



Society of Tribologists and Lubrication Engineers

Houston Section

March 12, 2021 Technical Meeting

Welcome to STLE Houston Section's 2020-2021 Lunch Seminar Series!

Our next technical seminar of the season will be held “virtually” on Friday, March 12, 2021 at noon. Bob Harper, Sales Executive of Soltex will be presenting “***Naphthenic Mineral Insulating Liquid: Production History, Refining Impacts, Future Liquids, Standard Updates and Storage***”. Please reserve the date!

Abstract: Bob’s presentation will cover Insulating liquids, and will be touching on the following topics: Liquid Types, Petroleum Insulating Liquids, Petroleum Insulating liquid Properties, Mineral Transformer liquid Standards, Naphthenic Insulation liquid Production, Mineral Transformer liquid Types, and Storage of Transformer liquid.

Speaker: Bob is a Sales Executive with Soltex and before that worked for a transformer manufacturer. Bob came to Soltex with 10 plus years of experience in the electrical utility sector.

Bob Harper is a graduate from Algonquine College Business Administration Program with a Major in Human Resource Management / Sales & Marketing.

Bob is a member of IEEE Transformer Committee and participant with STLE Hamilton Chapter.

Location: Virtual.

IMPORTANT NEW PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIREMENT:

Please pre-register for “***Naphthenic Mineral Insulating Liquid: Production History, Refining Impacts, Future Liquids, Standard Updates and Storage***” on March 12, 2021 12:00 PM CST at:

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6381862768695104781>

AFTER REGISTERING, YOU WILL RECEIVE A CONFIRMATION EMAIL CONTAINING INFORMATION ON HOW TO JOIN THE WEBINAR

Schedule:

12:00PM - 1:00PM: Business Meeting and Technical Presentation

Fees:

None

The STLE Houston Section's Monthly meeting provides a platform to advance your knowledge, learn current trends in tribology, lubrication and related industries, and much more. We're hoping to be back to in-person meetings as soon as possible.

STLE Houston Section Calendar of Events (2020 - 2021)

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| September, 2020 | Meeting Postponed to October | |
| October 9, 2020 | Jeremy Kriska of Tulstar, <i>"Electric Vehicle Lubrication Challenges and Opportunities."</i> | Virtual |
| November 6, 2020 | Gavin Duckworth of Functional Products, <i>"Using Unique Polymer Chemistry to Enhance Automotive and Industrial Formulations"</i> | Virtual |
| December 11, 2020 | Michael D. Holloway of 5th Order Industry, <i>"Tribology of Diesel Engines"</i> | Virtual |
| January 15, 2021 | Appu Vinod of Lamar University, <i>"Hydrogel Tribology on Silanized Silicon"</i> | Virtual |
| February 12, 2021 | Mike Miller, Technical Manager of Lubricants & MWF/HIC at Univar, <i>"Foam Control & Formulation Techniques to Minimize Foam in Water Dilutable MWF"</i> | Virtual |
| March TBD, 2021 | 2021 Annual Houston STLE Lube School | Cancelled until 2022 |
| March 12, 2021 | Bob Harper, Sales Executive of Soltex, <i>"Naphthenic Mineral Insulating Liquid: Production History, Refining Impacts, Future Liquids, Standard Updates and Storage"</i> | Virtual |
| April 9, 2021 | Jeffrey Harmening, Manager, EOLCS/DEF/MOM of the American Petroleum Institute <i>"GF-6: Spec and Licensing"</i> | Virtual |
| April TBD, 2021 | Commercial Innovation Forum | Cancelled until 2022 |
| May 16 – 20, 2021 | 75th Anniversary STLE Annual Meeting & Exhibition | Virtual |
| May TBD, 2021 | Abel Jacob of Southwestern Controls | Virtual |
| September TBD, 2021 | First Technical Meeting of the new season | TBD? |