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A Familiarization of Drivetrain Components
18 – 19 June 2012
I.D.# 98024

Designed to help you visualize both individual components and the entire drivetrain system - without reference to complicated equations - this seminar focuses on the terms, functions, nomenclature, operating characteristics and effect on vehicle performance for each of the drivetrain components. Attendees will receive an introduction to the various components of the drivetrain, including the clutch or torque converter, manual or automatic transmission, driveshaft, axle, wheel ends, and brakes. This course also provides insight into: the structure and function of each component; vehicle integration; and related noise, vibration and harshness issues. You will be equipped to evaluate the space requirements, mounting needs, clearances required, and effect on vehicle response for each component. Attendees will receive a copy of James Halderman’s book, The Automotive Technology, 4th Ed.

Learning Objectives
Upon completion of this seminar, you will be able to:
• Discuss both practical and technical aspects of smoothing clutch operation by incorporating cushion and torsional dampers.
• Compare different types of transmission synchronization, automatic transmission torque converters, hydraulic clutch operation and epicyclic gear trains.
• Describe the interaction of gear ratios and vehicle performance as related to engine horsepower and torque curves.
• Explain phasing and mounting of propeller shafts as related to torsional excitation and secondary couple loads
• Review different types of differentials.
• Compare common misconceptions of limited slip devices to their actual performance.
• Recognize four-wheel drive systems and the need for an inter-axle differential.
• Appraise electronic control of torque through braking and clutching devices.
• Evaluate the total drivetrain package as a system.

Who Should Attend
This seminar is intended for engineers now working with passenger car, sport utility, truck, bus, industrial, and off-highway vehicles who have had minimal prior experience with the total drivetrain.

Instructor: Joseph Palazzolo
See Mr. Palazzolo’s biography on page 4.

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Testimonials

“Excellent overview of the entire drivetrain, but includes some detail and practical insight instead of being too broad and overgeneralized.”
Scott A. Van Luvender
Applications Engineer
Acadia Polymers

“Great course; I can’t wait to get back to work and start using the techniques I’ve learned. The instructor was able to provide real world examples that helped understand each area of this course.”
Todd Freeman
Associate Technical Specialist (Quality) Honda Manufacturing of Alabama

“Fountain of crucial concepts amid essential leadership techniques.”
D. Stern
Vice President Engineering
Workhorse Custom Chassis

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Leading High Performance Teams
18 – 19 June 2012
I.D. # CO410

Product development is organizationally a complex undertaking that requires effective coordination within a company and between companies. During product development, teams are confronted with a number of ongoing organizational challenges and there is a high potential for conflict between participants in the process.

This course addresses teamwork and other “soft-side” factors that largely determine whether product development programs are successfully completed on schedule. The content is relevant for both OEMs and suppliers.

Learning Objectives
By attending this seminar, you will be able to:
• Explain the importance of effectively managing ‘soft-side’ issues that cause problems and delays during product development programs
• Employ successful practices of chartering and launching teams
• Implement techniques to successfully lead and facilitate effective teams
• Effectively troubleshoot problems on a team and employ techniques to remain productive
• Implement proven tips for conducting effective team meetings

Who Should Attend
Engineers and business people involved in various product development team activities will find the subject matter practical and useful. The content is of particular value to professionals from engineering, manufacturing, purchasing, quality, marketing, and finance functions in ground vehicle OEMs and suppliers.

Instructor: Joseph Doyle
Joseph Doyle is the principal of Strategic Insights, consulting firm, specializing in executive leadership. Dr. Doyle has served as an adjunct professor and lecturer at the University of Michigan Dearborn’s School of Business, taught Engineering Administration at the University of Detroit’s Graduate School of Engineering and Business Strategy at Oakland University’s School of Business Administration. He holds a B.S. in Mathematics and Physical Science from Eastern Michigan University, a M.Ed. in Educational Evaluation and Research from Wayne State University and a Ph.D. in Organizational Behavior from the University of Michigan.
Vehicle Dynamics for Passenger Cars and Light Trucks
18 – 19 June 2012
I.D.# C1215

This seminar will present an introduction to Vehicle Dynamics from a vehicle system perspective. The theory and applications are associated with the interaction and performance balance between the powertrain, brakes, steering, suspensions and wheel and tire vehicle subsystems. The role that vehicle dynamics can and should play in effective automotive chassis development and the information and technology flow from vehicle system to subsystem to piece-part is integrated into the presentation. The dynamics of the powertrain, brakes, steering, suspension and wheel and tire subsystems and their interactions are examined along with the important role of structure and structural parameters related to vehicle dynamics. Physical experiments, applicable to vehicle dynamics are also introduced. Attendees will receive the Bosch Automotive Handbook and The Automotive Chassis: Engineering Principles by Reimpell, Stoll and Betzler.

Learning Objectives
By attending this seminar, you will be able to:
• Summarize how vehicle dynamics is related to the voice of the customer
• Identify important vehicle system parameters useful for effective application of vehicle dynamics to chassis development
• List and explain parameters that effect vehicle performance relative to drive-off, braking, directional control and rollover
• Identify physical measurements needed to effectively apply vehicle dynamics to passenger cars and light trucks
• Define the value of vehicle dynamics simulation in the development and evaluation of vehicles
• Explain the balance required between ride, directional control and rollover and the essential process for this balance to be obtained for marketplace vehicles

Who Should Attend
Automotive engineers and quality professionals who work in product design, testing, quality, process or development will benefit from attending.

Instructor: Timothy Drotar
Timothy Drotar is currently a product development engineer at Ford Motor Company where he specializes in chassis systems and vehicle dynamics for passenger cars and light trucks. He also has developed engineering training in suspension and steering. Previously, he worked for Saturn Corporation in product engineering. Tim is a member of the Course Industry Advisor Board for Chassis Systems Design at Kettering University, and a member of SAE and SCCA. He holds a B.S. in Mechanical Engineering from Lawrence Technological University and a M.S. in Mechanical Engineering from the University of Michigan.

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Testimonials
“...The seminar reinforced and increased my knowledge of vehicle dynamics. It also gave me a better understanding of how the entire chassis system works together.”
Marco A. Bianchini
Senior Product Engineer
ZF-Sachs Automotive

“A great overview of how all chassis components contribute to overall vehicle dynamics.”
Steve Urquhart
Engineer General Motors Corporation
Managing Engineering & Technical Professionals
18 – 19 June 2012
I.D.# C0608

In the fast-paced and competitive environment of today’s global economy, the work of technical professionals is often the difference between success and failure in an organization. Providing leadership for engineers is uniquely challenging, and the transition from working engineer to first-line technical supervisor is one of the most difficult career challenges that an engineer may face. First-time engineering supervisors and mid-level managers who wish to sharpen their skills and learn new techniques for guiding, coaching, and motivating working engineers, technicians, and designers will find this seminar valuable. A mix of lecture and attention-grabbing exercises are used to develop intense and lasting learning results.

Learning Objectives
By attending this seminar, you will be able to:
• Describe the basic value proposition of management: what managers bring to an organization that makes them worthwhile
• Avoid the most common errors that supervisors and managers make
• Describe the evolution of management thought, and utilize the latest proven concepts for improving the performance of people in complex organizations
• Explain the issues that drive the psychology of effective leadership and develop greater emotional intelligence
• Implement strategies to enhance your skills in meeting management, coaching, and performance review that are essential in today’s professional workplace

Who Should Attend
Engineers and technical professionals who are either recently promoted into a management position, or have some experience as a manager but would like to learn how to become more effective will benefit from attending this workshop. The concepts and skills developed during this interactive experience will be of interest to those involved in product development, manufacturing, service, or quality engineering, and all related technical activities in automotive, aerospace, manufacturing, and off-highway industries.

Instructor: Eric Timmis
Eric Timmis is the owner of BusinessIsAContactSport.com, a training and consulting company dedicated to business process improvement, focusing on value and quality management implementation, program/project management training, and the integration of strategic partnership relationships between departments and organizations.

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Testimonials

“This class is not just for learning management, but understanding managers as well.”
Erik Hakala
Test Engineer
SMR Automotive Systems USA

“This is the best possible way to invest 3 days in making an engineer into a manager.”
Steven M. Parrish
Communications Lead Engineer
General Dynamics/Land Systems

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Turbocharging Internal Combustion Engines
18 – 20 June 2012
I.D.# C0314

This seminar covers the basic concepts of turbocharging of gasoline and diesel engines, including turbocharger matching, charge air and EGR cooling, and as associated controls. The limitations and future possibilities of today’s systems and details on how emerging technologies will impact engine/vehicle performance will be covered. The primary focus is on the turbocharger-engine interface rather than detailed turbocharger aerodynamics and design. Advanced technologies such as variable geometry and multi-stage turbocharging, high and low pressure loop EGR systems, assisted turbocharging and turbocompounding are discussed. Students will have the opportunity to perform hands-on exercises to gain an appreciation of parametric effects in a wide range of engines.

Learning Objectives
By attending this seminar, you will be able to:
• Describe the thermodynamic principles governing the turbocharging of internal combustion engines
• Articulate the critical contribution of turbocharging to modern day diesel engine performance and emission control
• Determine the possible benefits of turbocharging for specific gasoline and heavy and light duty diesel engine applications
• Estimate the appropriate turbocharger characteristics for specific applications based on engine system requirements
• Describe the limitations of current technologies and evaluate new technologies and their possible role in meeting future engine/vehicle system challenges
• Apply the basic principles of matching turbocharger with engine and optimizing overall system for desired performance and emissions

Who Should Attend
This seminar is designed for engineers, managers, and other technical personnel from OEM and support industries concerned with the design and development of optimized diesel and spark ignition engine systems, including performance, fuel economy and emissions for passenger car, light truck and heavy duty engines. Some background in thermodynamics, IC engine performance and emissions will be helpful.

Instructors: Arjun D. Tuteja & S. M. Shahed
Dr. Arjun D. Tuteja has over 28 years of industry experience, mostly in advanced development of diesel engine systems. Dr. Tuteja has managed projects dealing with advanced diesels, stratified charged engines, aftertreatment systems, air systems, analytical modeling, and alternate fuels. He holds three patents on aftertreatment systems. Dr. Tuteja has a B.S. degree in Mechanical Engineering from India and an M.S. and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

Dr. S. M. Shahed is Corporate Fellow at Honeywell Turbo Technologies where he has developed and applied advanced boosting technology to reduce emissions and improve the fuel economy of gasoline and diesel engines. Dr. Shahed is an SAE International fellow and served as the 2002 president of SAE International. He has received several prestigious international awards including the I.Mech.E James Clayton Award, the SAE International Horning Memorial Award and Arch Colwell Award, and the University of Wisconsin Distinguished Service Citation. Dr. Shahed holds a B.E. degree from India and an M.S. and Ph.D. from the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

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Testimonials

“Provides a good basic understanding of turbo history and where it is going in the future. Well worthwhile.”
Robert Purdy
Technical Development Specialist
Wescast Industries

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Designing On-Board Diagnostics for Light and Medium Duty Emissions Control Systems

19 – 21 June 2012  
I.D.# C0707

This course is designed to provide a fundamental understanding of how and why OBD systems function and the technical features that a diagnostic should have in order to ensure compliant and successful implementation. Fundamental design objectives and features needed to achieve those objectives for generic on-board diagnostics will be covered. The course will also explore the relationship of the OBD system with the underlying control system. Note that because of proprietary considerations, this class does not provide details of algorithm design, algorithm performance, or algorithm application. The class will cover general OBD algorithm designs and the features required to promote sound OBD system design.

Learning Objectives

By attending this seminar, you will be able to:

• Articulate the underlying design objectives of on-board diagnostic systems
• Use the latest California Air Resources Board On-Board Diagnostic Regulation for Light and Medium Vehicles to find and apply OBD requirements
• Apply the design features that all diagnostics need for successful implementation
• Design diagnostics to comprehend variation
• Successfully implement algorithms to track in-use rates in accordance with the CARB OBD II Regulation
• Use SAE J1979 to implement generic scan tool support in diagnostic design
• Implement OBD design requirements in control system design

Who Should Attend

This course is ideal for engineers involved in the design or control of on-board diagnostic systems for light and medium duty on-road vehicles. Examples will be geared toward spark ignition engines and light and medium duty regulations. Engineers involved in engine and transmission hardware, or engineers new to the area of OBD system design will obtain a better understanding of the design of OBD systems.

Instructor: John Van Gilder

John Van Gilder is currently a Technical Fellow, OBD II Development, in the General Motors Powertrain Group where he is responsible for implementing statistical techniques in OBD design, model based on-board diagnostic design, development of OBD requirements for new powertrain systems, and in-use assessment of OBD systems. He has organized and presented at numerous SAE International OBD and Powertrain Controls technical meetings. Mr. Van Gilder has a B.S.E. in Engineering Physics from the University of Michigan, a M.S. E. in Nuclear Engineering from the Bettis Atomic Power Laboratory and a M.S.E. in Reliability Engineering from Kettering University and is a Professional Engineer in the state of Michigan.

Fundamentals of Automotive All-Wheel Drive Systems

20 June 2012  
I.D.# C0305

This seminar provides an introduction to the fundamental concepts and evolution of passenger car and light truck 4x4/all-wheel drive (AWD) systems including the nomenclature utilized to describe these systems. Basic power transfer unit and transfer case design parameters, component application to system function, the future of AWD systems, and emerging technologies that may enable future systems are covered. This course is an excellent follow-up to the “A Familiarization of Drivetrain Components” seminar (which is designed for those who have limited experience with the total drivetrain and offered 18 – 19 June 2012; see description on page 1).

Learning Objectives

By attending this seminar, you will be able to:

• Identify front wheel drive and rear wheel drive vehicle architectures
• Identify part time, full time, and on demand all-wheel drive systems
• Explain the benefits of all-wheel drive over two-wheel drive
• Quantify all-wheel drive traction and mobility benefits
• Describe auxiliary axle disconnect systems
• Explain basic vehicle dynamics performance and the effect of AWD on performance
• Identify couplers vs. biasing devices and their basic function
• Describe the differences between mechanical and electrical implementation in AWD systems
• Describe basic control strategies and logic
• Discuss advanced propulsion concepts and systems

Who Should Attend

This seminar is designed for engineers (working with passenger cars, light trucks, and SUVs) who need to master AWD componentry, and the function and effect of those components. Engineers new to the 4WD/AWD field, as well as managers, marketing personnel, purchasing professionals and others interested in all-wheel drive fundamentals will benefit from this seminar.

Instructor: Joseph Palazzolo

Joe Palazzolo is employed as Chief Engineer – Geared Products at GKN Driveline Torque Technology Group where he manages the mechanical design and development of new automotive gearboxes, torque transfer devices, concepts, and integration into production applications. He is an active SAE International member, chaired the SAE International All-Wheel Drive Standards Committee, received the SAE International Forest R. McFarland Award for distinction in professional development and education and also achieved the SAE Master Instructor designation. Mr. Palazzolo is the award winning author of High-Performance Differentials, Axles & Drivelines. He holds a Bachelor's degree in Mechanical Engineering from Cleveland State University and a Master’s degree in Automotive Engineering from Lawrence Technological University.

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Testimonials

“Although a complex topic, this seminar provided a one day overview of many of the latest devices in the automotive drivetrain arena that are currently in the market.”

Steven J. Wesolowski  
Director of Global Strategies  
Dana Corporation

“The course content exceeded my expectations and left me much more confident in my understanding of driveline systems.”

Mark Schulte  
Senior Sales Engineer  
Stoneridge, Inc
Advanced Vehicle Dynamics for Passenger Cars and Light Trucks
20 – 22 June 2012
I.D.# C0415

This interactive seminar will take you beyond the basics of passenger car and light truck vehicle dynamics by applying advanced theory, physical tests and CAE to the assessment of ride, braking, steering and handling performance. Governing state-space equations with transfer functions for primary ride and open loop handling will be developed & analyzed. Building on the analysis of the state space equations, common physical tests and their corresponding CAE solutions for steady state and transient vehicle events will be presented. The “state-of-the-art” of vehicle dynamics CAE will be discussed. Common lab and vehicle tests and corresponding metrics used to assess chassis system and vehicle performance will be discussed in detail. Hands-on workshops using CARSIM™, vehicle dynamics simulation software will help reinforce the material. Significant time will also be dedicated to the use of design of experiments (DOE) as a tool to assist in the analysis and optimization of chassis systems for multiple vehicle responses.

Learning Objectives
By attending this seminar, you will be able to:
• Apply vehicle dynamics theory to practical evaluation and measurement
• Use governing state space equations and transfer functions to determine the effect of key parameters on primary ride and open loop handling
• Describe the current “state-of-the-art” of vehicle dynamics CAE
• Articulate various types of vehicle dynamics models
• Recognize kinematics and compliance (K&C) lab tests commonly used to quantify chassis system performance
• Identify and evaluate important K&C metrics used in vehicle dynamics development
• Identify and utilize important vehicle tests commonly used in industry to evaluate ride, steering and handling performance
• Relate chassis system characteristics to vehicle dynamic performance
• Utilize vehicle dynamics CAE software for the simulation of common physical lab and vehicle tests
• Apply design-of-experiments (DOE) to vehicle dynamics development

Who Should Attend
This seminar is designed for automotive engineers in the vehicle dynamics, chassis, suspension, steering and braking fields who work in product design, development, testing, simulation or research.

Instructor: Timothy Drotar
See Mr. Drotar’s biography on page 2.

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Strategic Leadership
20 – 22 June 2012
I.D.# C0620

As a strategic leader, it is your responsibility to ensure that your organization is moving in the right direction. Executives and high-level managers must have the practical insight necessary to address competitive business challenges. Each segment of this three day course is designed to impart simple, but powerful lessons that will equip participants to more fully engage in strategic discussions, ask pertinent questions, facilitate critical decisions and shape high performing organizations. In addition, the course provides students with a personal leadership profile that illustrates their strengths and potential limitations. Participative exercises assist emerging executives with practical and effective methods of gaining organizational credibility and avoiding common errors in strategic leadership.

Learning Objectives
By attending this seminar, you will be able to:
• Describe the role and responsibilities of strategic leadership
• Manage the critical factors that drive the success and failure of business strategies
• Anticipate the longer term impact of strategic initiatives
• Attain credibility and support as you assume the helm of a new operation
• Avoid common errors made by leaders in transitioning to higher levels of responsibility
• Select the most effective approaches when framing strategic decisions
• Think strategically and systemically as you plan organizational change
• Influence the emergence of a more positive and functional corporate culture
• Eliminate turf battles, dropped balls and organizational duplication of effort
• Analyze and correct dysfunctional organizational dynamics
• Manage the strengths and limitations of your personal leadership style

Who Should Attend
This seminar is designed for executives, senior level managers, and engineering managers or technical specialists who are called upon to formulate or provide input into strategic decisions and business strategies.

Instructor: Joseph Doyle
See Dr. Doyle’s biography on page 1.

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Testimonials
“The ability to lead and make sound business decisions requires a complexity of knowledge and skills. This course is a very good road map in negotiating a difficult highway.”

Don Coker
President
Intelligent Products Systems

“This was an excellent seminar [for] preparing engineering professionals and technical specialists for future/current leadership roles within the organization.”

Steve Rodia
Technical Specialist - Project Leader
Honda Manufacturing of Alabama

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Gasoline Direct Injection (GDI) Engines
20 – 22 June 2012
I.D.# C1009

The quest for more efficient, smarter, and environmentally cleaner liquid-fueled spark ignition (SI) reciprocating engines is more alive and intense now than ever before. GDI SI engines have overcome many of the original limitations and are now becoming commonplace. This seminar will provide a comprehensive overview of GDI engines. Mixture preparation and the combustion process, with an emphasis on strategies for both homogenous and stratified charge operation and control, including issues related to the direct injection of gasoline into the combustion chamber, and fuel injection system requirements for optimal spray characteristics will be explored. Emission of pollutants, fuel economy and effects of some key design and operating parameters will also be covered. The seminar concludes with an overview of a select list of production and prototype GDI engines.

Learning Objectives
Upon completion of this seminar, you will be able to:
• Describe the rationale behind the GDI engine operation
• Analyze the important processes in GDI engines
• Explain liquid atomization, sprays, and injector requirements for successful GDI operation
• Utilize the technology and the logic behind gasoline direct injection
• Estimate and predict effects of key engine design and operating conditions on performance, combustion, and emission in GDI engines
• Communicate effectively with engineers on fuel injection, combustion and emission aspects of the GDI engine in your firm or with customers
• Effectively contribute to the design of critical components such as combustion chambers, injectors, and emission reduction strategies
• Explain and utilize trade-offs between increasing engine performance and maintaining low emission characteristics

Who Should Attend
This seminar is valuable for engineers, technical and project managers, researchers, and academicians. Engineers working on the design of components for high efficiency and performance of GDI engines and those directly and indirectly involved in mixture preparation and emission reduction from these engines will benefit from this course. Environmental engineers desiring to expand their understanding of fuel spray formation, combustion and emissions from GDI engines and engineers active in the development and application of software for the modeling and design of combustion chambers, fuel spray dynamics, and combustion and emission issues will benefit.

Instructor: Bruce Chehrudi
Dr. Chehrudi has over twenty years of technical and leadership experiences including Chief Engineer at Advanced Technology Consultants, Principal Scientist appointment at the Air Force Research Laboratory (AFRL), ERC, Chief Scientist at Raytheon STX, Visiting Technologist at Ford’s Advanced Manufacturing Technology Development (AMTD) center, tenured Professor of Mechanical Engineering at Kettering University and University of Illinois. Dr. Chehrudi has a PhD from Princeton University.

High-Performance Differentials, Axles, & Drivelines
21 – 22 June 2012
I.D.# C1113

This comprehensive seminar introduces participants to the function and interfaces of axles and their individual components. As we modify cars for street performance or all out race applications, it is important to know the trade-offs in the drivetrain system. The theory and practice of axle systems is introduced along with a hands-on style approach to repairing and modifying axes for high performance applications. For this hands-on approach, actual hardware will be reviewed in an informal setting. Upon completion of the seminar, attendees will have a working knowledge of axles, hypoid gearing, and differentials (open and limited slip), along with typical performance enthusiast modifications for race teams and weekend warriors. The book, High-Performance Differentials, Axles, and Drivelines, by Joseph Palazzolo is included in the course materials.

Learning Objectives
By attending this seminar, you will be able to:
• Identify vehicle specific axle types
• Evaluate the differences between open and limited slip differential (LSD)
• Distinguish between the different torque transfer characteristics of the different LSD technologies
• Identify how to correctly set and adjust bearing preload and hypoid contact patterns
• Describe how to assemble and disassemble a differential
• Explain the steps to set-up a new gear set and bearings
• Recognize the difference required between typical passenger car applications and high-performance, race style axles

Who Should Attend
This seminar is intended for automotive engineers and mechanics who are working in the driveline area. This also includes performance shop mechanics and race teams that are modifying axes for specific on and off-road applications. Any performance-minded amateur, professional racer, or race team would also benefit from attending this seminar.

Instructor: Joseph Palazzolo
See Mr. Palazzolo’s biography on page 1.

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Non-member | €1,150 | €1,250
Classic Member | €1,025 | €1,125
Premium Member | €963 | €1,063
Elite Member | €900 | €1,000
1.3 CEUs

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Testimonial
“It covers every possible attendee, from the one that wants only an overview to the one that needs the most deep detail of GDI engine. Worth the trip I made from Greece.”
Savvas Savvakis
PhD Researcher
Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

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Accelerated Test Methods for Ground and Aerospace Vehicle Development
1 – 2 October 2012
I.D. # C0316

This course covers the benefits, limitations, processes, and applications of several proven accelerated test methods including accelerated reliability, step stress, FSLT (Full System Life Test), FMVT (Failure Mode Verification Testing), HALT (Highly Accelerated Life Testing), and HASS (Highly Accelerated Stress Screening). A combination of hands-on exercises, team activities, discussion, and lecture are used throughout the course. Participants will also receive a copy of the instructor’s book, Accelerated Testing and Validation Management, which includes numerous hands-on exercises and a CD with analytical spreadsheets. Attendees are requested to bring a calculator to the seminar.

Learning Objectives
By attending this seminar, you will be able to:
- Choose the accelerated test method for a given application
- Analyze accelerated testing results
- Explain how to accelerate one’s current test methods
- Explain how to accelerate one’s validation program
- Adjust accelerated test programs for business situations
- Describe how product development cycles can be reduced from 18 to 6 months

Who Should Attend
This seminar is designed for anyone involved in product design, life testing, reliability testing and validation for passenger cars, light trucks, heavy duty, off-highway or aerospace vehicles, including reliability engineers, validation engineers, design engineers and their managers. Individuals who need to achieve shorter time to market or higher quality through custom test plans will find this course to be especially valuable. Purchasers or users of testing equipment are requested to bring a calculator to the seminar.

Instructor: Alexander J. Porter
Alexander J. Porter is the Chief Engineer for Programs, Performance, and Durability at Intertek. Mr. Porter has three patents relating to accelerated testing equipment and has authored over 40 articles and technical papers on accelerated testing. His work in the past has included implementation of FEA in a laboratory setting and development of a thermal management system for an advanced data acquisition package developed by NASA’s Dryden Flight Research Facility. Mr. Porter is a member of SAE International and IEEE. He holds a B.S. in aircraft engineering and an M.S. in mechanical engineering, both from Western Michigan University.

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Testimonial
“This course provided some unique vehicle development techniques aimed at reducing time and discovery of product weaknesses.”

Jakin Wilson
Engineer
Toyota Technical Center

Improving Fuel Efficiency with Engine Oils
1 – 2 October 2012
I.D. # C0914

This seminar will highlight the role of lubricants in improving fuel efficiency and provide strategies for selecting the best oil for a given application. A brief overview of the fuel consumption regulations and global perspective of passenger car lubricants and diesel oil specifications in North America, Europe and Asia and limitations and advantages of various methods to measure fuel consumption in a variety of bench tests, dyno tests and actual vehicles will be presented. Fundamentals of fluid lubrication regimes, detailed aspects of oil formulations which have significant effects on reduction in mechanical friction will be covered, and the performance characteristics of fresh oil versus used oil and lubrication of coated surfaces will be discussed. Finally, the impact of various emission control devices on overall diesel fuel consumption will be described.

Learning Objectives
By attending this seminar, you will be able to:
- Describe the effects of mechanical friction on engine efficiency
- Summarize the pros and cons of various test methodologies used to measure engine friction
- Articulate the limitations in various fuel consumption test methodologies
- Select oils based on frictional control performance
- Describe the role of oil degradation on fuel economy and engine wear
- Evaluate lubricant interactions with low friction surfaces

Who Should Attend
This seminar is designed for engineers, scientists, investigators and consultants involved in designing or optimizing mobile or stationary powertrains. Individuals interested in understanding the role of engine oils in reducing fuel consumption will find the seminar beneficial. Automotive decision makers will also benefit by gaining an understanding of the limitations of fuel economy testing methods.

Instructor: Ewa A. Bardasz
Dr. Ewa A. Bardasz is a Fellow at The Lubrizol Corporation where she is currently responsible for overseeing technical activities related to lubricating novel combustion hardware, aftertreatment systems and emissions. She is experienced in the areas of crankcase lubrication, corrosion inhibition, engine testing, and exhaust emissions control. Dr. Bardasz holds over 25 patents, has published multiple technical and scientific papers, authored chapters for technical books and is a frequent invited speaker at conferences throughout the U.S. and Europe. She is the recipient of the SAE International Award for Research on Automotive Lubricants, and the Environmental Excellence in Transportation Award. Dr. Bardasz is a Fellow of SAE International and a Fellow of the Society of Tribologists and Lubrication Engineers (STLE) where she is also on the Board of Directors. Dr. Bardasz obtained a M.Sc. in Chemical Engineering from Warsaw Technical University and a PhD in Chemical Engineering from Case Institute of Technology.

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Testimonial
“Tribologists made a major improvement in fuel economy by controlling engine friction.”

Jakin Wilson
Engineer
Toyota Technical Center

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Weibull-Log Normal Analysis Workshop
1 – 3 October 2012
I.D.# 86034

RMS (Reliability-Maintainability-Safety-Supportability) engineering is emerging as the newest discipline in product development due to new credible, accurate, quantitative methods. Weibull Analysis is foremost among these new tools. New and advanced Weibull techniques are a significant improvement over the original Weibull approach. This workshop presents special methods developed for these data problems, such as Weibayes, with actual case studies in addition to the latest techniques in SuperSMITH®; Weibull for risk forecasts with renewal and optimal component replacement. Class work is used to reinforce key concepts, lectures are based on actual case studies, and personal computers and hands-on experiments are used to analyze dozens of Weibull & Log Normal problems. Students will be fully capable of performing basic and advanced RMS Engineering analysis with their own software on completion of the workshop. Attendees will receive the entire SuperSMITH® package - a complete self-study course and combined software package containing: SuperSMITH®; Weibull, SuperSMITH®; Visual, The New Weibull Handbook® - 5th Edition and the PlayTIME™ Tutorial Booklet. A £960 value!

Optional Weibull Introduction
To accelerate your learning in this Workshop, you may want to complete the SAE online, short-course, Introduction to Weibull Engineering Fast Track. This highly recommended overview of Weibull engineering can improve your retention prior to taking the workshop or provide a great review afterwards.

Learning Objectives
By attending this seminar, you will be able to:
• Analyze design, development, production, and service failures
• Model product lifetime and reliability
• Evaluate calibration and maintainability plans
• Analyze inspection data
• Reduce test substantiation, time and costs

Who Should Attend
Engineers responsible for reliability, safety, supportability, maintainability, materials, warranties, life cycle cost, design, structures, instrumentation and logistics will find these Weibull techniques extremely useful.

Instructor: Wes Fulton
Mr. Wes Fulton is the Founder and CEO of Fulton Findings. Mr. Fulton has over 20 years of experience as a private programmer and developed SuperSMITH®; Visual, WeibullSMITH®, LogNormSMITH®, Normal+SMITH®, Visual*SMITH®, BiWeibullSMITH® and MonteCarloSMITH® analysis software. He received his B.S.M.E. from Georgia Tech and his M.S.M.E. from California State University at Long Beach.

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Elite Member | £1,488 | £1,588
2.0 CEUs | |

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Testimonials
“Very excellent course! Great instructor with exceptional knowledge on subject.”
Gregory J. Barron
Test Coordinator
DaimlerChrysler Corporation

“Highly recommended for reliability and quality engineers. Techniques learned are invaluable.”
Ken Marx
Senior Quality Engineer
Robert Bosch Corporation
ARP4754A and the Guidelines for Development of Civil Aircraft and Systems

3 – 4 October 2012
I.D.# C1118

This two day seminar will provide attendees with an in-depth presentation of the guidelines introduced in the revised recommended practice for aircraft and systems development as well as the critical concepts used in aircraft and systems development processes for certification. The aircraft/systems development process and its interactions with the safety, hardware development and software development processes will be discussed along with the incorporated changes, with special emphasis on new material and development concepts. Additionally, the relationship and key interactions between the aircraft/system guidance material established in ARP4754A and development concepts. Additionally, the relationship and key interactions with the incorporated changes, with special emphasis on new material and systems development process and its interactions with the safety, hardware development and software development.

By attending this seminar, you will be able to:
• Identify the differences between the legacy ARP4754 and ARP4754A,
• Explain the aircraft/systems development process and its interactions with the safety assessment process,
• Identify the key aircraft/systems development processes and their interrelationships,
• Discover and be able to apply new guidelines on Functional and Item Development Assurance Levels (FDAL & IDAL)
• Apply the new guideline material within your own company context.

Who Should Attend
This seminar is designed for engineers and other key personnel working in the design, development, and safety assessments of aircraft and aircraft systems.

Instructor: Eric M. Peterson
Eric Peterson is currently Vice-President of Systems and Safety for Electron International, Inc. He has over 35 years of experience in aerospace management, system design and analysis, development of hardware and software, and safety assessments for commercial and military flight critical avionic and fly-by-wire systems. Mr. Peterson serves as vice-chairman of the SAE S-18 Aircraft & Systems Development and Safety Assessment committee and has provided key contributions to ARP4754A, ARP 4761, and ARP 5150. He is the recipient of the SAE International Forest R McFarland Award and is also a recipient of the SAE International Outstanding Contribution Award for his work in the development of Technical Standards. Mr. Peterson received his B.S. in Electrical Engineering from Montana State University.

Advanced Diesel Particulate Filtration Systems
8 – 9 October 2012
I.D.# C0502

This seminar covers many diesel particulate filters (DPF) related topics using fundamentals from various branches of applied sciences such as porous media, filtration and materials sciences and will provide the student with both a theoretical as well as an applications-oriented approach to enhance the design and reliability of aftertreatment platforms. Structure, geometry, composition, performance, applications and optimizations of DPFs are some of the main topics covered in this advanced level seminar. Computer simulation techniques for analysis and optimization of DPF performance are also demonstrated.

Learning Objectives
By attending this seminar, you will be able to:
• Discuss fundamental, moderate and advanced topics on DPF structure, geometry, composition, performance, applications and optimizations
• Formulate porosity, permeability, inertial loss coefficient, flow resistance descriptors, different particulate transport modes (diffusional, interceptive), etc. to develop models for predicting backpressure of DPF
• Recognize different modes of particulate filtration regimes in DPF
• Select, design, utilize and optimize DPF for various light duty and heavy duty aftertreatment applications
• Predict, via modeling and simulations, various important DPF performance features (backpressure, peak regeneration temperature, etc.) as well as to analyze their failure modes and thus enhance the reliability of diesel exhaust aftertreatment platform designs

Who Should Attend
This seminar is designed for engineers, scientists, investigators and consultants involved in researching, developing, applications, designing or optimizing diesel exhaust aftertreatment components and systems. Individuals from technical and regulatory institutions, OEMs, suppliers, emissions service companies, research facilities and universities will gain knowledge of diesel filter performance.

Instructor: Athanasios G. Konstandopoulos
Dr. Athanasios G. Konstandopoulos, recipient of the 2006 Descartes Laureate, is the founder and head of the Aerosol and Particle Technology Laboratory (APTL). Dr. Konstandopoulos, an SAE International® Fellow, has authored more than 70 scientific and technical papers and is a frequent invited speaker at conferences throughout the U.S. and Europe. His educational accomplishments include a Diploma in Mechanical Engineering from Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, an M.S. in Mechanical Engineering from Michigan Technological University and an M.S., MPhil and a Ph.D. in Chemical Engineering from Yale University.

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Testimonial
"Excellent coverage of an emerging technology by a real expert in the area."  
Henry Gysling  
Technology Director  
Air Flow Catalyst Systems
Tolerance Stack-Up Analysis
8 – 9 October 2012
I.D.# C0022

This course is designed to assist product design personnel in the creation of tolerance stacks for parts and assemblies that use Geometric Dimensioning & Tolerancing. Those who will benefit most are designers and engineers who are responsible for creating the GD&T callouts for engineering drawings and product models, and who want to be more confident in how the assigned geometric tolerances interact and stack up. The course begins with a quick review of Y14.5 concepts, and then introduces the benefits and uses of a tolerance stack spreadsheet. Participants then learn detailed procedures for performing tolerance stacks on parts and assemblies. The simple, manual spreadsheet method used throughout the course produces a straightforward documentation trail that is easily interpreted, and readily adaptable to any company’s electronic spreadsheet program. Students receive extensive practice at creating stacks. Each attendee will receive a copy of the Tolerance Stack Analysis Using GD&T textbook and an Excel template for generating stacks.

Learning Objectives
By attending this seminar, you will be able to:
• Correctly calculate and apply bonus, shift, virtual condition, and resultant condition
• Perform and develop a tolerance stack-up analysis
• Correctly enter geometric feature control frame data into a tolerance stack

Who Should Attend
This course is intended for designers and engineers who are currently generally familiar with the principles, concepts and practices contained within Y14.5, and who are looking for a comprehensive step-by-step process for getting GD&T into a tolerance stack.

Instructor: John-Paul Belanger
John-Paul Belanger is president of Geometric Learning Systems, a consulting firm specializing in geometric dimensioning and tolerancing (GD&T). For over ten years, he has trained people throughout North America and Europe in the proper interpretation and application of GD&T per the Y14.5 standard by using practical examples. Mr. Belanger is certified by the American Society of Mechanical Engineers as a Senior GD&T Professional, and has worked with a wide range of companies in the automotive, aerospace, electronics, and other industries to apply tolerances and perform stack calculations. He holds a B.S. in aerospace engineering from the University of Michigan specializing in aircraft design and safety.

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Testimonial
“Excellent course. Definitely enhanced my ability to perform tolerance stack-ups.”
Randy Zonca
Senior Designer
Bosch

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Diesel Engine Technology Engineering Academy
22 – 26 October 2012
Politecnico Campus at Lingotto
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SAE Engineering Academies provide a comprehensive and immersive training experience, helping you become proficient and productive in a shorter period of time – whether you are a new engineer or newly assigned to Diesel Engine.

This Diesel Engine Technology Engineering Academy covers the engineering principles and practices necessary to effectively understand a modern diesel engine. Types of engines addressed include naturally aspirated, turbocharged, pre-chamber, open chamber, light duty, and heavy duty. It is an intensive learning experience comprised of lecture and structured practical sessions, including a team-solved case study problem. Attendees will receive a copy of the textbook, *Diesel Emissions and Their Control*, by lead instructor Magdi K. Khair and W. Addy Majewski.

Who should attend
Application engineers, design engineers, project managers or other professionals who work with, or are transitioning to, diesel engine design or development should not miss this training opportunity from nationally and internationally recognized experts in the technology.

Learning Objectives
By attending this Academy, you will be able to:
• Articulate basic diesel engine terminology and principles
• Describe the key features of the basic types of diesel engines
• Compare various diesel fuel injection systems and their components
• Analyze the effects of different fuels on engine performance and longevity
• Compare the function and applicability of various air management systems
• List the various emission standards and testing requirements
• Detail the elements of post-combustion emission control devices
• Discuss emerging diesel engine technologies

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