

SBE CHAPTER 70 - CLEVELAND/AKRON

SBE 70 MINUTES

Tuesday, July 11, 2023 - County Library - North Royalton Branch - Meeting Room 124
5071 Wallings Road - North Royalton, Ohio 44133

Gather 6:00pm - SBE Chapter 70 Meeting at 7pm, - Presentation or Field Trip to follow
Presentation: Rebuilding of the WHKW/1220 Transmitter Facility

Presented by: Jimmy Georgiades, Director of Engineering, Salem Media Group, Cleveland

JULY 11th MEETING INFO

Join us at our old stomping ground of the North Royalton Library, Room 124 on Tuesday, July 11th at 6pm. We will have Pizza and refreshments before a 7pm Meeting, and then either a Field Trip (weather permitting) or a presentation by Jimmy Georgiades on the construction of a new building to house the WHKW/1220 Transmitters and associated gear.

Construction took place over the past year, with moving of the equipment from the original building at 9446 Broadview Road to a new 'prefab' building 'across the field', with access to the building now off of Akins Road. Jimmy plans to give a tour of this facility, and discussion of the issues and work encountered to make this happen. We plan to 'car pool' from the library, after the meeting, or you can drive separately if you like. It's about a 5-10 minute drive to Broadview and Akins Road. We'll have more details at the meeting.

If weather is inclement, we plan to have a power-point presentation with photos and discussion at the library instead. It will just depend on the weather, as we all know tower sites and lightning are not a good 'visiting' situation for a field trip.

Hope to see you Tuesday, it will be fun either way!

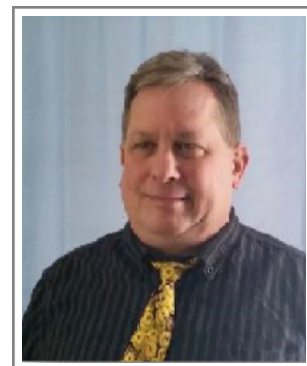
See you then!

John Hovanec, CSRE/CBNT DRM AMD
SBE Chapter 70 Program Chair

CHAIRMAN'S CHAT

Hello all members and friends of SBE Chapter 70.

First up we want to thank Jim Armstrong and Jake Alderman from the Telos Alliance for the excellent program on the virtual capabilities of the Altus console system. This tech is cool for operations within your network or in the cloud, simple remote control of a console with full local audio I/O via webRTC. I was impressed, and can see this becoming the standard for virtual content creators in the audio arena.



Congratulations to our 2023 Chapter Engineer of the Year Jim Arcaro! We voted him the honor at the meeting and got the info to national just in time. We should have the presentation pix soon.

The MBMTC this Sept. 28th is getting ready to start their promotions but I can give you a sneak peek at some of the sessions: Frank Foti will talk on Broadcast Audio Processing, Lawo will present on resilient IP networks, Harmonic will talk about ATSC1 & 3, we'll have an

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opening Regulatory/EAS program and final Cyber-security panel. Along with the final door prize, a 65" TV!

In national news the FCC has established GN Docket 22-352, titled *Expanding Use of the 12.7-13.25 GHz Band for Mobile Broadband or Other Expanded Use*. In this proceeding, the FCC has proposed repack and/or relocation of broadcast (and other) existing authorizations in the 12.7-13.25 GHz band. A forthcoming certification deadline for existing, incumbent 12.7-13.25 GHz broadcast licenses operating under Part 74 is outlined as part of this proceeding, but the FCC has not yet set the actual deadline by which such certifications must be filed. Accordingly, the SBE does not yet know when the FCC will require licensees to file such certifications or how well that date — as well as the requirements for making such certifications — will be communicated to licensees.

It is imperative that you verify all license data in the FCC's Universal Licensing System (ULS) related to your 13GHz broadcast auxiliary services licenses as soon as possible. In addition, **if you are currently using 13GHz for ENG**, not fixed links, please **notify SBE Frequency Coordination Manager RJ Russell** at rjrusell@sbe.org of the licensee call sign and designated market area.

Thanks,

Blake E. Thompson CBNT
BET Broadcast Engineering
SBE Chapter 70 Chairman
OAB/MAB/WVBA ABIP Inspector



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A business card for Broadcast Depot Corp. The left side features logos for RVR ELETTRONICA, DEVA BROADCAST, SV Yes, AXEL TECHNOLOGY, and Telos Alliance. The right side contains contact information for Mary Schnelle, U.S. Sales, including email, mobile, and office phone numbers, the company address in Tampa, FL, and the website www.7bd.com. A colorful graphic of overlapping lines in red, yellow, and blue is on the left.

A business card for Videodub International. The top section is a light beige header with the company name "VIDEODUB INTERNATIONAL" and the tagline "For Business & Video Professionals". Below this is a circular logo with a stylized 'V' and 'D'. To the right of the logo is the name "Fadi Kdayssi" and the company address: "Videodub International Inc., 2504 Fairmount Blvd., Cleveland, OH 44106". At the bottom, it lists the phone number "216-321-1440", fax number "216-321-4404", and email "fadi@videodubinternational.com".

SBE 2023 Certification Exam Schedule



Exam Dates	Location	Application Deadline
February 3-13, 2023	Local Chapters	Past Deadline
June 1-12, 2023	Local Chapters	Past Deadline
August 4-14, 2023	Local Chapters	Past Deadline
November 3-13, 2023	Local Chapters	September 8, 2023

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