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All members and friends of Polish-American Engineers Association are cordially invited to attend our meeting.

- DATE:** Friday, April 21st, 2017
- TIME:** Doors Open 7:30 p.m.; Business Meeting begins 8:00 p.m.
- PLACE:** Copernicus Center
Kings Hall
5216 W. Lawrence Avenue
Chicago, Illinois
- SPEAKER:** Dr. Atalay Yagricoglu
- TOPIC:** Brief Outline of IL-390 Ramps Project
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Dr. Atalay Yagricoglu

Dr. Yagricoglu has more than 40 years of experience in the field of Structural Engineering and is a licensed professional and structural engineer in Illinois. He graduated with BSCE and MSCE degrees in civil/structural engineering from the Orta Dogu Technical University in Ankara, Turkey, and received his PhD degree in Structural Mechanics from The University of Texas, Austin, Texas, specializing in Finite Element Analysis of Complex Structures.

He worked primarily on numerous transportation-related projects for IDOT, CDOT, ISTHA, CTA, METRA, and other local agencies in Illinois. He has extensive experience with analysis and design of complex bridge systems.

ABSTRACT

Dr. Yagricoglu will present a brief outline of the IL-390 Ramps project covering the bridge type selection process and construction challenges. He will summarize the findings of the NCHRP research and NSBA reports on the analytical methods and construction engineering of curved steel girder bridges and discuss the new requirements of the AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications (8th Edition, 2017) for significantly curved and/or skewed steel girder bridges.

Special Interest

Polish Arts Club 80th Exhibition Opening Reception

Saturday, April 22, 2017 @ 7pm @ Polish Museum of America (984 N. Milwaukee Ave., Chicago, IL 60642)

The Polish Arts Club invites all PAEA members and sympathizers to its 80th Exhibition Opening Reception at the Polish Museum of America.

For the last Ninety years the Polish Arts Club of Chicago has been exhibiting and promoting Polish culture and artists. This year's exhibition will showcase two dimensional and three dimensional works of over forty artists. The exhibit will be judged by prominent representatives from the art community and artists will be recognized for their achievements in their respective fields.

More details available at:

<http://www.pacchicago.org/exhibit.html>

Chicago Chopin Foundation Presentation & Concert Celebrating Polish Constitution Day

Saturday, May 6, 2017 @ 1:30pm @ The Chopin Garden (Michigan Avenue and 11th Street, Chicago, IL)

The Chicago Chopin Foundation cordially invites all PAEA members and sympathizers to the annual Grand Constitution Concert in Grant Park, beginning at 1:30pm (just after the Parade), at the Chopin Garden.

More details available at:

<https://www.chopingarden.com/single-post/2017/04/02/Grand-Constitution-Concert-in-Grant-Park>

Polish Museum of America Celebrates 80 Years @ The 2017 Summer Gala

Friday, June 2, 2017 @ Café La Cave (2777 Mannheim Rd, Des Plaines, IL 60018)

The Polish Museum of America warmly invites all PAEA members and sympathizers to its annual Summer Gala! This year marks 80 years of serving Polonia and beyond for the PMA. Please mark your calendars for this event, the largest fundraiser for the PMA, and always a wonderful evening.

More details and Sponsorship information available at:

http://www.polishmuseumofamerica.org/?event=summer-ball&event_date=2017-06-02

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