

# Geotechnical Discussion of Drilled Shafts

When: 25 Apr 2024 11:30 AM, EDT

Where: Holiday Inn Independence, 6001 Rockside Rd Independence, OH

**Will you be attending?**

[Register](#)

[Not attending](#)

## EVENT DETAILS:

Join ABCD Northeast Ohio for a presentation by David Vovak and Mark Recktenwald of ECS Midwest regarding a Geotechnical Discussion of Drilled Shafts. This meeting will qualify for 1.0 PDH credit.

**Speakers:** David Vovak and Mark Recktenwald

The "Geotechnical Discussion of Drilled Shafts" is a course that provides a general overview of drilled shafts. The program begins with a brief discussion of shallow and deep foundations with some general information of different deep foundations. Next a discussion of drilled shafts is provided

that includes different types of drilled shafts (straight shafts, belled shafts, and rock sockets), advantages and disadvantages of using drilled shafts, and general installation. The program then moves to the load testing program and down-hole visual inspections, drilled shaft inspection criteria, and processes and general drilled shaft safety during inspection. This course primarily deals with the geotechnical and testing aspects of drilled shafts.

- **Venue:** Holiday Inn Independence, 6001 Rockside Rd  
Independence, OH
- **Date:** Thursday, April 25, 2024
- **Time:** 11:30 arrival, Lunch at 12:00, Presentation at 12:30 pm
- **Menu:**
  1. Chicken Bianca sauteed and presented with a Romano & Fresh Basil Marinara Sauce Finished with Spinach & Pancetta
  2. Grilled Sirloin Steak-Steak with a Port Wine Red Onion Reduction
  3. Pasta Primavera - Penne Pasta tossed with Zucchini, Yellow Squash, Onions, Tomatoes in a Beurre Blanc Sauce with Parmesan Cheese & Fresh Herbs

(All entrees are served with House Salad, Seasonal Vegetables, Seasonal Cheesecake, Rolls & Butter, Coffee, Tea, Decaf and Iced Tea)

**Registration and Lunch:** Members \$30 | Non-Members \$35 | Public Employees \$25 | Students \$15 |

**Registration Deadline: Thursday, April 18, 2024, 5:00 PM**

Best regards,

[ABCD Northeast Ohio](#)

First name	Last name	Organization	Meal Choice	Sign In
Jeff	Ackerman	Burgess and Niple	Grilled Sirloin Steak	
Eric	Angyal	Wertz Geotechnical Engineering, Inc.	Chicken Bianca	
Esmaeel	Asadi	TranSystems	Chicken Bianca	
Brian	Avarello	TranSystems	Grilled Sirloin Steak	
Caley	Barnett	GPD Group	Grilled Sirloin Steak	
Michael	Bittner	Burgess & Niple	Chicken Bianca	
Matthew	Blesi	The Great Lakes Construction Co.	Chicken Bianca	
Richard	Bloch	TranSystems	Pasta Primavera	
Jeff	Brown	The Great Lakes Construction Co.	Pasta Primavera	
Brandon	Chavel	Michael Baker International	Grilled Sirloin Steak	
Chuck	Cvitkovich	Civil & Environmental Consultants, Inc.	Grilled Sirloin Steak	
Adam	Dahlfors	American Structurepoint	Chicken Bianca	
Hailey	DeGeorge	TranSystems	Grilled Sirloin Steak	
Amy	Fahd	EL Robinson Engineering	Chicken Bianca	
Erin	Fink-Rohde	Lake County Engineer's Office	Chicken Bianca	
Brendan	Finn	Euthenics, Inc.	Chicken Bianca	

Lauren	Hedges	EL Robinson Engineering	Chicken Bianca	Jan Hedges
Ali	Hertel	University of Cincinnati	Chicken Bianca	Ali Hertel
David	Hill	Burgess and Niple	Grilled Sirloin Steak	David Hill
Michael	Jurcak	GPD Group	Chicken Bianca	Mike Jurcak
David	Leake	Burgess & Niple, Inc.	Chicken Bianca	David Leake
Al	Leonard	The Great Lakes Construction Company	Pasta Primavera	Al Leonard
Lin	Li	Cuyahoga County	Chicken Bianca	Lin Li
Kevin	Lynch	Kokosing Construction Company, Inc.	Grilled Sirloin Steak	Kevin Lynch
Brett	Merillat	Fishbeck	Pasta Primavera	Brett Merrillat
James	O'Leary	E.L. Robinson	Chicken Bianca	James O'Leary
Bob	Parker	Civil & Environmental Consultants, Inc.	Grilled Sirloin Steak	Bob Parker
Stephanie	Pell	ECS. Midwest	Chicken Bianca	Stephanie Pell
Alec	Perkins	Palmer Engineering	Pasta Primavera	
Robert	Pfingsten	EL Robinson	Grilled Sirloin Steak	Robert Pfingsten
Micah	Pilat	Euthenics, Inc.	Chicken Bianca	Micah Pilat
Mark	Powell	Pennoni	Chicken Bianca	Mark Powell

Mark	Recktenwald	ECS Midwest, LLC	Chicken Bianca	<i>Mark Recktenwald</i>
Mason	Riley	ECS Midwest, LLC	Chicken Bianca	
Mike	Russo	ECS Midwest, LLC	Grilled Sirloin Steak	<i>MR</i>
Byron	Sah	Cuyahoga County Department of Public Works	Chicken Bianca	<i>Byron Sah</i>
Brandon	Sopko	Euthenics	Chicken Bianca	<i>Brandon Sopko</i>
Surya	Thapa	ECS Midwest LLC	Chicken Bianca	<i>ST</i>
Timothy	Tuskas	Patrick Engineering	Grilled Sirloin Steak	<i>Timothy Tuskas</i>
David	Vovak	ECS Midwest, LLC	Grilled Sirloin Steak	<i>David Vovak</i>
Zachary	Waite	Compass Infrastructure Group	Chicken Bianca	<i>Zachary Waite</i>
Thomas	Washko	GPD Group	Chicken Bianca	<i>Tom Washko</i>
Stephany	Young	HNTB	Chicken Bianca	<i>Stephany Young</i>