



National Shipbuilding Research Program Technical Panel SP-3 Meeting Surface Preparation & Coatings Norfolk, VA June 14-15, 2006

MEETING OVERVIEW

The National Shipbuilding Research Program (NSRP) Technical Panel SP-3 on Surface Preparation and Coatings will conduct its summer meeting on Wednesday June 14 and Thursday June 15, 2006 in conjunction with the Mega-Rust Corrosion Conference in Norfolk, VA. See attached flyer. A special room will be provided at the Marriot for the Panel meeting. Presentations at the summer meeting will include updates on panel projects and updates on coating research activities. Wednesday there will be a 5 hour workshop on "Partnering For Success" to discuss the ways that shipyard Paint Shops can have successful relationships with sub-contractors for blasting, painting, coating inspection, paint and other material suppliers, and equipment suppliers. Interested parties, including sub-contractors, should contact the Panel Chair to determine how they can have input to this special event. The SP-3 Panel Steering Committee will meet on Thursday morning to plan future activities.

ACCOMMODATIONS

A block of rooms is available at the Norfolk Waterside Marriott for the Mega-Rust Conference. Rooms are available from June 10, 2006 to June 16, 2006 at the government rate of \$124.00 per night (government ID is required at check-in). Please be sure to make your reservations by May 11, 2006 in order to secure the special group rate. To make your reservations by phone, please call 1-800-228-9290 and ask for the special rate for MEGA RUST 2006 (group code MEGMEGA or government code MRGMRGA) at the Norfolk Waterside Marriott. You can also reserve a room on-line.

FOOD

Coffee and pastry will be served during the two morning sessions and light refreshments on Wednesday afternoon during the workshop.

PRESENTATIONS

Attendees are invited to offer technical presentations for the meeting. Presentations given at SP-3 Panel meetings must be educational and informative, can be on any subject relevant to surface preparation and coating of ships, but must not be promotional. Call or e-mail the Panel Chair with any offers, questions on or suggestions for presentations. There is no endorsement, either direct or implied, by the NSRP or the SP-3 Panel of any products or services discussed during the presentations.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Agenda / Technical information: Mark Panosky, SP-3 Panel Chair, phone: 860-433-8337, fax: 860-433-1190, e-mail: mpanosky@ebmail.gdeb.com.

AGENDA

Registration for the meeting will start at 7:30 a.m. on Wednesday. Meetings will begin at 8:00 Wednesday and Thursday and will conclude at approximately 4 p.m. on Wednesday and 10 a.m. on Thursday. Business casual attire will be appropriate. A detailed agenda for the meeting will be posted on the panel web page located at [nsrp.org](http://www.nsrp.org) at a later date. There is no registration fee for this specific meeting because attendees will have paid for registration at the Mega-Rust conference.

RSVP

Pre-registration is not required, but for planning purposes it is requested that you submit your intent to attend by completing the registration form located at http://www.nsrp.org/forms/panel_registration.html.



Marine Coatings & Corrosion Conference

Prices

Full Conference
\$450 Early Bird \$550 Regular



One Day Registration
\$150 Early Bird \$175 Regular

Military "Active Duty"
\$175 Early Bird \$175 Regular

Exhibit Only
\$225 Early Bird \$250 Regular

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- Commander Fleet Forces Command's Fleet Corrosion Control Forum
- National Shipbuilding's Research Program SP-3 Meeting
- Submarine Preservation Conference
- Navy Shipyard & Intermediate Maintenance Facility's Coatings Group
- U.S. Coast Guard's Coatings & Corrosion Control Tiger Team Meeting

Conference Overview

This conference brings together many segments of the marine industry, government, military, operators, shipyards, offshore, coatings manufacturers and suppliers to discuss issues pertinent to this industry. Attendees are provided an opportunity to discuss their needs and problems particularly in the areas of coatings, corrosion control, government regulations and attend a variety of technical sessions/presentations, classes and exhibits.

Classes Offered

- NACE & NAVSEA Shipboard Corrosion Assessment
- NACE Basic Corrosion Course
- SSPC NAVSEA Paint Inspectors Course
- ITSA Introduction to Thermal Spray & Corrosion Control
- Advisory Board's Advanced Techniques in Surface Preparation

