



INLAND EMPIRE SECTION

Professional Engineers in California Government



Second Quarter Report

March 2013

2012-2013 Officers:

Ferdinand
de la Cruz
Director

Aaron Brady
President

Jane Pham
President-Elect

Bill Wasser
VP Supervisory

Ramin Ghodsi
VP Rank & File

Najah Amin
VP at Large

Omar Perez
Secretary

Reyna Baeza-Oregel
Treasurer

Quarterly Section Report, March 2013

SECTION OF THE YEAR!
2004, 2005, 2009 & 2012



Again....



2013 IE Section Officers



(L-R): JC Alvarez (Past President, Reyna Baeza-Oregal (Treasurer), Jane Pham (President-Elect), Omar Perez (Secretary), Ramin Ghodsi (VP-Rank and File), Ferdinand de la Cruz (Director), Aaron Brady (President), Najah Amin (VP-At Large), Bill Wasser (VP-Supervisory)



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Inland Empire Section
Section Of The Year 2012



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INLAND EMPIRE SECTION MEETING

Thursday, October 11, 2012

11:30 AM—12:30 PM

**Norman Feldheym Public Library
555 W. 6th Street (E & 6th) San Bernardino**



Guest Speaker:

Ted Toppin

- PECG Staff -Director and Lobbyist

AGENDA:

- New Officers Introduction
- Section of the Year!
- Upcoming Election and Propositions
- Question and Answers

**• All Members and Fee Payers are Welcome!!
Gift for all in attendance!!**

FREE Pizza Lunch. Your choice of Combo, Chicken or Veggie.

Get your Ticket by Monday, Oct 8th from:

Aaron Brady	11th floor	(909) 388-7304
Reyna Baeza	8th floor	(909) 383-4307
Ferdinand de la Cruz	10th floor	(909) 383-7964
Jane Pham	7th floor	(909) 388-7135
Vince Curran	6th floor	(909) 383-4704
Scott Hongkham	TMC	(909) 356-5703
Najah Amin	Riverside	(951) 320-6362



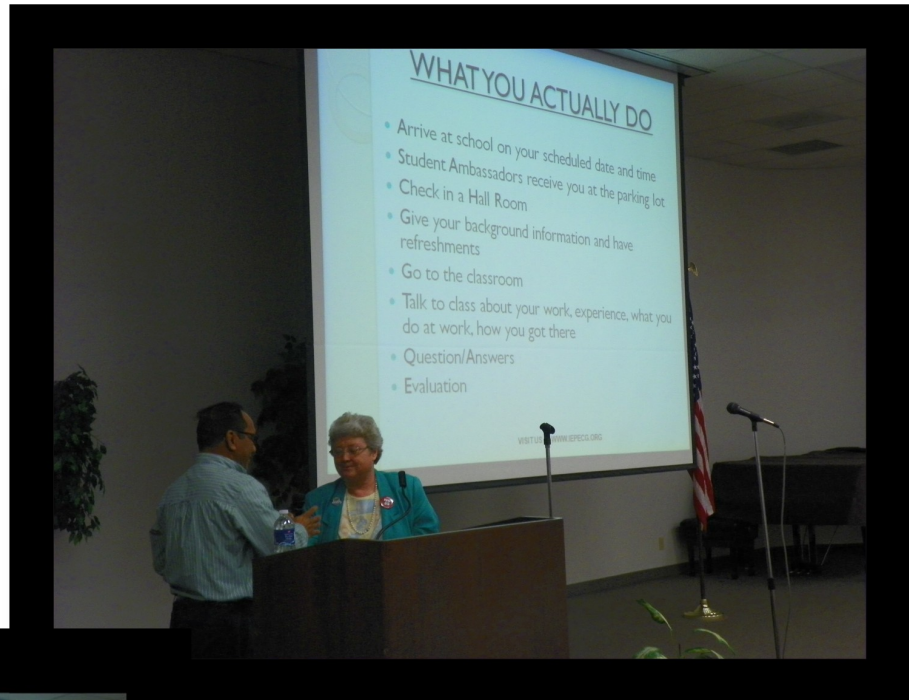


**(L-R): Ted and cake,
Jane,
Najah, JC, Aaron,
Ferdinand, Scott and
Shabbir's back.**

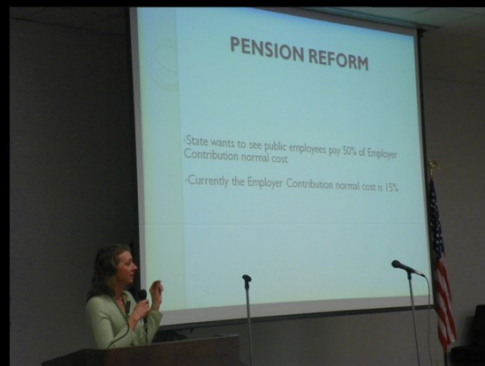




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***Above: Sybille and Nasim
Left: Joya
Below: Full House of Members***



Community Outreach-YEMP



Youth
Education
Mentoring
Program

YEMP is a program co-founded in 1976 by Congressman Joe Baca and education advocates, designed to motivate school students to stay in school while giving back to the community. The goal of the program is to improve and enhance student understanding of the connection between school and future success in the workplace. Volunteer adult speakers from all walks of life share their experiences with students about how education has played a major role in their lives.

Speakers are needed for:

Cesar Chavez Academy Middle School

1150 Paseo Grande, **Corona**, CA 92882

Thursday, January 24, 2013

8:00 am —11:00 am

Auburndale Intermediate

1255 River Road, **Corona**, CA 92880

Friday, February 1, 2013

8:00 am —11:00 am

More Visits are Pending



Sybille Phillips and Nasim Gani
Inland Empire PECG Co-Chairs for the YEMP Outreach.

Community Outreach-RIMS



RIMS Science & Engineering Fair Science Fair Advisory Board Meeting Minutes

Judge/Volunteer information sheet distributed. Volunteer to judge or help to recruit judges. We would like to have as many judges per student as possible. Goal for this year: 100

Key Dates 2013 for RIMS fair distributed. Members invited to attend the Science Review/Screening on March 18th to read student abstracts.

Engineering category added for 4th – 5th grade students

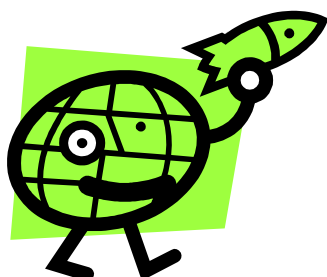
Would like to have some outstanding Kindergarten – 3rd grade projects on display at Science Fair

Awards – request for donations by individuals or organizations for community awards for distribution at the time of fair or at award ceremony

Award ceremonies will be split between Riverside Municipal Auditorium (Riverside County students), and National Orange Show (San Bernardino, Inyo, and Mono Counties). Discussed best ways to insure students and parents know where to go for award ceremony and how to insure students are able to retrieve their projects after the fair.



***Last Years
Inland Empire
Judges. We are
anticipating
even more this
year!***



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Welcome to the
**California Academic
Decathlon Website**
<http://academicdecathlon.org/>

CALIFORNIA ACADEMIC DECATHLON COMPETITION

***Judges for the California Academic
Decathlon are needed.***

Contact Tracey Rivas to sign up

E-mail: trivas@rcoe.us

Phone: 951.826.6570

Also notify Scott Hongkham at

scott_hongkham@dot.ca.gov

January 26, 2013

8:30 AM-4:00 PM

Food will be provided!

Location:

Heritage High School

26001 Briggs Rd, Romoland 92585

Academic Decathlon (continued)



IE Section Judges: Vince Curran, Scott Hongkham, Ferdinand de la Cruz and Omar Perez



Academic Decathlon (continued)



The Riverside County Academic Decathlon Competition was held on Saturday, January 26, 2013 at Heritage High School in Hemet, CA. There were approximately 170 students representing 19 High Schools in Riverside County. They competed in two categories, Speech and Interview.

In the Speech category, the students had approximately four minutes to recite their prepared speech. Then, after the prepared speech, they were given a random topic and were allowed one minute to prepare and up to four more minutes to recite the speech. Penalties were assessed for going under or over their allocated time. The Interview consisted of a series of questions to judge the students ability think and reason quickly.

Our Inland Empire Section sent four of our officers/members to assist as judges for this event.



Upcoming Events



IE Section Meeting March 27th, 2013

*Featuring the leaders of Caltrans, PECG
and District 8 !!*

*(Malcolm Dougherty, Steve Lee and
Basem Muallem)*

To be held at the San Bernardino Elks Lodge





Miscellaneous Activities



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Calendar

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**PICK UP
YOURS
TODAY!
LIMITED
QUANTITIES**