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Hadley succeeds Lambert

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

JOHN LAMBERT

STONE RESTORATION OF AMERICA



When the air chills and the leaves start to fall, we reflect on another passing year. This particular year has been one of many ups and downs for all of us in business. As for our Carolinas Chapter it has been all ups in 2009. We won our second consecutive Chapter of the Year Award. We were able to present

our scholarship to a person who put their life on the line for us in the US Marines.

The joint events with WCA were very successful and raised the money for our scholarship funds. In spite of economic difficulties we hosted two of the best attended conferences in chapter history. I want to extend my sincere appreciation for the help and support that I have received from the Board and all the members who have participated all year. We are very fortunate to have such an involved chapter where we can share a little time away from work together.

May your business ups exceed the downs. *John*

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## A RECIPE FOR FALL SUCCESS

What a concoction we brewed up at the Fall Convention October 9-10!! Start with historic Charleston, SC; add a fascinating topic like Historic Restoration and an outstanding line-up of speakers, add a round of golf on a lovely fall weekend and serve it up with a large plate of delicious Frogmore Stew (if you don't recognize this dish, you missed something!) and you have all the ingredients for success and a record breaking year. Over 70 attendees from up and down the East Coast were part of the record attendance at our Fall Convention, making 2009 possibly our best year.

## NATIONAL ICRI SPRING CONFERENCE COMING TO CAROLINAS CHAPTER

Mark your calendar now .....you will not want to miss this one as the ICRI brings its 2010 Spring Conference to the coast of the Carolinas Chapter. The site is Myrtle Beach and the Carolinas Chapter will be hosting the Welcome Party which will be held Thursday evening, April 15 at the Ocean Club at Grande Dunes; the ICRI Conference will be April 15-16 next door at the Marriott Grande Dunes Resort and the theme will be "Transportation Structures." This will be a party you won't want to miss: a Low Country Boil (Frogmore Stew, fried catfish, garlic and herb roasted chicken, grilled/raw/fried oysters, red beans and rice) and music from Billy Scott and the Prophets, one of the legendary beach music bands in the Southeast..... in fact they're in the Beach Music Hall of Fame. In addition, on the afternoon of Wednesday, April 13, the ICRI Conference Golf Tournament will be held at Arcadian Shores in Myrtle Beach coordinated by Keith Harrison. Space for 20 foursomes has been reserved.



Grande Dunes Resort



Frogmore Stew



Billy Scott & Prophets



The Beach Club

# 2009 AWARDS AND HONORS



Two of the highlight of the annual awards banquet (after the Frogmore Stew) are the presentation of the Member of the Year and the President's Plaque. Jim Hadley of Sika Corp and Chapter Vice President received the 2009 Member of the Year Award and was recognized for his contributions to the chapter.



And outgoing President John Lambert was recognized for his leadership in holding two of the most successful conferences ever during his term in office



## 2009 ICRI FALL GOLF TOURNAMENT WINNERS



**FIRST PLACE TEAM - 65**  
 Dave Powers  
 Gregg Blaszak  
 Jim Smith  
 Don Ford

The semi-annual ICRI Carolinas Chapter Golf Tournament was held at Shadowmoss Golf Club in Charleston. Nine foursomes took advantage of the perfect weather conditions and enjoyed an afternoon of Low Country links prior to returning to the hotel for the annual banquet. The winning score was an impressive 7 under par, with a tie for second at 3 under par which was decided by a tie breaker. Thanks to Golf Chairman John McDougall for putting the event together and here are the results:



**SECOND PLACE TEAM - 69**  
 John Lambert  
 Keith Harrison  
 Gary Cox  
 Zach Rupert (absent)



**THIRD PLACE TEAM - 69**  
 Jeffery Miller  
 John McDougall  
 Scott Davis (absent)  
 Nelson Moody (absent)



**CLOSEST TO THE PIN:** Jeff Molby, Jeffery Miller  
**LONGEST DRIVE:** Will Warlick, Nelson Moody (absent)



## 2009 PROJECT OF THE YEAR RESULTS

Jim Hadley – President Elect

We have just celebrated our 8th anniversary for the Carolinas Chapter Project of the Year award, hard to believe.



*Tim Morris, Stone Resoration*



*Jim Schwartz, Carlisle Rep.*

Congratulations to Stone Restoration for winning the 2009 Project of the Year Award for the 400 S. Tryon St. Parking Deck in downtown Charlotte; Tim Morris was the project manager. The project consisted of the complete removal, re-waterproofing and replacement the entire first level of the parking deck. This area provides the roof for the plaza level housing retail and office space. Maintaining constant traffic flow for the upper levels of the deck was just one of the several challenges on this project. The engineer was Sutton Kennerly Associates, manufacturer was Carlisle Coatings & Waterproofing and the distributor was Guaranteed Supply.



*Jeff Molby, Sutton Kennerly*



The Merit Award winner was Trident Construction for the SC Department of Natural Resources Marine Resource's Research Institute in Charleston, SC. Project engineer was Davis and Floyd, Inc., the manufacturer was Sika Corporation and the distributor was Guaranteed Supply Company.

*Jeff Miller, Guaranteed Supply*

*Jim Hadley, Sika*

### Carolinas Chapter First National Project of the Year Award!!

Congratulations to Lesco Restorations for receiving the 2009 National Award of Merit for the Chapel Hill Street Parking Deck in Durham, NC. They will be receiving this award at the October 24th National Convention in Phoenix, AZ. The Parking Garage category is one of the most competitive and highly submitted categories in the national program.

This project also won 2008 Carolina's Project of the Year. The project consisted of structural strengthening, concrete spall repairs and epoxy crack injection. Project engineer was Walter P. Moore, the manufacturer was Sika Corporation and the distributor was Guaranteed Supply Company.

This is our second project to win the Carolinas Chapter's Project of the Year Award and then be submitted for the National ICRI Project of the Year program.



# LESCO

### Coming in 2010....New **Express** Project of the Year Submission Form!

*Express = Quicker + Easier*

Once again we will continue to enhance our program to encourage more submissions by offering an express submission form. Our current format is based on the ICRI National program. This format allows a chapter submission to be moderately tweaked and then submitted for the National ICRI Project of the Year Award. (see related article)

In 2010 you will have 2 options to select from when making a submission; Option 1 will be the current National format and Option 2 will be a scaled down "Express Submission" format. Watch your email for further information on this update.

# THE BIGGEST CHAPTER CONVENTION EVER...



Meeting the boys: Newcomer Terry Jacob of Somero Matson Group (2nd from left) meets John Fort, Tim Hobbs and Robert McDowell.



Platinum Sponsor New South Supply was well represented with Bailey Williams, Jey Yates and Andy Rutledge in attendance.



Board member Doug Saunders of Guaranteed Supply and his wife Lisa, who was a hit with her homemade egg rolls.



Our newest Gold Sponsor: Jerry Duncan of Associated Scaffolding sets up his tabletop display.



Bill Fortuna of Quikrete proudly discusses his display with Chapter Treasurer John McDougall of Blair-Duron Restorations.



Chapter Secretary Keith Harrison of Capital Restoration enjoys seeing his new guy Dave Cioccolanti booking business on the phone.



Jey Yates of New South Supply visits with Gregg Blaszak of Metromont USA before the sessions start.



ICRI meetings are fun; just ask Hayes Thompson of Heard Ratzlaff Construction and Jim Smith of T.A. Rupert Waterproofing.



George Arnold of Specified Materials (looking dapper in coat and tie for his first ICRI presentation) cues up his computer.



"OK, imagine this, Gary:" Tom Hayes of Sutton Kennerly tries to paint a word picture for Kenseal's Gary Cox, a past Chapter president.



Jed Daniels of Seagar Waterproofing multitasking: taking in food for the body as well as the mind in the opening technical session.



Chapter Board member Jeff Molby of Sutton-Kennerly talks with opening speaker Gabe Molina before the conference opens.

# MAYBE THE BEST CONVENTION EVER!!



How packed was the room for the Fall Convention? With over 70 attendees, even the front row seats were filled.



Neogard's Dan Anagnos chats with Chapter Secretary John McDougall.



President John Lambert presided over the awards banquet and recapped a very busy and successful year.



Paul Farrell of Carolina Restoration gets ready to dig in to his first helping of Frogmore Stew (shrimp, crab, sausage, corn on the cob and potatoes).



Dan Bueker receives a Service Plaque and thanks from John Lambert for his service on the Board.



Golf Chairman John McDougall always makes the awards presentations entertaining and funny with his comments.



Secretary Keith Harrison is thanked by John Lambert for his work during the year.



How interesting was Tanya Komar's presentation on the Normandy bunkers? Over 50 were packed into the room Saturday morning!!



Sutton Kennerly's Tom Hayes and Bessco's Jim Brunson visit during the tabletop displays.



John McDougall listening to one of those great stories from Euclid's Dave Powers.



Technology at work! Let's hope Paul Farrell and Steve Butler of Carolina Restoration aren't texting each other. But what is so interesting?



Gabe Molina of Arcadis is welcomed by President-elect Jim Hadley of Sika and Bob Gallagher of Procon and Associates.

# 2010 CAROLINAS CHAPTER STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP NOW OPEN



As a result of the excellent support of our corporate sponsors, employers of our board of directors, conference speakers, and membership, the ICRI Carolinas Chapter is again offering a \$1500 student scholarship.

The new, earlier application deadline is February 2, 2010. The award will be announced soon thereafter.

Students enrolled in a North or South Carolina, four-year undergraduate or graduate level engineering or construction program, with coursework in concrete are eligible. For complete rules, application form, and registration, please see the Chapter website at: [www.icricarolinas.org/scholarship\\_rules.htm](http://www.icricarolinas.org/scholarship_rules.htm)

The scholarship essays will be submitted electronically via the website and will be awarded to the best 300 to 500 word essay, as selected by the Scholarship Judging Committee



Thanks to our outstanding speaker line-up for sharing their time and expertise in making this our largest conference ever: George Arnold, Gabriel Molina, Jed Daniels, Mark Howell, Dr. Tanya Komars, Tim Cook and Mike Moore.

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# Chapter News & Notes

## JOINT 2010 ICRI/WCA EVENTS SET



Two of the highlights of the calendar year have been the joint ICRI/WCA events to raise money for our respective scholarship funds. The committees have been working on the events and the dates and locations have been set. More details will be forthcoming, but put these dates on your calendars:

Thursday, April 1 ICRI/WCA Sporting Clay Shoot  
Friendship Gun Club, East Bend, NC

Thursday, May 13 ICRI/WCA Golf Tournament at  
The Challenge Golf Club, Graham, NC

## WEBSITE UPDATES...COMING SOON!

Jim Hadley – President Elect

Our chapter website continues to gain more and more browsing traffic. Last year's enhancements with the addition of the Technical Resources page as well other updates have enabled visitors to see just what our chapter has to offer.

We will once again make improvements to the site that will allow visitors to gain faster access to key pages of information. Our homepage will now feature dedicated upcoming events. New tabs will be added to identify the most visited pages as well as other improvements.

As always, please give us your feedback as to what we can do to improve this tool. This is your chapter and our success depends on your feedback too!

Watch your email for upcoming announcements on the website as well as other chapter information.

## WELCOME NEW CHAPTER MEMBERS

Paul Ampey  
Prestige Concrete Products  
Orlando, FL

David Cioccolanti  
Capital Restoration & Waterproofing  
Raleigh, NC

Will Warlick  
V2 Structural Systems  
Irmo, SC

## OFFICERS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS INSTALLED

At the Friday evening Awards Banquet, President John Lambert presented Appreciation Plaques to his Board of Directors and he received a Gavel Plaque in appreciation of his leadership. Keith Smith and Carlton Steinmetz were thanked for their service as they rotate off the Board and Ted Bartelt and Paul Farrell join the Board. At Saturday morning's business meeting, the membership approved the slate of officers recommended by the Nominating Committee and the Board of Directors. The new chapter leadership will be:

**PRESIDENT**  
Jim Hadley  
Sika Corporation

**VICE-PRESIDENT**  
Keith Harrison  
Capital Restoration & Waterproofing, Inc.

**SECRETARY**  
John McDougall  
Blair-Duron Restoration

**TREASURER**  
Jeff Molby  
Sutton-Kennerly & Associates

**IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT**  
John Lambert  
Stone Restoration of America

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS**  
Ted L. Bartelt (through 2012)  
Alpha & Omega Group

Paul Farrell (through 2012)  
Carolina Restoration & Waterproofing

Tara Cavalline (through 2011)  
University of North Carolina at Charlotte

Dan Bueker (through 2011)  
BASF Building Systems

Doug Saunders (through 2010)  
Guaranteed Supply Company

Mark Hollander (through 2010)  
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## CAROLINAS CHAPTER COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

Program Committee - Keith Harrison

Hospitality Committee - John McDougall

Call Committee - Jim Hadley

Membership and Education - Jeffery Molby

Nominating - John Lambert

Awards & Project of the Year - Jim Hadley

Sponsorship - Dan Bueker

Points Committee - John McDougall

Website - Jim Hadley

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## KEY CHAPTER MEETING DATES

Dec 10, 2009	Board of Directors Meeting, Ocean Club, Martle Beach, SC
Feb 1, 2010	ICRI World Of Concrete Kick-off Party - Lucky Strike Lanes, Rio Hotel, LasVegas
April 1, 2010	WCA/ICRI Sporting Clay Shoot - Friendship Sporting Clays, East Bend
April 14, 2010	ICRI Convention Golf Tournament - Arcadian Shores, Myrtle Beach, SC
April 15 2010	Board of Directors Meeting - Ocean Club at Grande Dunes
April 15, 2010	ICRI Welcome Party (hosted by ICRI CC) Ocean Club at Grande Dunes
April 15-16, 2010	ICRI National Spring Convention Marriott Grande Dunes, Myrtle Beach, SC (Theme: Transportation Structures)
May 13, 2010	ICRI/WCA Golf Tournament (Graham) The Challenge - Hideaway Farms
June 17, 2010	Board of Directors Meeting - Dunhill Hotel-Charlotte

2010 ICRI National Spring Conference  
April 15-16, 2010 Myrtle Beach, SC



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