

The Hampton Roads Area Chapter of INCOSE

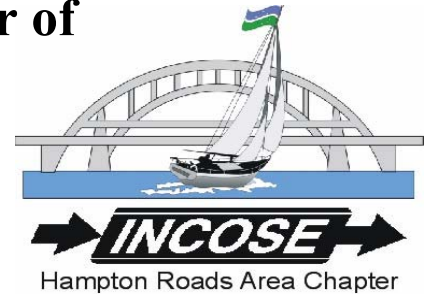
Presents

*A Chapter Dinner Meeting
With Special Guest*

Dennis McCarthy
Vice-President of Swales Aerospace

Tuesday, June 29
6:00pm – 8:00pm

Golden Palace Restaurant in Hampton



Presentation:

Industry Perspective: Challenges to Program Management

Swales Aerospace has provided engineering services to NASA in-house programs for 25 years. From the late 1990's to today, the character and environment for space programs have changed requiring more work to be done by contractors. This presentation offers an industry perspective toward program management challenges that impact the space programs of today. The importance of implementing systems teams in space programs with clearly stated systems engineering objectives is discussed in detail. The difference between systems engineering and systems management is presented as is the crucial aspect of a systems perspective for every project.

Dennis McCarthy

Mr. McCarthy is currently Vice President of Swales Aerospace and Director of Engineering Services where he is responsible for all engineering discipline support to NASA, Universities and Industry. Previously, he was a Program Director at Johns Hopkins University where he managed the entire Far Ultraviolet Spectroscopic Explorer Program and he was with NASA Goddard Space Flight Center for over 30 years. At NASA Goddard, Mr. McCarthy was Deputy Associate Director for Flight Projects for the Hubble Space Telescope, Deputy Project Manager for the Hubble Space Telescope Servicing Mission, Associate Director for the Space Sciences Directorate, and Deputy Project Manager for the Cosmic Background Explorer Program.

**PLEASE make your reservation with
Becky Reed/Director of Programs by June
25, 2004. Becky can be reached via email
at rreed@reedintegration.com or phone at
757-638-3238.**

Dinner Price

- INCOSE Members: \$8
- Non-Members: \$14