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Our next meeting will be at noon on Tuesday May 20th at the Out-of-Town Club in Kaukauna.

Chairman's Corner - April 2025

SBE Chapter 80 Members,

Not a lot to pass along from the chairman's corner this month

Please make sure you register for the Duke Wright Media Technology Institute in La Crosse. MTI takes place at the La Crosse Radisson Hotel Tuesday, June 17th through Thursday, June 19th. Registration is due by May 29th, hotel reservations must be made by May 22nd. Please go to: <https://www.wi-broadcasters.org/events/wba-duke-wright-media-technology-institute/> to register and for more information. Please remember that we will not have a regular meeting in June.

We are looking to have our SBE Picnic on Tuesday, July at the Fox 11 Field House in Green Bay, please make plans to join us. This would be at our regular meeting-time of noon. I would like to have our August meeting in Wausau.

Just a reminder now is a good time to get out to your transmitter sites and get your spring maintenance projects taken care of.

Thank You,

Matt Converse

Chairman Fox Valley Chapter 80

Upcoming Webinars by SBE

SBE Certification Overview

May 22, 2025 | 1 p.m. ET

This SBE webinar is a discussion of the benefits of SBE Certification and the process of certification. SBE Certification Director Megan Clappe and SBE Treasurer and Education Committee Chair Geary Morrill, CPBE, AMD, DRB, CBNE, will lead the discussion. An overview of the Program of Certification, qualifications to take exams, basics of the exam process and studying for exams will be given. The recertification process will also be discussed.

Modern AV, Creating More with Less

June 12, 2025 | 2 p.m. ET

As the content demands of audiences and advertisers evolve, radio broadcasters are faced with the challenge of finding cost-effective solutions to create higher-level media in the audio and video space using limited budgets and resources..

ATSC 3.0 Update 2025

June 26, 2025 | 2 p.m. ET

Join us for a non-technical industry report on the state of traditional broadcast and opportunities offered by the ATSC 3.0 paradigm: The implemented and the proposed; from two-way data transfer; to civil, community safety, infrastructure and mobile applications. You also receive an update on buildout and audience reach around the globe and domestically.

Upcoming Certification Exams

Exam Dates	Location	Application Deadline
August 1-11, 2025	Local Chapters	June 14, 2025
November 7-17, 2025	Local Chapters	September 4, 2025

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This Month's Program

If there are no reception issues at the restaurant, the presentation this month will be a comparison of off-air signals from an ATSC 3.0 and ATSC 1.0 TV stations.

SBE Chapter 80 is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: SBE Chapter 80 May Zoom Meeting

Time: May 20, 2025 12:00 PM Central Time (US and Canada)

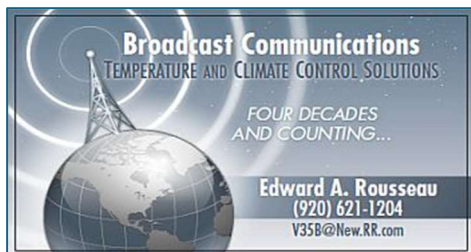
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