



**NORTH CAROLINA ELECTRICAL INSTITUTE
90TH ANNUAL MEETING**

**APRIL 9 - 10, 2019
HILTON NORTH RALEIGH
RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA**

Please accept this invitation to attend our 90th Annual Meeting to be held in Raleigh, NC on April 9-10, 2019 at the Hilton North Raleigh. Last year over 700 contractors, inspectors, engineers, suppliers, distributors, manufacturers, testing agencies and industry representatives attended the Institute's 89th Annual Meeting. The Institute is an educational program made possible by the NC Ellis Cannady Chapter of the IAEI, the State Board of Examiners of Electrical Contractors, and the NC Department of Insurance, Office of State Fire Marshal.

This year the Institute will feature an Electrical Code Workshop that consists of a panel of nationally recognized Code experts responding to questions submitted from interested parties throughout the State. See below for the list of confirmed panelists. The panel will be moderated by Joseph Starling and assistants, all of which are State Electrical Inspectors. The objectives of the Electrical Institute are to establish consistent application of electrical construction standards and practices to promote uniformity and public safety.

Questions Please – Anyone interested in submitting questions illustrating specific areas of interest or interpretation to the Institute for discussion should do so by March 22, 2019 to Joseph Starling via email at his contact information listed below. Participants who support the Institute program by submitting questions will be eligible for a drawing for a very nice gift.

Need Questions in Advance? – Individuals who have pre-registered to attend the Institute meeting may receive a list of questions prior to the meeting by contacting the Board of Examiners' Office at 919-733-9042 ext. 205. Registration packets will be distributed at the registration desk.

Social and Banquet – Registration fees include a social/mixer which will be held on Tuesday, April 9, 2019 from 6:30-7:00 pm. Light snacks and beverages will be served. We encourage all participants to utilize this opportunity to exchange ideas and make new acquaintances. The Institute Banquet – dinner and light entertainment will follow this social/mixer. Participants interested in attending the banquet must register for this function on the enclosed registration form.

Donations Appreciated – Parties wishing to donate door prizes to be given away at the banquet or Institute meeting in return for recognition may do so by contacting Epsie Stevens or Mitch Bryant.

Room Reservations – The Hilton North Raleigh is holding rooms until March 8, 2019. Rooms are limited and will be filled on a first come basis. When requesting your room, it is important to indicate that your reservation is for the NC Electrical Institute to assure convention rates. The hotel has advised that either a credit card number or cash deposit will be required to guarantee your room reservation. The enclosed information is furnished to assist you in making your reservations.

Registration and Continuing Education – Reminder – Register Online – Be on Time. Go to www.ncbeec.org/institute and begin your registration for the 2019 Electrical Institute. After you complete the registration form, pay with a credit card and submit directly to the Electrical Institute.

To assist us with planning and preparation, we request that you pre-register and purchase your banquet tickets in advance. Registration desk will be open on Monday, April 8 from 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm and Tuesday, April 9 at 8:00 am. The Institute program is from 8:25 am till 4:30 pm on Tuesday; then from 7:55 am till 1:00 pm on Wednesday. This 2-day meeting is not formatted as a continuing education program; however, approval has been granted by the NC Board of Examiners of Electrical Contractor and the NC Code Officials Qualification Board for participants to receive 8 contact hours of continuing education credit. Individuals desiring to receive continuing education credit must complete the appropriate section of the pre-registration form and the form must be received by the March 22, 2019 deadline. Registration “at the door” will also be accepted for continuing education but it will be a higher cost. Registration for general attendance will be permitted on site.

PLEASE REGISTER ONLINE – It is very simple to do, saves time and a stamp but if you need to mail the registration, please send to:

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Panel Questions

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Confirmed Panelists

Al Parris — NCBEEC (Licensing Board)
Bryan Holland — National Electrical Manufacturers Association (NEMA)
Chad Kennedy — Schneider / Square D
Don Hursey — Respected NC Educator
Jeff Fecteau — Underwriters Laboratories (UL)
Jeff Sargent — National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)
Keith Lofland — International Association of Electrical Inspectors (IAEI)
Mike Holt — Respected National Educator
Thomas Domitrovich — Eaton Corporation