



Fellow MDSPE members, Engineers, and Affiliated Professionals,

Please join the Maryland Society of Professional Engineers (MDSPE), Frederick Chapter, for a lunch presentation by Bill Ryan (Current President of MDSPE) entitled "Engineering and Associated Risk".

When: Tuesday November 24th, noon-1:30 pm

Where: Dutch's Daughter, Frederick, MD

Cost: \$20.00 for MDSPE members, \$27.00 for non-MDSPE members (please see form for crab cake platter prices)

Please contact Mike Swanson ASAP to reserve your spot at mswanson@dmw.com or 301-696-9040. Please return the attached registration form [below](#) with a check (made payable to "MDSPE-Frederick Chapter") to Mike Swanson at the address below no later than Tuesday, November 17th. Lunch will include choice of four entrees, salad, seasoned vegetable, twice baked potato, dessert, and coffee, tea, and soda. The entrees choices include french dip, portabella chicken, vegetarian pasta or crab cakes.

Bill Ryan of Ryan & Associates will discuss liability, risk protection, contracts, and dispute mitigation. Please see the presentation outline below.

Mr. Ryan has over 20 years of experience in Civil, Geotechnical, Structural, Environmental and Forensic Engineering. He is the Principal Engineer, President, and owner of Ryan and Associates and is the current President of the Maryland Society of Professional Engineers. As a Forensics Engineer, he has provided expert testimony on a broad range of engineering specialties.

More information on Ryan and Associates:

<http://www.ryanandassociates.net/>



Directions to Dutch's Daughter:

<http://maps.google.com/maps?hl=en&um=1&ie=UTF-8&q=Dutch%27s+Daughter+Inc&fb=1&cid=0,0,13216531879298242055&near=Frederick,+MD&oi=manybox&ct=10&cd=1&resnum=1>

Link to Dutch's Daughter:

<http://www.dutchsdaughter.com/>

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Registration for "Engineering & Associated Risk"
Tuesday, November 24th, 2009, Noon at Dutch's Daughter

Name: _____

Company: _____

E-mail: _____

Phone Number: _____

Chicken: ___ \$20 for MDSPE Members
 ___ \$27 for Non-MDSPE

French Dip: ___ \$20 for MDSPE Members
 ___ \$27 for Non-MDSPE

Vegetarian Pasta: ___ \$20 for MDSPE Members
 ___ \$27 for Non-MDSPE

Crab Cake: ___ \$25 for MDSPE Members
 ___ \$32 for Non-MDSPE

If you would like to attend, call Mike Swanson asap at 301-696-9040

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ENGINEERING & ASSOCIATED RISK

By: William Ryan, M.S., P.E. – President Maryland Society of Professional Engineers

Suggested Lecture Outline:

1. Engineering Risk – What is it?
 - A. Forms of Liability;
 - B. Where does Liability come from?
 - C. The involvement of Laws as it applies to Risk;
 - D. The "TRUTH" about lawsuits.
2. Risk Protection – How can Engineers Protect Themselves?

- A. Contracts and Limitation of Liability;
 - B. Insurance;
 - C. Client – Selection and Management;
 - D. Engineering Design;
 - E. Risk Management.
3. “Truth” about Risk
- A. Proportional to Fee?
 - B. Project Delivery Methods.
4. Engineering Construction Oversight & Monitoring – Necessary??
- A. Project Management – “You don’t get what’s Expected, You get what’s Inspected!”
 - B. Client Management;
 - C. Firm Management.
5. Dispute Mitigation
6. Resolution – Litigation or Arbitration?