# Welcome



PWROG Systems & Equipment Engineering Committee



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Welcome to the PWROG Systems & Equipment Engineering Committee (SEE)! The PWR Owners Group (PWROG) consists of 1,800 members representing utilities that own a combined 180 Pressurized Water Reactor-designed nuclear power plants all over the world.

You are joining a friendly group of utility representatives where you'll help drive resolution to generic industry issues.

You will find that the PWROG members are very welcoming to new members. We really want to help you be comfortable and successful in your new role.

Please contact me or Jay Boardman sometime early in your new role for a high-level briefing of current activities and an overview of your responsibilities if you feel it would be beneficial.

Thanks, Jeff

#### Jeff Hudson, American Electric Power

Chairman of the PWR Owner's Group SEE Committee

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## **Website Access**

## There are four steps to gain access:

- Complete the Website Profile-SharePoint Request form by <u>clicking</u> <u>here</u>.
- Respond to the email from Carolyn Mahnick requesting you create your PWROG profile.
- Respond to the email from "WEC HR SSC" (Subject: PHX Connect – Account Details) to submit information online to Phoenix Connect for Export Control compliance.
- Follow further instructions provided in the Microsoft invite from invites@microsoft.com.

#### **Problems?**

If having general problems, open a ticket <u>here</u>. If you are having website access issues, email Carolyn Mahnick.

### **PWROG Website**

#### www.pwrog.com

What you will find on the website:

- Project Authorizations
- Products / Deliverables
- Meeting materials and meeting archives
- **PWROG Administrative Documents**
- PWROG Training (click link)



# About the PWROG & SEE Committee

# **PWROG Benefits**

The PWROG provides a common solutions with costs shared globally among members with a minimum return on investment of 30:1. The PWROG supports member activities through superior regulatory interface and can respond rapidly to plant critical needs.

The PWROG is an international organization, which provides a global perspective to all solutions and collaborates with other industry organizations to leverage a wide variety of expertise.

# Mission of the Committee

The Mission of the SEE Committee to provide a forum for the identification, review, and cost-effective resolution of issues involving the design, operation, testing, and maintenance of systems, structures, and components of member plants.

In addition to the broad objectives above, the functions of the SEE will include:

- · Decreasing the incidence of unplanned outages
- Addressing NSSS and BOP Component Reliability issues
- Addressing Surveillance and Maintenance Contributions to unavailability
- Facilitating Information Exchange on Equipment Related Issues
- System/Component Performance Improvements
- · Outage Startup and Shutdown Improvements
- Interfacing with and providing support to other Committees and working groups as required

# **Member Roles & Responsibilities**

- Familiarize yourself with all meeting topics and issues and come prepared to participate in discussions
- Establish technical work to be performed
- Review Project Authorizations (PAs) and provide an approval or endorsement vote on projects
- Obtain input from Executive and/or Management Representatives on voting direction for PAs
- Monitor the technical performance of projects and approve schedule or scope changes
- Share best practices and lessons learned
- Keep your Management representative informed of activities

# Organization Structure of the PWROG



**PWROG Org Chart** 

**Program Management Office** 

# **Computer Based Training**

Visit <a href="PWROG Training">PWROG Training</a> to begin computer-based training assignments.

If you are still having issues, please contact Carolyn Mahnick, mahnicc@westinghouse.com.

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# Frequently Asked Getting Started Questions

I have a generic issue at my plant or an idea for a PWROG project. How do I engage the PWROG to potentially address my issue or idea?

A. There are multiple ways to get your issue or idea heard! The easiest way is to discuss your issue or idea at the next committee or working group meeting or contact your Chairman or Program Director.

#### When are the meetings?

A. The <u>meeting schedules</u> are available on the home page of the PWROG website.

#### How do I learn more about how things work?

A. Attending the meetings and participating on issue specific Core Teams is the best way to learn more about the PWROG. The website also contains <u>computer based training</u>, and governing documents such as the <u>PWROG Charter and Operations Manual</u>.

#### How do I Find Specific Information on the Website?

**A.** All Committees and Working Groups have <u>pages</u> which can be accessed by the Committee Information drop down on the home page header. Here you'll find meeting materials, letters issued to the committee or working group and project information.

#### Do you still need help?

A. Open a ticket or contact your Committee or Working Group Program Director or Chairman.



