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# \*\*\*\*\* COMPANIONS NIGHT \*\*\*\*

Next Meeting . . . . Wednesday, December 11, 2013

Where . . . . Pollo Rico Latin Bistro, Centereach, NY

**Topic: Construction Materials, Their Inspection and Testing** 

Speaker: Frank Szalajda, Stony Brook University.

Social Hour ... 6 pm Dinner ... 7:00 pm Meeting ... 8:00 pm

Members ... \$25 Guests ... \$27 Students ... \$15

(New and recently transferred-in members free)

**Reservations appreciated – call Peter Indrigo (631-589-6666)** 

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Pollo Rico is located at 2435 Middle Country Road (Rte. 25), Centereach. Probably the simplest way to get there from the LIE is to take Exit 62 (Nicolls Road) and go north on CR 97 (towards Stony Brook). Continue north for about 3 miles then take the exit to Rte. 25. At the traffic signals at the end of the ramp go left and head west (Smithtown). The restaurant will appear after about 1.5 miles, on the right side of the highway. Their telephone number is 631-471-0585.

# The Topic

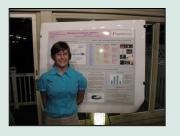
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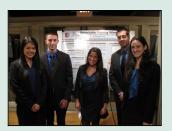
# **Our Speaker**

Frank Szalajda is a professional engineer registered in New York and Connecticut. He has performed construction inspections in the New York City/ Long Island area working with Municipal Testing Laboratory, Inc. of Hauppauge, NY. He has also worked in the home inspection industry, is a certified welding inspector, ICC Structural Steel and Mechanical Inspector, and has worked in the HVAC (Heating, Ventilating and Air Conditioning) industry for over 20 years. Frank is also an adjunct instructor at Stony Brook University.



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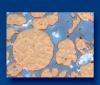
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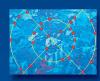
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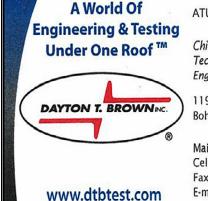
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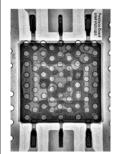
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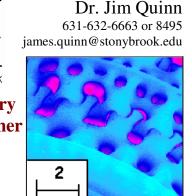


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Jan. ??, 2014 Joint Meeting with ANS

Place: tbd

Speaker: Stephen Musolino

Subject: tbd

Feb. 19, 2014 Place: tbd

Speaker: Dr. Esther Takeuchi Subject: Battery Materials

# **Metro NY-NJ Chapter**

(website www.asminternational.org/portal/site/metronynj/) (contact: Rich Lynch @ 201-891-8399)

No meetings during December and January

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