

ADVANCING THE TECHNICAL DEVELOPMENT, PRODUCTION, PROCESSING AND APPLICATION OF IRON AND STEEL

AIST Fall Meeting Notice / Agenda Electrical Applications Technology Committee

Date: Wednesday & Thursday, September 7 & 8, 2022 Location: Rincon, GA (Savannah)

Arrangements

Hotel Indigo Savannah Historic District

201 W Bay St.

Savannah, GA 31401

Reserve by 10 August for AIST Room Rate of \$145

For reservations, call 912.236.4440 (group block code AIS) or book online.

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Wednesday, September 7, 2022

TOUR Site: Virginia Transformer Corporation <1:00 PM EDT>

2789 Highway 21 S. Rincon, GA 31326

Thursday, September 8, 2022

1. Chair's opening remarks – Tim Burttram

<8:30 AM, EDT>

- 2. Appoint minute-taker
- 3. Antitrust guidelines
- 4. Membership and attendance
- 5. Review minutes of previous meeting 17 May Pittsburgh, PA
- 6. AIST Staff Announcements
- 7. Steel Industry Fatalities

BREAK <10:00 AM, EDT>

- 8. Main agenda items
 - AISTech session development Alec Glenn
 - Selection of Abstracts (Due by 15 Sept)
 - Determine session structure (Due by 28 Oct) including session titles & session chairs
 - Review Papers Chair and Session Chair instructions
 - Finalize call for papers for next year
 - Farrington Award planning Alec Glenn
 - Technology Training conference Kevin Bort



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- Webinars (if applicable)
- Committee Survey report Mo Ahmed
- Young Professional Chair report Sam Rawson
- Digital Transformation Liaison report Marc Elliott
- Decarbonization Liaison report Ramesh Khajjayam
- IEEE Coordination Sub-Committee Chair Tom Dionise

LUNCH <Noon>

- 9. Discussion items
 - a. Siemens, Mr. Andy Wojcik "Growth of Common DC Bus Systems"
 - b. Schneider Electric, Mr. Mo Ahmed
 - c. Virginia Transformer Corporation, Mr. Jeff Mason & Mr. Balakrishnan Mani VTC Engineering Department "Optimizing Transformer Specification Based on Application and Rating"

BREAK <3:00 PM, EDT>

10. Next meeting

11. Chair conclusion

12. **Adjourn** <4:00 PM, EDT >



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