

Society of American Military Engineers

East Tennessee
Technology Corridor Field Chapter
(ETTC FC, SAME)

In coordination with the Nashville Post, SAME





SAME Mission

To provide **education and support to the engineering components of the military and uniformed services** and other federal, state and local government agencies responsible for the nation's infrastructure, and to **advance the partnership between government and the architecture, engineering and construction industry** in the interest of national security.



SAME Vision

To be a premier global engineering organization advancing the professional and personal growth of its members, the military and public sector engineering community, and the architecture, engineering and construction industry.



SAME Values

Integrity: Unwavering commitment to always do what is right, regardless of consequences.

Patriotism: Support our national ideals and take pride in our country.

Public Service: Recognize the critical contribution that public servants make in supporting the economic and environmental needs of the nation.

National Security: Recognize the dedication of our national security team, comprised of the uniformed services, civil service and contractors, in defending freedom.

Technical Competence: Deliver high-quality solutions.

Excellence: Strive for the highest standards of performance in all actions, both personal and professional.

Environmental Stewardship: Preserve, protect, conserve and restore our national resources through sustainable practices.



SAME Posts & Membership

- Established post-WW I in 1919
- Currently in excess of 27,000 members
- 105 Posts & 23 Field Chapters in 42 states & Guam
- 4 Posts overseas (Japan, Korea, Italy, Germany)



SAME Education & Training

- Continuing Education Courses
- Joint Engineer Training Conference (national)
- Joint Engineer Training Symposiums (regional)
- Small Business Conference
- DoD & Federal Program Briefings
- Topic Specific Workshops



SAME Education & Training(contd)

- Engineering & Related Credentials
- Credentialing Achievement Awards Program
- STEM
- SAME Engineering & Construction Camps
- Scholarship Programs



ETTC FC

- Established in Fall of 2014
 - Home venue: Riverside Grille, 100 Melton Lake Peninsula Road, Oak Ridge, TN 37830
 - Monthly luncheon meetings typically second Tuesday of the month
- Current Membership
 - 55 individual members and participants representing 38 companies/organizations in the East Tennessee area
 - Six corporate sustaining members
 - Student memberships to SAME are Free
- Speakers
 - Dr. Davis, Dean, College of Engineering UT-K
 - Major General Holmes, Deputy Adjutant General-Tennessee National Guard and Deputy Chief of Engineers-National Guard Affairs
 - Doris Heim, UPF Project Manager of Business Operations, Bechtel National, Inc.
 - John Hunter, CDM-Smith (former Project Manager for “SmartFix-40” & Knoxville’s Chief Traffic Engineer)



ETTC FC Vision

- Partner with similar professional organizations and institutions of higher learning
 - Seeking opportunities for joint meetings
- Initiatives:
 - Education and Mentoring - scholarships for engineering educations
 - Continuing Engineering Education– professional development
 - Engineers Week – Sponsor with UT-K
 - Field Trips – Construction Sites
 - Young Members – Mentoring
 - Engineering Outreach – STEM
 - Helmets to Hardhats



Upcoming Event

- South Central/South Atlantic Joint Engineer Training Symposium (JETS)
 - Infrastructure: Preserving the Past while Building on the Future
 - Infrastructure Preservation/Rehabilitation/Repair Projects
 - New Infrastructure Projects
 - NEW: DOE & Energy Related Projects
 - Logistics:
 - August 26-28, 2015
 - Nashville TN, Gaylord Opryland Resort and Convention Center
 - More info: Search “SAME JETS Nashville”
 - Proceeds used to fund college scholarships and educational outreach programs



Conclusion

- www.same.org