

San Francisco Chapter Meeting Notice: Tuesday – November 16, 2010

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Subject: Grounding Considerations for Distributed Generation Interconnection to Electric Power System

Whether installed by a utility to provide capacity or by an end user for reliability peak-shaving, more generators are being installed and operated in parallel with the standard utility system. Choosing the proper ground fault protection for distributed generators can be challenging, especially when it must be coordinated with other sources. This presentation will discuss various generator grounding possibilities at both LV and MV for unit connected and parallel operated generators, and consider relevant issues such as residual current devices, transfer switches and overall power quality

Speaker: Stuart Gibbon Director, Business Development, Post Glover

A Graduate of McGill University, with a degree in Electrical Energy, Mr. Gibbon began his career as a Project Engineer in broadcast communications systems. Mr. Gibbon worked with ABB in North America and Europe in MV Power Compensation Systems. Most recently, he has enjoyed the past ten years working in the application of power resistors, including his present position with responsibility for product advancement. Mr. Gibbon is active in IEEE PCIC and ESW.

Please join us in welcoming our speaker to San Francisco for what is sure to be an interesting and productive session.



Date:	Tuesday November 16, 2010
Time:	5:30 pm (Attitude Adjustment) 6:00 pm (Meeting) 7:00 pm (Dinner)
Location:	Sinbad's Restaurant Pier 2 The Embarcadero San Francisco, CA 94111 415.781.2555 (short walk from Embarcadero BART)
Cost:	\$30 (At the door). Email pre-registration qualifies the registrant for our drawing of an IEEE Color Book at dinner. Please email fsylvester@sewater.org for reservations and to qualify for the drawing.
Student Members:	\$10 (at the door) discounted cost for first 5 reserved IEEE Student Members.
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