### Named SBE's "Best Chapter Newsletter"

Ohio Broadcast Engineering Conference Aladdin Shrine Temple Columbus, OH NO LOCAL MEETING THIS MONTH November 2009 Vol. XVII Number 10

### And the winner is...



Blake Thompson receives a Bird Model 43 RF Power Meter during last month's meeting at Bird Electronics.

See more meeting pictures on page 3.

### **November Meeting Information**

Hello all. It's fall conference time for Chapter 70. We have no meeting scheduled this month.Instead we encourage you to attend the 7th Annual Ohio Broadcast Engineering Conference on our regular date of Tuesday November 10th. You'll have a good networking opportunity, a good learning opportunity and you can get some re-certification credits too! See the list of educational sessions on page 2.

The event is presented by The Ohio Association of Broadcasters, The Ohio Chapters of the Society of Broadcast Engineers, & The Ohio Chapter of the Society of Motion Picture and Television Engineers.

NEW LOCATION! Aladdin Shrine Temple, 3850 Stelzer Road, Columbus. Registration is still open at the following link: http://www.oab.org/engineering/ or contact the OAB's Director of Operations Patti Geary at pgeary@oab.org or 614-228-4052. The conference features a full day of educational sessions along with a dedicated Exhibitors' Showcase during lunch.

The registration deadline is Friday, November 6.

See AGENDA on page 2

### Do to the holidays, there will be no meeting or newsletter in December.

### From SBE's Short Circuits

For additional information and to view the full articles go to <u>www.sbe.org</u>

#### SBE Agreement with U.S. Department of

#### **Defense on Spectrum Sharing**

(October 16, 2009)

The Society of Broadcast Engineers and the U.S. Department of Defense earlier this year signed an agreement regarding shared use of broadcast spectrum. The U.S. Air Force plans to construct new satellite tracking stations in a number of U.S. locations that would use spectrum in the 2025 -2110 MHz band.

#### SBE Member Survey Focuses on

Education Offerings (September 24, 2009) In an effort to learn more about its members' continuing education needs, SBE sent an electronic survey to its members. The survey was emailed to all members who have their emails listed with SBE, and focuses on the following areas:

- About the Respondent
- General Education
- SBE University
- Ennes Workshops
- Leadership Development Course
- Webinars
- Your Ideas & Comments

#### Agenda: Ohio Broadcast Engineering Conference

8:30am Registration and continental breakfast

**9:00am** General Session: Update on IPAWS and Next Generation EAS

Panel: David Layer, Senior Director, Advanced Engineering, National Association of Broadcasters; Mark Patchen, Director, Ohio Emergency Management Agency; and Bill Rossini, CSRE, Director of Engineering, Clear Channel Toledo and State Emergency Communications Committee (SECC) Chairman

**10:15am** General Session: AOIP - Audio over IP in the Control Room by Jim Armstrong, Director of Eastern US Sales, Telos/Omnia/Axia 11:15am Exhibitors Showcase opens. Lunch will be served during the Exhibitors' Showcase

#### 2:00pm Exhibitors Showcase closes

\* Radio Breakout Session: Implementing and Benefiting from Station 'Now Playing' Data for HD Radio, RDS and Beyond by Patrick Campion, Sales Manager - Midwest Region, ENCO

\* TV Breakout Session: Effectively and Efficiently Repurposing Broadcast Content for Web and Mobile by Scott Matics, Product Manager – MediaFUSE, Grass Valley

#### 3:00pm

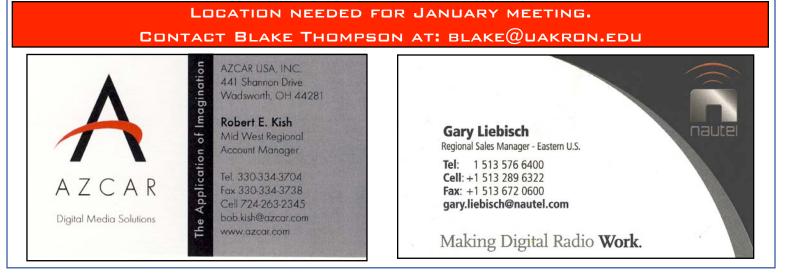
\* Radio Breakout Session: Ground Loops by Steve Lampen, Multimedia Technology Manager, Belden

\* TV Breakout Session: Maximizing System Coverage in the DTV Transition Environment in Preparation for M/H by Perry Priestley, VP of Sales, Linear Industries

#### 4:00pm

\* Radio Breakout Session: Update on HD Radio Power Increase by Gary Liebisch, Regional Sales Manager – Eastern U.S., Nautel \* TV Breakout Session: How to Read Camera Specifications by

Joseph Perecman, Sales Support Engineering Manager, Sony Electronics Inc.





### October Meeting at Bird Electronic Corp.

(Photos courtesy of Robert Leskovec)









### **SBE 2010 Certification Exam Schedule**



Exam Dates	Location	Application Deadline
February 5-15	Local Chapters	December 31, 2009
April 13	NAB Convention	March 26, 2010
June 4-14	Local Chapters	April 16, 2010
August 6-16	Local Chapters	June 4, 2010
November 5-15	Local Chapters	September 17, 2010

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