

Thursday, February 7, 2019

Registration: 12:00 Noon to 7:00PM

OPERATOR'S JOINT SESSION

1:30 to 2:30 PM

“Regulatory Issues Facing the US Coke Industry”

by David Ailor (ACCCI)

OPERATOR'S DISCUSSION SESSIONS

2:45 to 5:00 PM

Blast Furnace.....Salon A

Coke Ovens.....Salon B

*****RECEPTION*****

Grand Ballroom

5:00 to 9:00PM

****Food & Drinks****

****Door Prizes****

Friday, February 8, 2019

AUTHOR'S BREAKFAST

7:00 to 8:45 AM

Registration: 7:30 to Noon

Technical Sessions: 9:00 to 12:00

Luncheon Meeting: 12:00 to 2:00 PM

**Eastern States Blast Furnace
And Coke Oven Association**

2018 – 2019

OFFICERS

Matthew DeLibero.....President

Chris Rabold.....Vice President

David Stowe.....Secretary/Treasurer

DIRECTORS

Jim Bobek

Mike Krchmar

Gregory Yanief

Peter Hamerlinck

Brian Crawford

Mark Roberge

Chris Caplick

Arrangements Committee

Doug Behling

Hank Kalkbrenner

Paul Dellemonache, Jr.

Harold Lewis

Greg Emish

Skip Slaven (Chairman)

Dennis Zdrale

Membership Committee

Harry Williams

Registration Members.....\$ 90.00

Non-Members.....\$120.00

Luncheon.....\$ 40.00

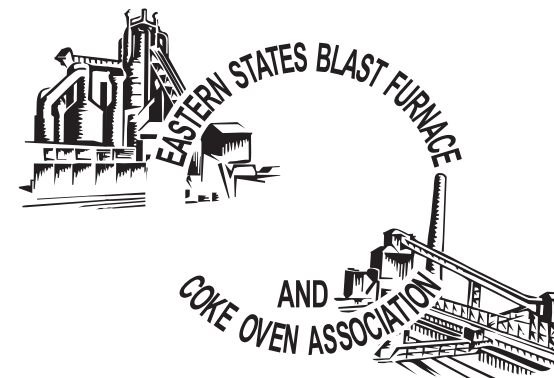
Board of Directors Meeting

February 7, 2019

10:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Board Room

**ANNUAL
WINTER MEETING
PROGRAM
OF**



Established 1921

**Sheraton Pittsburgh Airport Hotel
1160 Thorn Run Road
Coraopolis, PA 15108**

**Thursday, February 7, 2019
And
Friday, February 8, 2019**

Hotel Reservations

412-262-2400

Reserve rooms by January 23, 2019

Ask for Eastern States Rate

\$99

**Check Out Eastern States Web Page
www.easternstates.org**

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BLAST FURNACE AND COKE OVENS
OPERATOR'S JOINT SESSION

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2:45 to 5:00 PM
BLAST FURNACE SESSION
Chairmen: Peter Hamerlinck & Chris Caplick

2:45 to 3:10 PM
“Great Lakes D4 Blast Furnace Repair”
Chris Rabold, U.S. Steel Great Lakes

3:10 to 3:35
“Start-Up of Granite City Blast Furnaces”
Bobby Ellis, U.S. Steel Granite City

3:35 to 4:00 PM
“A.M. Indiana Harbor 4BF 2018 Top Change Out”
Chris James, ArcelorMittal Indiana Harbor

4:00 to 4:25 PM
**“Use of Cardox System to
Remove Uptake Buildup”**
Shawn Tilbury, ArcelorMittal Dofasco

4:25 to 4:50 PM
“Campaign Extension Including Top Change”
Chris Caplick, ArcelorMittal Cleveland

2:45 to 5:00 PM
COKE OVEN SESSION
Chairmen: Brian Crawford and Mark Roberge

2:45 to 3:10 PM
“Light Oil Plant Rebuild and Upgrades”
Jim Misenhelder, U.S. Steel Clairton

3:10 to 3:35
“Nonroutine COG Line Isolations”
David Stowe, ArcelorMittal Warren

3:35 to 4:00 PM
“Coke Moisture Reduction”
Alex Grguric, ArcelorMittal Dofasco

4:00 to 4:25 PM
**“Pusher Emissions Control Systems
Improvements at Monessen”**
Jason Hopkins, ArcelorMittal Monessen

4:25 to 4:50 PM
“Battery Top Paving Project”
Michael Shafer, DTE

Friday, February 8, 2019

9:00 to Noon
BLAST FURNACE SESSION
Chairmen: James Bobeck and Greg Yanief

9:15 to 9:45 AM
**“2D Top Temperature Measurement on
Gary #14 BF”**
Ralph Albanese, U.S. Steel Gary

9:45 to 10:15 AM
“Optimization of Blast Furnace Fluxing Raw Materials”
Nick Yeanuzzi, U.S. Steel

10:15 to 10:45 AM
“Stave Leak Failure Mechanism and Mitigation Plan”
Monica Dias, ArcelorMittal Dofasco

10:45 to 11:15 AM
**“7 BF Change in Hearth Design and It’s
Effects on Hearth Wear and Casting”**
Anton Shkurenko, ArcelorMittal Indiana Harbor

11:15 to 11:45 AM
**“7BF Effect on Top Gas Solids Loading with
Operational Changes”**
James Bobeck, ArcelorMittal Indiana Harbor

9:00 to Noon
COKE OVEN SESSION
Chairmen: Mike Krchmar and Mike Roberge

9:15 to 9:45 AM
“Degas and Cleaning of LO Tank”
Mo Elbeitam, DTE

9:45 to 10:15 AM
“Reliability Improvements in Coking Operations”
Shelton Tate & Jeff Drentkiewicz, U.S. Steel Clairton

10:15 to 10:45 AM
“Process Water Analysis & Contamination Detection”
Steve McKnight & Cristin Geletei, USS Clairton

10:45 to 11:15 AM
“Bulk Density Improvement ”
Alex Grguric, ArcelorMittal Dofasco

11:15 to 11:45 AM
“Alternative H2S Scrubber Trials”
Josh Harrison, ArcelorMittal Monessen

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LUNCHEON TECHNICAL SESSION
Noon to 2:00 PM

Chairman: Matt Delibero
U.S. Steel Mon Valley Works

LUNCHEON SPEAKER:

JAMES DUDEK

U.S. Steel V.P. Asset Revitalization
and Manufacturing Excellence

**“Current State of The Steel
Industry and U.S Steel
Asset Revitalization”**

Annual Spring Meeting

will be announced

at February Meeting
