

EMERGING LEADERS ALLIANCE

Cross-Disciplinary Leadership Training

The Emerging Leaders Alliance is a partnership among leading engineering, research and science-based organizations that provides high quality leadership training. Our mission is to provide an interdisciplinary **annual conference** for young professionals, promoting the development of great leaders to guide our professions in addressing the needs of people in the 21st century.

SME would like to recognize the seven young professionals selected to represent our society at the 2012 Emerging Leaders Alliance training in Reston, Virginia on September 11-13, 2012. The attendees are:

Susan Moore, Research Engineer for NIOSH

Stephen Ball, Underground Project Manager, Patagonia Gold S.A.

Matthew Twichell, Mining Engineer, AMFIRE MINING CO LLC

Ebrahim Karimi Tarshiz, University of Nevada, Reno

Samuel Tachie-Menson, Chief Mine Engineer, Freeport-McMoRan Copper and Gold Inc

Solomon Owusu, New Mexico Inst of Mining and Tech

Heather Dougherty, Senior Mine Engineer, NIOSH

Session topics will include Social Styles, Emotional Intelligence, Personal Vision, Enhancing Presentation Skills, Global and Virtual Team Leadership, Change Management, How to Lead as a Volunteer, Making the Transition from Technical to Management, Leading Innovation and Being a Great Leader.

Presenters for the Sessions are: Bob Heavers, Janet Ferri-Reed, Rahul Dogra, Ian Sadler, Marcia Hughes and Jeffrey Cufaude.

For more information on the Emerging Leaders Alliance please visit

<http://emergingleadersalliance.org/leader-training/>.