



Eastern New York Chapter
of the
**ASSOCIATION FOR
BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION AND DESIGN, Inc.**

SEPTEMBER DINNER MEETING

Date/Time: **Thursday, September 24, 2009**
6:00 pm Registration (Cash Bar)
6:45 pm Dinner
7:45 pm Program

Location: **Italian American Community Center**
257 Washington Avenue Extension, Albany, NY

Topic/Speaker: **Walkway over the Hudson: Challenges & Resolutions**
Louis Hutter, PE, Project Engineer, Bergmann Associates

Mr Hutter will be presenting some of the many challenges that were addressed during the fast track conversion of the ASCE National Historic Landmark Poughkeepsie-Highland Railroad Bridge into a multi-modal state park and the world's longest pedestrian/bicycle bridge. The project required a team effort between the designer, fabricator, general contractor, owner and numerous public and private funding organizations. A sampling of the challenges encountered will be covered during the presentation. Walkway Over the Hudson will have its Grand Opening for the bridge on October 3, 2009, followed by the ASCE Landmark Ceremony on October 17, 2009.

This program will provide 1.0 PDH for those requesting it.

Dinner Choices: **New York Sirloin**
Chicken Parmigiana

PLEASE INDICATE YOUR CHOICE OF ENTRÉE WITH YOUR RESERVATION

Cost (per person)	<u>Regular</u>	<u>w/ 1.0 PDH Credit</u>
Members:	\$ 33	\$ 38
Non-Members:	\$ 38	\$ 43
Students:	\$ 20	

Reservations: Please make your reservations by mail, e-mail, fax, or telephone on or before **Friday, September 18, 2009** to **Eastern NY ABCD** at the address below:

You may now pay by credit card. To do so, send an e-mail to mark.olstad@aecom.com with the names, dinner choices and PDH requirements of the attendees. You will receive an electronic invoice through PayPal that will guide you on how to pay by credit card.

Name(s): _____ Organization: _____
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