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CONET Newsletter

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Meeting Announcement for Tuesday April 5, 2005

CONSULTANTS AND THE LAW – PT 3 LIABILITY and CONTRACTS

Date: Tuesday, April 5, 2005

Place: Sheraton Hotel, 36th & Chestnut Streets.

Dinner: 6:30 PM (Social / networking from 6:00 PM)

Meeting: 7:15 to 9:00 PM

Theme: Consultants And The Law - Part 3: Liability and Contracts

Parking: IEEE will pay the parking fee for the Sheraton indoor lot, if you have your ticket validated at the meeting. Enter Sheraton Parking from 36th Street. Chestnut Street is one-way eastbound. 36th Street is a two-way street.

CONSULTANTS AND THE LAW – PT 3 LIABILITY and CONTRACTS

If you are a consultant, small technical business owner, or plan on being one someday, two of the biggest issues you face are staying out of court, and getting paid. On April 5, Robert Alston Esq., a partner in Schumaker and Lunkenheimer, LLP, will talk on a number of issues of vital interest to consultants, small business owners and technical professionals. Time will be provided after the presentation for follow-up questions and discussions.

Bob's topics will include corporate structures, contracts, limitations of liability, liability insurance, and most importantly...getting paid. Bob has extensive experience in corporate and trial law, and has taught and presented to numerous groups. Everyone is invited to attend; you do not need to be a CONET or IEEE member.

Price for dinner and the meeting is **\$30.00**; admission to the talk only is **\$10.00**. CONET and IEEE Student members may attend just the meeting / presentation at no charge.

To attend the dinner, email CONET@bilectron.com or call **Bill Jupin @ 610-631-1018** no later than **Friday, April 1 at 3PM** to reserve your place. Bring your check, payable to CONET, to the meeting.

Your presence and support insures our continuing success as a Philadelphia area Consultants Network.

COMING EVENTS

March 31 - IEEE Consultants Network of Northern New Jersey. Richard Feldman. Topic: *If you build it they will come.* - **BULL!**. For more information, go to <http://technologyontap.org/cgi-bin/meetings.cgi>

April 5 - Regular **IEEE CONET** meeting In Philadelphia (announcement above)

April 13, Chemical Consultants Network Topic: (to be determined) . For more information go to: <http://www.chemconsultants.org/nextmeet.html>

April 14 - ICCA Delaware Valley Chapter. Mario Pinardo. "Multiply Your Leads For New Business" For more information go to: www.iccadelval.org/icca/html/meetings.htm

April 28 - IEEE Consultants Network of Northern New Jersey. Donald A. Borcharding. Topic: *Performance Through Resource Management.* For more information, go to: <http://technologyontap.org/cgi-bin/meetings.cgi>

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<http://www.engineeringforum.org/forum/forumdisplay.php?s=&forumid=16>

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