



The Academy of Electrical Contracting

David A. Hardt ('07), Chairman



Sun Valley Resort

**54th Annual Meeting
Sun Valley, Idaho
June 5 to 7, 2024**



THE ACADEMY OF ELECTRICAL CONTRACTING

2024 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Chairman: David Hardt ('07)

NECA Executive Committee Officers

President:	Kirk Davis ('11)	District 6 VP:	Mark Walter ('22)
CEO:	David Long ('12)	District 7 VP:	Don Laffoon ('20)
CFO:	Traci Walker ('13)	District 8 VP:	Craig Clark ('14)
District 1 VP:	Stephen Gianotti ('20)	District 9 VP:	Greg Long ('18)
District 2 VP:	Steve Petri ('22)	District 10 VP:	Steve Lindley ('22)
District 3 VP:	Terry Lette ('16)	At Large VP:	Mark Harasha ('22)
District 4 VP:	David Washebek ('20)	Integrated Systems	
District 5 VP:	Shawn Smith ('21)	Contractors VP:	Chuck Fairchild ('23)

Past Academy Chairmen

Buck Autrey ('73)	Ben Cook ('96)	Dennis Quebe ('06)
Bob Doran ('81)	Milner Irvin ('98)	
Rod Borden ('88)	Rex Ferry ('02)	

Fellows Elected to the Board

Term Expires in 2024

Wes Anderson ('16)
Mike Joyce ('14)
Rilo Stephens ('17)
Jim Willson ('14)

Term Expires in 2025

John Grau ('86)
Todd Mikec ('14)
Earl Restine ('16)
Jody Shea ('13)

Term Expires in 2026

Scott Bringmann ('09)
Henry Brown ('21)
Joe Kaluhiokalani ('22)
Mike Weaver ('21)

2024 Jury of Fellows

Chairman: Dennis Quebe ('06) (District 2)	District 6:	Gloria Ashford ('07)
Secretary: John Grau ('86)	District 7:	Greg Rick ('12)
District 1: Jim Johannemann ('15)	District 8:	Kellie Holland ('17)
District 2: Dan Walsh ('12)	District 9:	Fred Neubauer ('21)
District 3: Brad Butler ('13)	District 10:	Tracy Harness ('19)
District 4: Tony Maloney ('12)	At Large:	David Hardt ('07)
District 5: Vincent Real ('17)		

Academy Administration

Secretary of the Academy:	Traci Walker ('13)
Secretary of Program:	Traci Walker ('13)
Secretary of the Jury:	John Grau ('86)
Administrator:	Diane Jacobson

ACADEMY SCHEDULE 2024
Sun Valley Resort, Sun Valley, ID

Wednesday, June 5

1:00 pm - 4:30 pm	Meeting Registration	Boiler Room Patio
6:00 pm - 9:00 pm	Reception & Dinner (Couples photos for Academy Directory)	Lodge Terrace

Thursday, June 6

7:00 am - 10:00 am	Jury of Fellows Meeting (invite only)	Aspen Room
8:00 am - 8:30 am	Business Workshop Breakfast	Limelight B
8:30 am - 10:15 am	Business Workshop Program	Limelight B
9:00 am - 11:00 am	Sun Valley/Ketchum Historic Program	Continental Room
10:30 am - 11:00 am	Board of Directors Meeting (invite only)	Limelight A
Afternoon / Free Time	Optional Tours Depart from lobby of the hotel (*please see detailed list of activities for meet and return times)	
	11:30 am - Redfish Lake Experience (Lunch Included)	
	12:00 pm - Fly Fishing (Lunch Included)	
	12:00 pm - Ketchum-Sun Valley Historical Tour (Lunch Included)	
	12:30 pm - Golf at Trail Creek Golf Course (Lunch Included)	
	12:45 pm - Sport Shooting (Lunch Not Included)	
	2:00 pm - Horseback Riding (Lunch Not Included)	
6:30 pm - 9:00 pm	Reception & Dinner Shuttle Buses Provided (Couples photos for Academy Directory)	Trail Creek Grounds

Friday, June 7

7:00 am - 8:00 am	Past Officer's Breakfast (invite only)	Continental Room
7:30 am - 8:00 am	Continental Breakfast	Opera House
8:00 am - 10:00 am	General Meeting* Business Meeting & Academy Presentations Guest Speaker , Daniel Burrus - Futurist Speaker, Business Strategist <i>Retirement Reinvented: Why Learning, Experimenting, and Serving Others Hold the Key to a Prosperous Future!</i>	Opera House

*Spouses and Guests are welcome to join the group for any portion of the meeting and to listen to Daniel's presentation.

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	11:00 am - Ketchum-Sun Valley Historical Tour (Lunch Included)	
	11:30 am - Fly Fishing (Lunch Included)	
	12:00 pm - Golf at Trail Creek Golf Course (Lunch Included)	
	12:30 pm - Sport Shooting (Lunch Not Included)	
	12:45 pm - Horseback Riding (Lunch Not Included)	
6:00 pm - 6:30 pm	Formal Reception	Limelight Terrace
6:30 pm - 10:00 pm	Formal (Black Tie Optional) Dinner	Limelight BC

Fellows and Their Guests Attending

**Attending First Annual Meeting*

Chairman David and Christine Hardt ('07) - Lake Forest, IL

Orvil and Connie Anthony ('13) - Spring Branch, TX
**Greg and Cindy Armstrong ('23) - Martinez, CA*
Eric and Janice Aschinger ('13) - Barnhart, MO
Gloria and Ken Ashford ('07) - Woodinville, WA
Art and Mary Ashley ('04) - Chesterfield, MI
Kent and Shirley Baker ('92) - Escondido, CA
**James and Jodie Bane ('20) - Morgantown, WV*
Andy and Andrea Berg ('21) - San Diego, CA
K C Borden ('18) - Overland Park, KS
Greg and Wendy Bowman ('18) - Apison, TN
Scott and Diane Bringmann ('09) - Anchorage, AK
Kurt and Nadia Brinkman ('21) - Vallejo, CA
Henry and Jennifer Brown ('21) - Jacksonville, FL
Bob and Karen Bruce ('03) - New Castle, PA
Brad and Margaret Butler ('13) - St. Simons Island, GA
Jeff Cardwell ('15) - Kokomo, IN
Jerri Champlin ('21) - Dillon, MT
Craig and Carol Clark ('14) - Littleton, CO
Larry and Pam Clennon ('17) - Wilmington, IL
Larry and Barbara Cogburn ('08) - Hilliard, FL
Ron and Kathy Cogburn ('17) - Jacksonville, FL
Kevin and Stacey Connelly ('18) - St. Charles, IL
Tony and Cathy Cook ('22) - Shady Dale, GA
Bruce and Jane Creen ('19) - Westminster, SC
Kirk and Becky Davis ('11) - Shreveport, LA
Rudy and Cheryl Dixon ('15) - Augusta, GA
Bob and Sharon Doran ('81) - Collyville, TX
**Ricky and Debbie Ellington ('23) - Thomaston, GA*
Chuck and Luanne Fairchild ('23) - Indianapolis, IN
**Jim and Michelle Ferry ('23) - Upper St. Clair, PA*
Chris and Ellen Foster ('22) - Marietta, GA
John and Julia Frantz ('11) - Sidney, OH
Tim and Tina Gauthier ('98) - Happy Valley, OR
**Marco and Andrea Giamberardino ('23) - Montclair, VA*
Steve and Marie Gianotti ('20) - Bayside, NY
John Grau and Kristine Sweeney ('86) - Bethesda, MD
Mark and Terri Harasha ('22) - Oshkosh, WI
Tracy and Kelly Harness ('19) - Camas, WA
Jerry and Judy Hayes ('12) - Marietta, GA
Jim and Kris Hess ('22) - Jacksonville, OR
Kellie and Todd Holland ('17) - Broomfield, CO
**Mike and Diane Holmes ('23) - Bellevue, WA*
Mark and Renee Huston ('14) - Fort Worth, TX
Rick and Konki Jarvis ('22) - Fullerton, CA
Jim Johannemann ('15) - Highland Mills, NY
Joe and Tina Kaluhiokalani ('22) - Woodbury Heights, NJ
Don and Marty Kanetzky ('22) - Buda, TX
Sue and David King ('17) - Manitou Springs, CO
Glenn and Judi Kingsbury ('16) - Sedona, AZ
Paul and Kelley Kosmides ('22) - Chanhassen, MN
Tom and Jean Kyle ('18) - Coos Bay, OR
Don and Danielle Laffoon ('20) - Raymore, MO
Max and Marlene Landon ('98) - Hillsboro, OR
**Ryan and Nancy Landon ('23) - North Plains, OR*
Stan and Susan Lazarian ('05) - Glendora, CA
Terry and Lori Lette ('16) - Monroe, NC
Steve and Mary Lindley ('22) - Waunakee, WI
David and Sheri Long ('12) - Washington, DC
Greg and Patti Long ('18) - Napa, CA
Lenny and Linda Lynch ('13) - San Carlos, CA
Jim and Bonnie Mackey ('02) - Bainbridge Island, WA
Tony and Kathy Maloney ('12) - Mishawaka, IN
Mark and Diana Mazur ('13) - Odessa, FL
Dick and Darlene McBride ('90) - Escondido, CA
Fran and Sandra McDermott ('21) - Rancho Murieta, CA
Mark and Amy Melton ('21) - Houston, TX
Todd and Gretchen Mikec ('14) - McMurray, PA
Lindsay and Karen Mills ('16) - Mansfield, TX
Tom and Wendy Morton ('18) - Gurnee, IL
**Tony and Kathy Mulizio ('23) - Naples, FL*
Marv and Barbara Nelson ('13) - Kenmore, WA
Fred and Diane Neubauer ('21) - Trabuco Canyon, CA
**Greg and Stacy Outsen ('23) - Bourbonnais, IL*
Ken and Jeannine Paganini ('03) - Stinson Beach, CA
**Michael Parkes ('23) - Honeoye Falls, NY*
Tom and Brenda Parkes ('17) - Victor, NY
Walter and Barbara Parkes ('91) - Pittsford, NY
**Chase and Robin Pendergraft ('23) - Apison, TN*
Steve and Stephanie Petri ('22) - Middle River, MD
Dennis Quebe ('06) - Springboro, OH
Jim and Diane Reed ('18) - San Francisco, CA
Sonja Rheaume ('16) - Vancouver, WA
Greg and Stacy Rick ('12) - West Fargo, ND
Dan and Kathy Schaeffer ('09) - St. Louis, MO
**Alan and Leigh Scharfe ('23) - Manchester, MA*
Jerry and Mary Schulz ('12) - Butte Des Morts, WI
Bob and Rose Seanger ('19) - St. Cloud, MN
Duane and Beth Seifert ('15) - La Porte, IN
Jody Shea ('13) - Chattanooga, TN
DL and Suzy Smith ('89) - Topeka, KS
Shawn and Olga Smith ('21) - Topeka, KS
Shane Snyder ('20) - Gilbert, AZ
Lanny Thomas ('09) - Rome, GA
Kevin Tighe ('19) - Lovettsville, VA
**Ernie and Joan Ulibarri ('20) - Bend, OR*
Bob and Ruth Van Ert ('21) - Kronenwetter, WI
Traci and Marc Walker ('13) - Clarksville, MD
Dan Walsh ('12) - Louisville, KY

Mark Walter and Nerissa Fallon ('19) - Battle Ground, WA
Steve and Suzanne Washburn ('16) - Camano Island, WA
David Washebek ('20) - Genesee, WI
Mike and Linda Weaver ('21) - Corvallis, OR
Dave and Donna White ('17) - Boonville, IN
Jim and Sue Willson ('14) - West Covina, CA

Don and Kim Wilson ('04) - Bend, OR
Ed and Rebecca Witt ('18) - Jacksonville, FL
Tom and Gayla Wolden ('12) - Powell, OH
Paul and Frances Yesbeck ('18) - The Villages, FL
Jim Young and Jennifer Kirchner ('16) - Santa Rosa, CA
Steve and Barbara Young ('06) - Nichols Hills, OK



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Optional Activities

Wednesday Tour - Ketchum-Sun Valley Historical Tour (Lunch Included)

Kent and Shirley Baker
David and Christine Hardt

Dick and Marlene McBride
Tony and Kathy Mulizio

DL and Suzy Smith

Thursday Tour - Redfish Lake Experience (Lunch Included)

Eric and Janice Aschinger
Bob and Karen Bruce
Larry and Pam Clennon
Tony and Cathy Cook
Kirk and Becky Davis

John and Julia Frantz
David and Christine Hardt
Joe and Tina Kaluhiokalani
Max and Marlene Landon
Mark and Diana Mazur

Lindsay and Karen Mills
Tom and Brenda Parkes
Walter and Barbara Parkes
Steve and Stephanie Petri

Thursday Tour - Fly Fishing (Lunch Included)

Kent Baker
Brad Butler
Craig and Carol Clark
Kevin Connelly

Bruce and Jane Creen
Jim and Michelle Ferry
John Grau and Kristine Sweeney
Tom Kyle

Terry and Lori Lette
Lanny Thomas
Robert and Ruth Van Ert

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Art and Mary Ashley
Ron and Kathy Cogburn

Sharon Doran
Jean Kyle

Tom and Wendy Morton
Tom and Gayla Wolden

Thursday Tour - Sport Shooting (Lunch Not Included)

Kevin Connelly
Bob Doran

Kelly Harness
Mike and Diane Holmes

Mark Walter and Nerissa Fallon
Don Wilson

Thursday Tour - Horseback Riding (Lunch Not Included)

Chuck and Luanne Fairchild
Tracy Harness

Ryan and Nancy Landon
Steve and Mary Lindley

Kathy Maloney
Mike and Linda Weaver

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Dan and Kathy Schaeffer
Mary Schulz

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Kirk and Becky Davis
Ricky and Debbie Ellington

Marlene Landon
Alan and Leigh Scharfe



Redfish Lake Marina



Silver Creek Preserve

Golf

*If you are playing **golf** on Thursday and/or Friday, please be sure the rental club notation is correct. Note: **bold** indicates **rental clubs** requested.

Thursday Golf

Orvil Anthony

K C Borden

Kurt and Nadia Brinkman

Henry Brown

Jeff Cardwell

Jerri Champlin

Steve Gianotti

Jim Hess

Kelli and Todd Holland

Mark Huston

Don Kanetzky

Stan and Susan Lazarian

Lenny Lynch

Jim Mackey

Tony Maloney

Fran McDermott

Mark and Amy Melton

Tony and Kathy Mulizio

Michael Parkes

Sonja Rheaume

Dan Schaeffer

Alan and Leigh Scharfe

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Jody Shea

Dan Walsh

Kim Wilson



Trail Creek Golf Course



Ernest Hemingway

Academy Meeting at The Sun Valley Resort in Sun Valley, Idaho General Meeting Speaker, Friday, June 7, 2024



Daniel Burrus **Futurist Speaker, Business Strategist**

Established Industry Expert

Daniel Burrus is considered one of the World's Leading Futurist Speakers on Global Trends and Disruptive Innovation. *The New York Times* has referred to him as one of the top three business gurus in the highest demand as a speaker.

He is a strategic advisor to executives from Fortune 500 companies helping them to develop game-changing strategies based on his proven methodologies for capitalizing on technology innovations and their future impact. He is the author of **seven books**, including *The New York Times* and *Wall Street Journal* best-seller *Flash Foresight*, as well as the international best-seller *Technotrends*. His latest book, *The Anticipatory Organization: Turn*

Disruption and Change Into Opportunity and Advantage, is an Amazon #1 Hot New Release for Business.

Technology Futurist, Innovation and Business Strategist

Daniel Burrus' accurate predictions date back to the early 1980s where he became the first and only futurist to accurately identify the 20 Exponential Technologies that would become the driving forces of business and economic change for decades to come. They included digital electronics, A.I., distributed computing, genetic engineering, lasers, optical storage, photovoltaics, fiber optics, and nano technologies to name a few.

Since then he has established a worldwide reputation for his exceptional record of predicting the future of technology driven change and its direct impact on the business world. As a business strategist, he has helped hundreds of clients profit from new opportunities and develop successful competitive business strategies based on the creative application of leading-edge technologies. Daniel is a thought leader and contributing writer on the topics of innovation, change and the future for Harvard Business Review, LinkedIn, Huffington Post, Wired Magazine and Examiner.com to name a few.

Futurist Keynote Speaker

An award winning keynote speaker, Daniel has delivered over 3,000 keynote speeches to corporations, associations, and professional organizations worldwide. In his presentations, he blends timely and provocative insights with just the right amount of humor and motivation to enable his audiences to take positive action. **He is a master at customizing his presentations to his audiences** as he identifies game-changing trends that will have a direct impact on his audience members and offers powerful, practical guidance for turning rapid change into a competitive advantage.

Global Innovation and Technology Trends Researcher

His passion for research became apparent in his third year of college, when Burrus became one of the first undergraduates in the nation to direct a federal research grant. He went on to found and manage six businesses, four of which were national leaders in their first year. As a highly successful entrepreneur, he knows how to translate research findings into practical competitive advantages.

Today, as founder and CEO of Burrus Research, a research and consulting firm that monitors global advancements and innovation in technology driven trends, Daniel helps clients profit from technological, social and business forces that are converging to create enormous untapped opportunities.

Future Academy Meetings

The Ultimate Skybox at DiamondView Tower, San Diego, CA – September 29, 2024

Wild Dunes Resort, Isle of Palms, SC – June 4 to 6, 2025