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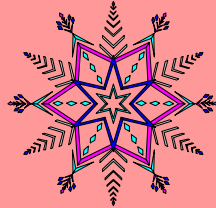
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333 Madison Avenue
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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2007

5:30 PM COCKTAILS

6:00 PM DINNER

8:00 PM SHOW

DINNER CHOICES:

1. Chicken Apple Pecan

Chicken Breast dusted with a pecan-seasoned flour and sautéed with apple brandy, pecans, garlic, shallots, scallions, apples, honey, and light cream. Served on a bed of angel hair pasta

2. Tenderloin of Beef

A hearty filet chargrilled to medium and served with roasted shallot, roasted roman tomato, grilled mushroom cap and herbed redskin potatoes

3. Grilled Salmon

Grilled Norwegian Salmon filet topped with Capered Champagne Sauce served with garlic Mashed Potatoes

4. Vegetarian Plate

Tickets are \$80.00 each

(INCLUDES: DINNER & SHOW)

(PARKING IS AVAILABLE IN SECURE LIGHTED ATTACHED STRUCTURE)

RESERVE YOUR TICKETS BY NOVEMBER 19TH. SPACE IS

Send Reservation with Dinner Choice and Payment to:

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Message from the President

November 16, 2007

Dear Members, Metro Detroit Chapter, MSPE:

We continue to celebrate the 100th Anniversary Year of our profession. As professional engineers, we possess a unique perspective of the changes in our field that have occurred since 1907. Science and tools have combined to provide a more complete view of what lies beneath the surface of the earth and atmospheric conditions that affect the structures that we build upon it. Our understanding of the effects of soil conditions, seismic activity, wind sheer and air pollution, to name but a few, on the structures we help to design and construct is an ever-evolving ability to provide a safe environment for generations to come. At the same time, we can view with awe the engineering feats throughout history that have born the test of time. We are honored to be part of this evolution and look forward to what the next hundred years will bring.

Please keep your calendar open for the MSPE Holiday party Friday, December 14, at the Century Grill and Gem Theater.

Keeping our email addresses up-to-date is always in progress since we no longer mail the PENs. If you change your own email address or know anyone who would like to receive issues of our PEN, please send an email to Mustapha Hamood at MHamood@spaldingdedecker.com.

As always, we are looking for members who are interested in becoming involved. If you are interested or have any comments, please feel free to contact me at (734) 453-7900 or mahmoud.el-gamal@psiusa.com.

Sincerely,
Mahmoud E. El-Gamal, PhD, P.E.
President, Metro Detroit Chapter

Please keep the following dates open for our upcoming Chapter Events:

DETROIT METRO CHAPTER CALENDAR 2007-2008

NOVEMBER

Board Meeting	November 16 @ 7:30 am	TYJT, Inc., Detroit Office
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DECEMBER

Chapter Meeting/Event	Holiday Party	12/14/2007
Board Meeting		TBD

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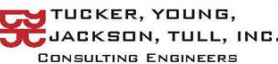
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