



**2025 O&M Managers Conference
March 2, 2026 – March 5, 2026
Orlando, FL**

“NAES – Building Resilient Foundations”

Agenda

Monday, March 2, 2026		
5:00 – 7:00 PM	Welcome Reception – Sponsored by: ARNOLD ♦ Diamond Thermal Systems ♦ intelligent technology solutions, inc.	Oceans Foyer 1-4

An activity for the plus-1s is being planned for Tuesday, March 3rd. Sign-up sheet will be available at the Registration Table during the Welcome Reception.

Tuesday, March 3, 2026		
Time	Topic	Presenter or Location
7:00 – 8:00 AM	Breakfast – Sponsored By: Allied Power Group ♦ HRST, Inc.	Oceans Ballroom 9-10
8:00 – 8:05 AM	Welcome & Conference Overview	JL/Clay
8:05 – 8:15 AM	Compliance Moment	Clay Thornton
8:15 – 9:45 AM	NAES Safety Update	David Jackson
9:45 – 10:00 AM	Morning Break - Sponsored by: ORR Protection	Oceans Ballroom Foyer
10:00 – 11:00 AM	NAES Corporate/Plant Operations Update	Dean Blaha/Alan Bull
11:00 – 11:30 AM	Performance Center/Gecko Robotics	Nancy Armstrong
11:30 – 12:00 PM	Environmental Update	Priya Hrenko
12:00 – 1:00 PM	Lunch – Sponsored by: AGT Services, Inc. ♦ Chemstream	Oceans Ballroom 9-10
1:00 – 1:40 PM	Vendor Technical Seminar Round 1	See Addendum
1:40 – 1:50 PM	Change Rooms	
1:50 – 2:30 PM	Vendor Technical Seminar Round 2	See Addendum
2:30 – 2:45 PM	Afternoon Break – Sponsored By: Pro Safety & Rescue, Inc.	Oceans Ballroom Foyer
2:45 – 3:25 PM	Vendor Technical Seminar Round 3	See Addendum
3:25 – 3:35 PM	Change Rooms	
3:35 – 4:15 PM	Vendor Technical Seminar Round 4	See Addendum
5:00 – 7:00 PM	Vendor Fair	Oceans 1-6

Wednesday, March 4, 2026		
<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Presenter or Location</u>
7:00 – 8:00 AM	Breakfast – Sponsored By: Veolia ♦ Tetra Engineering Group, Inc.	Oceans Ballroom 9-10
8:00 – 8:15 AM	Compliance Moment – NFPA 70B	Jim Forehand
8:15 – 8:45 AM	Hilltop Presentation	Jon Mongold
8:45 – 9:30 AM	Engineering Group – GSU’s	Noah Matesa/Gregg Massar
9:30 – 9:45 AM	NPC update	Matt Schreckengost
9:45 – 10:00 AM	Morning Break	Oceans Ballroom Foyer
10:00 – 10:30 AM	Operations Programs Update	Carolina Ayala
10:30 – 11:00 AM	Midwest Energy – Colby GT Controls Upgrade	Peter Schield/Noah Matesa
11:00 – 12:00 PM	Keynote – Session 1	Susanne Kubofcik
12:00 – 1:00PM	Lunch - Sponsored by: GESA	Oceans Ballroom 9-10
1:00 – 1:15 PM	Group Photo	
1:15 – 2:15	Keynote - Session 2	Susanne Kubofcik
2:15 – 3:00	Engineered Performance	Kyle Bryan
3:00 – 3:15	NAES Core Values	Bob Renaud
3:15 – 3:30 PM	Afternoon Break	Oceans Ballroom Foyer
3:30 -4:30	Technology Breakout Sessions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aero & Miscellaneous – Ken Ford • GE Frame CT – Dwayne Boyer • Siemens & Other Frame CT – Justin Langan • Solid Fuel – Bill Maiden 	Oceans7-8 Tarpon A Tarpon B Unicorn
6:00 – 9:00 PM	Backyard Bash Sponsored by: ARNOLD ♦ intelligent technology solutions, inc. ♦ Nalco Water ♦ Sulzer ♦ Sulzer Turbo Services Houston, Inc. ♦ Power Engineering Services and Solutions ♦ Ferguson Industrial	Oceans 1-4

Thursday, March 5, 2026

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Presenter or Location</u>
7:00 – 8:00 AM	Breakfast	Oceans Ballroom 9-10
8:00 – 8:15 AM	Safety Moment – Birdsboro	Micah Ruch/Bret Pardew
8:15 – 8:45 AM	PHR – Flame scanner problem solution	Woody DeBenedictis
8:45 - 9:15 AM	EP Group – OT Network Health	Justin Grabe
9:30 - 10:00 AM	Whitetower – Development and Implementation of a Repair and Overhaul facility	Chris Kendrick
10:00 – 10:30 AM	Morning Break	Oceans Ballroom Foyer
10:30 – 11:00 AM	Conference Topic Review & Open Discussion	Dean Blaha; Bob Renaud; Alan Bull
11:00 – 11:20 AM	Closing Comments	JL/Clay
11:20 – 11:30 AM	Final Grand Prize Drawing – Must be Present to win	

ADDENDUM--VENDOR TECHNICAL SEMINARS

Tuesday 3/3/2026

ROUND 1: 1:00 – 1:40 PM

Company	Topic	Room
Cooling Tower Depot	Cooling Tower Repair/Maintenance	Tarpon A
Hydro	Critical Role of field testing and troubleshooting for rotating equipment	Tarpon B
Premium Plant Services	Quantifying ROI in HRSG Cleaning	Unicorn

ROUND 2: 1:50 – 2:30 PM

Company	Topic	Room
Arnold Group	Steam Turbine Shell Warming for CC Startup improvement	Tarpon A
SCR Solutions	SCR Performance/Retrofit case studies	Tarpon B
CIAC Systems	Electric heat trace panels that improve ability to forecast circuit faults before failure	Unicorn

ROUND 3: 2:45 – 3:25 PM

Company	Topic	Room
Susanne Kubofcik		Tarpon A
Groome Industrial	HRSG tube cleaning/Maximizing CO catalyst lifespan	Tarpon B
Environex	What Plant Instruments can and cannot tell you about your SCR	Unicorn

ROUND 4: 3:35 – 4:15 PM

Company	Topic	Room
MD&A	TBD	Tarpon A
Exponential Power	Understanding Battery Maintenance	Tarpon B
STI CEMS	CEMS Best Maintenance Practices or Helping to eliminate CEMS downtime.	Unicorn