Electrical Technologies Panel

Spring Panel Meeting April 3-4, 2024

Philadelphia, PA



Agenda

Wednesday, April 3, 2024

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3:45	Day 1 Wrap-Up	Walt Skalniak, Panel Vice-Chair	
4:00	Adjourn		

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Thursday, April 4, 2024

Time*	Presentation	Speaker	
8:00 am	Load Bus for Tour (Location: Embassy Suites Philadelphia Airport)		
8:30	Arrive at Philadelphia Navy Yard Visitor Check-In/Badging		
9:00	Tour of NSWC Philadelphia DDG Test and Evaluation Facility Electric Plant Controls, Modeling & Simulation Lab Electric Power R&D Lab *Must be pre-registered to attend	Joe Amato, NSWC PD Head, Power Systems Division C44 Jesse Rougeux, NSWC PD Head, Electric Power R&D Branch C322	
11:30	Load Bus – Depart Philadelphia Navy Yard		
12:00	Lunch		
1:00	Lighting on Naval Ships DOD-HDBK-289 Modernization Support Effort	Chris Nemarich, NAVSEA 05Z33 Gio Tomasi, RSL Fiber Systems	
1:45	Shipboard Lighting Systems and Areas of Interest	Ben Hatch, NSWC PD	
2:15	Break		
2:30	FY'24 Panel Project Solicitation Topic Discussion	All	
3:00	For the Good of the Panel/Open Discussion	All	
3:45	Action Items & Wrap-Up	Walt Skalniak, Panel Vice- Chair	
4:00	Adjourn		

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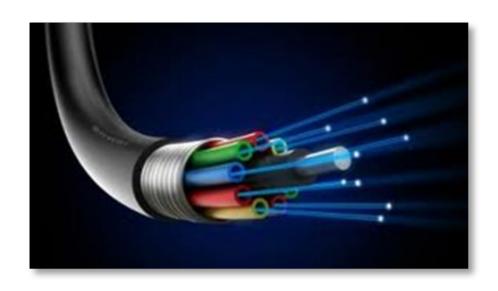
Purpose

- Evaluate & transition improved electrical system technologies, installation processes, and electrical system specifications.
- Facilitate collaboration with the Navy and industry to identify & implement electrical technologies, processes, and best practices.

Goal

 The goal of the Electrical Technologies Panel is to improve shipboard electrical systems and installation processes to achieve reduced cost, improved performance, and improved safety. **Focus Areas**: The panel's focus is to identify and implement technologies and processes that improve:

- Total Ownership Cost
- Energy Efficiency
- Electrical System Performance
- Safety of Workforce and Ship's Crew



Electrical Technologies Panel Overview

• Typically hold 3 meetings/year

- - Collaboration with other Panels
 - Technology Area Meetings focus
 - Facility Tours where available
- Areas of Interest
 - Electrical Installation & Testing
 - Fiber Optics
 - Solid State Lighting
 - Switchgear Inspection
 - High Temperature Insulated Bus Pipe
- 2023 Panel Meeting Recap
 - Spring Meeting NSRP All Panel
 - March 28-30, 2023
 - Charleston, SC
 - Summer Meeting
 - July 18-20, 2023
 - General Atomics (San Diego, CA)
 - Tours: GA EMS and GD–NASSCO
 - Winter Meeting
 - December 15, 2023
 - Virtual Format





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Panel Activities

- Panel Projects: ETP Projects address many areas of shipboard electrical systems
 - Electrical Connections & Testing Methods
 - Cableways and Cable Installation
 - Fiber Optic Networks
 - Lighting Systems
- Industry Events: Panel members participate in industry events in support of Technology Transfer
 - MFPT Annual Meeting
 - NAVSEA Working Groups
 - NSRP Day at NAVSEA
 - NSRP Panel Meetings
 - ShipTech

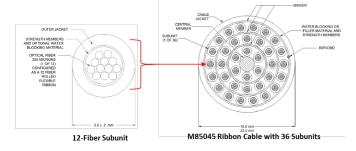
Panel Projects

- Active Panel Projects
 - DTS Integration Into Ship Electrical Plant Monitoring & Controls
 - Shipboard Fiber Optic Cables Design Enhancements

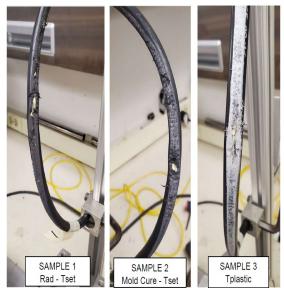
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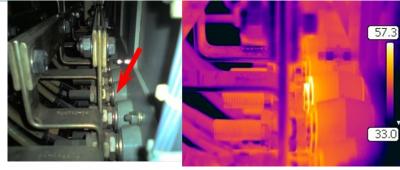
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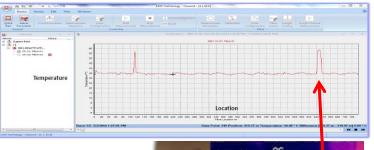
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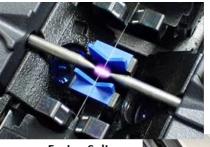






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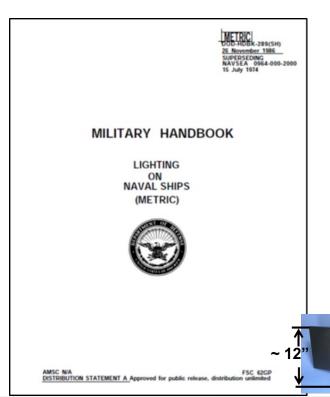
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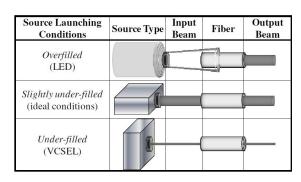
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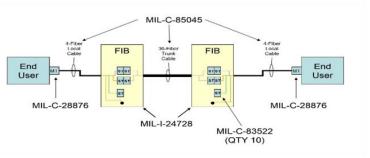
- FY'24 New Starts
 - Fiber Optic Testing Enhancement for Cost Reduction
 - DOD-HDBK-289 Modernization Support















Upcoming NSRP R&D Project Solicitations

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- Panel Projects
 - Program funding ceiling will be increased from \$150K to \$200K
 - ECB member shipyard participation requirement will be updated to "Participation by at least one U.S. shipyard is required"

Important Dates

RA25 <u>Estimated</u> Timeline	
Late March/Early April 2024 – Solicitation Released	
Mid-July 2024 - Summary Proposals Due	
Late July/Early August 2024 – Technical Evaluation	
September 2024 – Virtual Presentations and ECB Selection	

FY25 Panel Project <u>Estimated</u> Timeline		
May 2024 – Solicitation Released		
Late August 2024 – White Papers Due		
Late September 2024 – Panel Voting and Down-Select		
November 2024 – Panel Officer Presentations and ECB Selection		

The RA and Panel Project solicitations will be announced on <u>SAM.gov</u> and posted on <u>NSRP.org</u> upon release.

Upcoming Events

- MFPT
 - May 8-9, 2024
 - Virginia Beach, VA
- FY25 Panel Projects (*Pre-Solicitation*)
 - ETP Virtual Meeting to discuss topics
 - Formal presentations during Summer Panel Meeting
- Summer Panel Meeting (Initial Planning)
 - Late July/ August timeframe
 - Groton, CT

NSRP National Shipbuilding Research Program

Announcement for Upcoming NSRP R&D Project Solicitations

The mission of NSRP is to employ a unique framework to research, develop, mature, and implement industry-relevant shipbuilding and sustainment technologies and processes, improving efficiency ocross the U.S. shipyard industrial base and meeting future demand.

The NSRP Executive Control Board (EGB) plans to issue both Research Announcement (RA) and Panel Project Solicitations for proposals that address the Program's mission. NSRP's research objectives and initiatives are documented in the <u>Strategic Investment Plan</u> and topics are identified in the <u>Technology Investment Plan</u>.

New Developments

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Panel Meetings

NSRP panel meetings serve an important role within the Program by providing a public forum for potential collaboration project teaming, and transferring R&D technology across the industry. Participation in one of the nine Panels is highly encouraged and a great way to get involved with the Program. Multiple meetings around the country (and virtually) are already scheduled with more to follow. Meetings are always free and open to the public. Visit the <u>NSRP Event Calendar</u> for the latest information and registration.

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