



# **INCOSE Chicagoland Chapter Meeting Agenda**

July 20, 2017

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verify that your contact information is current



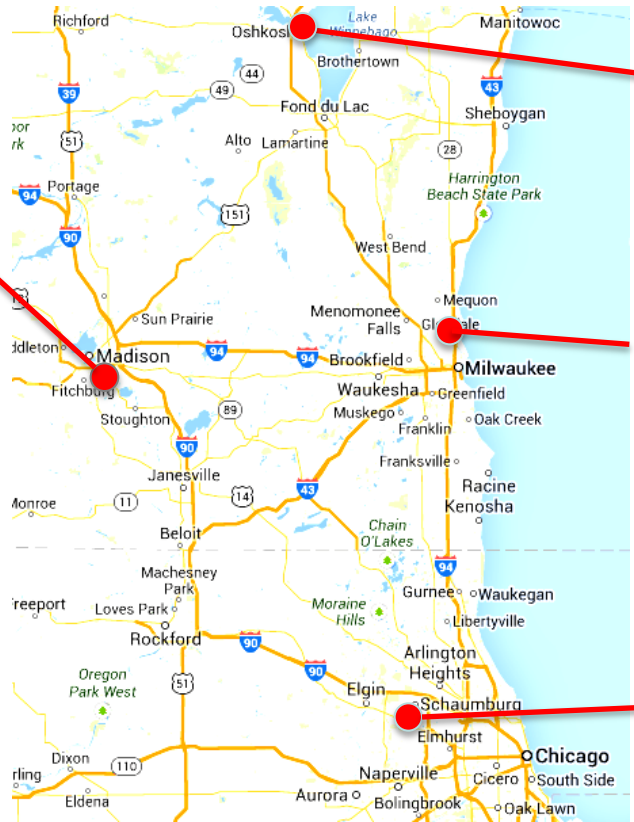
## Agenda

- **6:00 – 6:30 PM CT** – Networking and Dinner
- **6:30 – 6:50 PM CT** – Welcome, Announcements, Intros
- **6:50 – 8:00 PM CT** – Meeting Presentation
- **8:00 – ???** – Networking



# Welcome All Sites

bb7  
Madison, WI  
  
Looking for  
a host at  
**ICU Medical**



Oshkosh Defense  
Oshkosh, WI

Johnson Controls  
Glendale, WI

IBM  
Schaumburg, IL



## Welcome All Sites

- Many individuals joining remotely from IL, WI, and beyond
  - For example: Baxter Healthcare, Near Future Corp, Simergent, JCI, Design Integrity, Springs Design Service, Motorola Solutions, ICU Medical / Infusion Systems, West Safety Services, etc.
- Do several people from your office attend?  
If so, consider establishing a remote site to build interest and networking opportunities:
  - Start out as a “closed” site for employees only
  - Could open up to general membership later
  - Opportunity for ambassadorship
- Interested in becoming an ambassador?
  - Be the liaison between INCOSE and your organization
  - Contact [bob.parro@incose.org](mailto:bob.parro@incose.org) / [brownd1@pbworld.com](mailto:brownd1@pbworld.com) (Dale Brown)



## **New Members Welcome!**

- Andrew Levi
- Michelle Antonelli                      Baxter Healthcare Corporation
- Mohamed Zaher                            LHP Software



## **Renewing Members**

### **Thank you for your continued support!**

- David Blanck
- Subramanian Arunachalam
- Michael Dillenburg
- James Benner
- Frank Alonso
- Jim Streed
- Eric Kersten

Tenneco Inc  
CNH Industrial America  
Drawbridge Enterprises  
  
Flashcut CNC  
Motorola Solutions  
bb7



# Benefits of INCOSE Membership

## Professional Development

1. Monthly speakers on topics relevant to System Engineering (Later in this meeting)
2. Recordings of speakers from previous months (Click on the 'Library and Resources' tab of our home page.)



3. Access to the output of over 40 INCOSE Working Groups (Google "INCOSE Working Group"):

A sample of the working groups includes: Decision Analysis; Defense Systems; Enterprise Systems; Global Earth Observation System of Systems; Healthcare; Human Systems Integration; Infrastructure; etc.



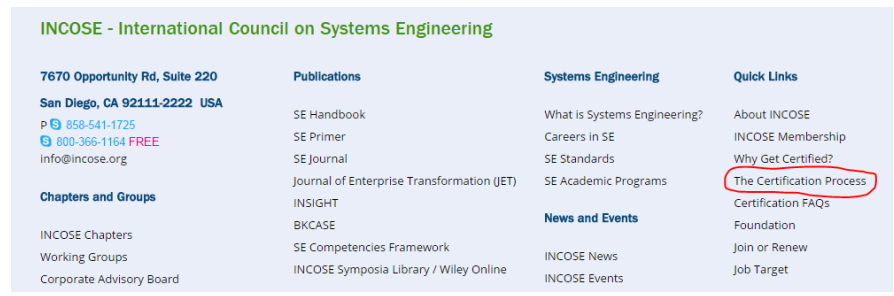
# Benefits of INCOSE Membership (Cont.)

## Professional Development (Cont.)

- INCOSE Connect: content developed by chapters and working groups (Click on "INCOSE CONNECT" on the chapter's home page)



- System Engineering Certification (ASEP, CSEP, ESEP) (Click on "The Certification Process" on the chapter's home page)







## Benefits of INCOSE Membership (Cont.)

### Professional Development (Cont.)

- 6. Access to a forum on handling System Engineering issues  
(Click on 'Reddit' on the chapter's home page)



- 7. Access list of over 30 Activities Across INCOSE:

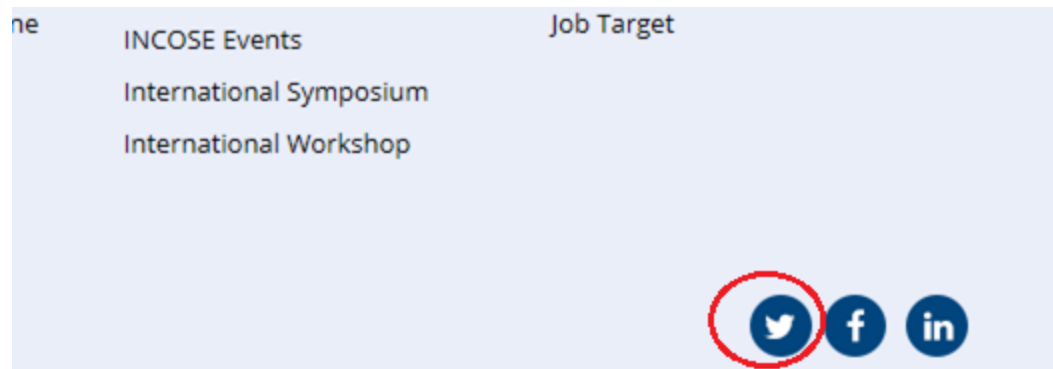




## Benefits of INCOSE Membership (Cont.)

### Professional Development (Cont.)

#### 8. Access to Tweets on new job leads:



#### 9. Access to INCOSE's System Engineering Job Board:

<http://incose.careerwebsite.com/>

In addition to job postings, this website accepts resumes into a searchable employer database



## Benefits of INCOSE Membership (Cont.)

### Networking Opportunities

- 11,000+ INCOSE members worldwide
- Networking for yourself and for employees!
  1. Before and after Chapter events
  2. Supporting your Chapter
  3. Supporting a Working Group
  4. Workshops/Symposiums
  5. Share SE Job postings at meetings & in members-only e-mail

### Leadership Opportunities

- Chapter board of directors (listed on chapter website, under 'About This Chapter')
- Chapter Committee participation
  - **Micro-volunteering Roles Available**  
(Roles as small as data entry or company networking)
- Working Group participation (Two board members co-chair working groups!)



## Benefits of INCOSE Membership (Cont.)

### Help Others

- Share SE knowledge/experience with:
  - New SEs
  - Professional Societies
  - K-12, college students
- Advance the art/profession of System Engineering
- Establish your brand
- “Pay It Forward”



## Member Survey Results

**Planning meeting topics to regularly cover all member interests.**

**Members volunteered to start three New Services:**

- Review / Critique Resumes – **Kicked-Off!**
  - Bill Day organizing; Annie Kotenberg, and Steve Lindo helping
  - Send resumes to [incose.resume@gmail.com](mailto:incose.resume@gmail.com)
- Work on a DOORS Template for Product Development
  - Bob Parro organizing . Reach out to [bob.parro@incose.org](mailto:bob.parro@incose.org)
- SE Certification Study Sessions – **Kicked-Off and meeting weekly!**
  - Steve Cash is organizing. Not too late: [Stephen.D.Cash@jci.com](mailto:Stephen.D.Cash@jci.com)
- Outreach to CAB Organizations
  - Bob Parro organizing. Reach out to [bob.parro@incose.org](mailto:bob.parro@incose.org)

**Stay Posted for additional start-dates  
for these new, **member-driven** services.**



## How to Join INCOSE

1. Go to the INCOSE Website – [www.incose.org](http://www.incose.org)
2. Click on “Join INCOSE”
3. Provide information
4. **Select chapter affiliation – “Chicagoland”**
5. Pay \$145 for 1-year membership (or select a longer term at a lower rate)

Refer a new member? Get an Amazon gift card!

Email Grace Thomas [grace.thomas-ext@jci.com](mailto:grace.thomas-ext@jci.com) or

Dale Brown [brownd1@pbworld.com](mailto:brownd1@pbworld.com)



## Circle Awards Program

- Incentive program to encourage chapter activities that support the objectives of INCOSE
- Chapter history: Every year since 2010 (bronze)



- **2017 Goal: Platinum Circle Award**



## Circle Awards Program (Cont.)

**Keep us informed of your System Engr. activities!**

- GLRC (Great Lakes Regional Conference) participation
- INCOSE Working Group participation
- Published papers
- Presentations given at schools, professional societies, etc.
- IS/IW participation, including paper reviews
- SEP certification: Goal of 5 new xSEPs

E-mail Gary Houchin-Miller [Gary.Houchin-Miller@jci.com](mailto:Gary.Houchin-Miller@jci.com) with evidence





## Upcoming Chapter Meetings

**Third Thursday of the Month @ 6:30 PM CT  
(Save the Dates!)**

**Aug. 17:** Jim Streed,  
Topic: **“Decisions Analysis & Insight”**

**Sept. 21:** Dr. Paul Clements,  
Topic: **“Product Line Engineering”**

Meeting ideas are always welcome.

Please send suggestions for topics, speakers, meeting formats to  
Gary Oswald ([oswaldgary33@gmail.com](mailto:oswaldgary33@gmail.com))



## Upcoming Local INCOSE Events

### Weekly SEP study group:

- Mondays June 12 – August 28 12:00-1:00 PM



### Purpose:

- Provide an open review/discussion forum session for each section of the INCOSE Systems Engineering Handbook (Version 4.0) in a study group format

### Content for Discussion:

- INCOSE Systems Engineering Handbook (Version 4.0)
- John Clark Tutorial



## Upcoming Local INCOSE Events

### **Three Secrets to Successfully Managing Product**

**Development Effort:** September 23; 8 AM to 5 PM

Registration/Refreshments 7:30

Randy Iliff; Schaumburg, IL

**PMI Global Conference:** October 26 – 30, Chicago

INCOSE will have a booth.



## Upcoming Local INCOSE Events

**Four-Day Conference: Oct. 11-14**

**11th Annual Great Lakes Regional Conference (GLRC 11)**

<http://www.incose.org/images/default-source/north-star-chapter/glrc11-coming-soon.jpg?sfvrsn=0>

Dozens of speakers; Minneapolis, MN



11<sup>th</sup> Annual INCOSE  
**Great Lakes Regional Conference**

**SUPERIOR SYSTEM SOLUTIONS FOR  
TODAY'S COMPLEX ENVIRONMENTS**

11 - 14 October 2017 | Twin Cities, Minnesota



## Upcoming Board Meeting

### Board Meetings on the first Thursday of each month

- Meetings are open to all members
- Next meeting: Thursday, Aug. 3, 7:00 – 9:00 PM CT  
via web conference
- Plenty of opportunities to get involved!
  - Leadership and contributor opportunities available
  - Grow your networking!

Interested in helping?

Contact [richard.matt@incose.org](mailto:richard.matt@incose.org)



## Introductions

Please introduce yourself (within each location):

- Name
  - Title & What do you Do (30 seconds)
  - How long have you been a member of INCOSE?
  - Company
  - Announce job opportunities at your company, if any, or announce if you are looking for an opportunity
- 
- › Sign the attendance list
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# **Tonight's Presentation**

# **Unlimited Potential:**

# **Leveraging the Power of Mind in Design**

**Randy Iliff**  
**Founder / Principal at Eclectic Intellect**

Mr. Iliff is both a seasoned Program Manager and expert Systems Engineer, with over 35 years' experience on developmental efforts ranging in size from a few thousand to billions of dollars. Randy represented INCOSE in a recent book, written with PMI & MIT.

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## After-Meeting Networking

Meet at “The Beer Market”

888 N Meacham Rd  
Schaumburg, IL 60173

