** Seismic Isolation Bearings for Heavy Structures

**Date:** Tuesday November 15, 2016

**Time:** 5:30 pm check-in, 6:00 pm program start

**Location:** Middough Inc., 2420 Sweet Home Road, Suite 110, Amherst, NY 14228

**Event Description:** Seismic isolation bearings have made a significant impact in the design of structures in seismic regions. Various types exist, some of the more common types include high damping rubber, lead rubber, friction pendulum, and sliding/spring bearings. The sliding bearing device was invented by two Buffalo area engineers, based on research conducted in the early 1990’s at the State University of New York at Buffalo. It has become one of the most widely used isolators in bridge structures today, with installations in a number of different countries.

This presentation will cover structural isolators, along with development and implementation of the sliding isolation system. An analytical discussion will also be presented to demonstrate the design methodology of seismic isolation devices.

**Presenters:** Rob Watson – President RJ Watson, Inc ; Paul Bradford – PB Engineering Consultant

**Entree selections:** Pizza and chicken wings will be provided for dinner.

**Cost:** $20 members, $25 non-members, free for students

**Credits for Education:** 1 PDH (approval pending)

**Dinner Presentation on Seismic Isolation Bearings for Heavy Structures**

**Contact for Reservations:** [RSVP by Monday November 14, 2016. Visit the ASME Buffalo web site for additional information and on-line registration:](https://community.asme.org/buffalo_section/default.aspx/)

### Air & Waste Management Association – Niagara Frontier Section

**Topic:** Bringing Alkaline Battery Recycling to Erie County

**Speaker:** Cynthia Frames-Endres - Founder, Coalition of Positively Charged People

**Date:** Thursday, November 17, 2016

**Time:** 5:30 pm Social Hour/Cash Bar
- 6:30 pm Buffet Dinner and Presentation

**Location:** Sean Patrick’s
- 3480 Millersport Highway
- Getzville, NY 14068

**Cost:**
- $25 Intl. Members and YP
- $30 Local Members
- $35 Non-Members
- $10 Full Time Students (w/valid ID)

**see website ([awmanfs.wildapricot.org](http://awmanfs.wildapricot.org)) for additional details**

**Credits for Education:** 1 PDH credit pending ($10 extra)

**Contact for reservations:** [www.awmanfs.wildapricot.org](http://www.awmanfs.wildapricot.org), Kathy Moguel @ 716-597-1022 or awmanfsreservations@gmail.com

**Future Events:**
- December 2016 - Holiday Social
- January 25, 2016 - Annual AWMA Seminar at Templeton Landing
- February 23, 2017 - Topic (TBD)