



# FEBRUARY MEETING

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Our next SME St Louis Section meeting will be **Thursday February 1st** in St Louis. Meeting topic will be:

### **Loss Control Evaluation of Casualty Insurance Risks and Exposures in the Mining Industry**

Presentation will be by John T. Howard, RG, CPG-  
Casualty Risk Consulting – Sr. Risk Consultant– Mining and Agriculture  
Risk Consulting- **American International Group, Inc. (AIG)**

### **John Howard, RG, CPG Bio**

Sr. Risk Consultant for AIG Casualty Risk Consultants for the past 16 years. John serves as Global Subject Matter Expert for casualty insurance risks associated with the mining and agricultural industry sectors.

Support to AIG Casualty Underwriters worldwide for mining and agricultural risks, including loss control assessments, training and education, and account and claims review to assess risks associated with the operations for environmental, general liability, workers compensation, commercial auto/fleet operations, and excess/umbrella liability risks to insurance policies.

Prior to AIG – Environmental consultant for 15 years conducting site assessments, remedial pilot testing, design and installation/construction of in-situ soil and groundwater remediation systems, regulatory negotiations, and Phase I ESA audits.

Graduate of Southeast MO State University – B.S. Geology (84) and Masters of Natural Science in Geosciences (96).

Former Staff Geologist for Southern Clay/Golden Cat Industries, industrial minerals operations in Southeast MO, Southern IL, and NW Tennessee.

Member of the American Institute of Professional Geologist

Member of Society of Mining Engineers

Registered Geologist in MO. Professional Geologist in IL.



**When:**    Thursday, February 1st    Social: 6 PM, Dinner: 6:30 PM

**Where:**    Andre's Banquet and Catering South. 4254 Telegraph Road    St.Louis  
MO 63129    314 894 2622

**RSVP:**    By Tuesday January 30th

**By email to:**    [bob.johnston@earthlink.net](mailto:bob.johnston@earthlink.net)    or [sme.stl.section@gmail.com](mailto:sme.stl.section@gmail.com)

**By phone:**        **Bob Johnston 314-570-0226**

**Menu:**    Buffet to include two entrée choices with Hot Vegetable, Salad, Rolls, and  
Open Bar!

**Cost:**        **\$35, \$10 for students    Cash, debit or credit card accepted.**

**You need not be a member of National SME. Bring a friend!**  
**\*\*Need Professional Development Hours? Each meeting is 1 hour**

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