



Association for Bridge Construction & Design

Northeastern Ohio Chapter – www.abcdneoh.org

Monthly Meeting Notice

Tuesday, May 21, 2013

Temporary and Permanent Bridges: ACROW Panel Trusses



Speakers: Jeff Simkins, Acrow Bridge Corporation of America

Program: Mr. Simkins will discuss the best fits for panel truss bridges, and the design and maintenance of these bridges and roads both here and abroad. The presentation goes into the emergency bridge business; the recovery effort from hurricanes Katrina and Ivan and the World Trade Center. It explains how these temporary bridges help in phased construction and how they help the DOT's to recover user costs, reduce overall dollars spent and minimize the construction time window. Finally Mr. Simkins will discuss permanent uses of Acrow's bridges and launching methodologies.



Location: Hilton Garden Inn, 1100 Carnegie Ave, Cleveland, OH, 216-658-6400

Lunch: Selection of: **(1)** Grilled Chicken Sandwich **-OR-** **(2)** Vegetarian Sandwich **-OR-** **(3)** Chef Salad (with turkey and ham). Sandwiches served with cup of soup, and side of broccoli salad. All entrées served with dessert and beverages.

Time: 11:15 a.m -11:45 a.m. Registration
11:45 a.m - 12:15 p.m. Lunch
12:15 p.m - 1:15 p.m. Speaker

Cost: The cost is \$10 for the luncheon for members and non-members alike. While this event is fully sponsored by Acrow Corporation of America, the \$10 cost will go entirely to the ABCD annual scholarship fund. **We sincerely thank Acrow for their sponsorship of this event!**



RSVP: Contact Elaine Magoch at DLZ via email at: emagoch@dlzcorp.com

One (1) Continuing Professional Development hour will be provided. If you attend and sign in at the meeting, and wish to obtain CPD credit, please go to our website (<http://www.abcdneoh.org/professional-development.html>) following the meeting to obtain the sign-in sheet and announcement.

Kindly RSVP by Thursday, May 16, 2013, with Lunch Selection

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