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5th Annual Award for Journalism in Recognition of Architecture or Engineering Achievement

When: Thursday, May 13, 2010, 11:30 AM-1:30 PM

Where: Fort Belvoir Officers' Club



Janice L. Tuchman, Editor-in-Chief of Engineering News-Record (ENR), 2010 Winner of the Annual Award for Journalism in Recognition of Architecture or Engineering Achievement

The Board of Directors of the Northern Virginia Post of the Society of American Military Engineers (SAME) is excited to announce the selection of the winner of its **5th Annual Award for Journalism in Recognition of Architecture or Engineering Achievement**: Janice L. Tuchman, Editor-in-Chief of Engineering News Record (ENR). Be sure to mark your calendars for the Award Ceremony on Thursday, May 13, 2010.

As editor-in-chief, Ms. Tuchman directs the editorial operations of the Engineering News-Record enterprise—delivering news and analysis online, in print and in person at events. She works on strategic planning and develops new editorial products, projects and issues.

Under Tuchman's leadership, the ENR team won four prestigious Jesse H. Neal awards for its work in 2008. The awards include Best News Coverage for in-depth reporting of the alarming series of crane collapses: Best Single Article, Best Series and Best Video. In 2008, the team won a Neal for Best News Coverage for its stories on the tragic Minneapolis Bridge collapse.

In 2002 she became only the sixth woman to be elected to membership in "The Moles," a prestigious heavy-construction industry leaders organization. She has been elected a trustee of the Society for Marketing Professional Services (SMPS)

Foundation, and she serves on the Industry Advisory Committee of the Department of Civil Engineering at Columbia University. Tuchman co-authored a book on Exposed Structure in Building Design and won McGraw-Hill Corporate Achievement Awards for Information Technology and Editorial Excellence. She appears frequently at industry events, including McGraw-Hill Construction's own Global Construction Summit. This spring she was inducted into the Construction Writers Association Hall of Fame.

Tuchman earned Bachelor's and Master's degrees in Journalism from the University of Colorado in Boulder. She enjoys singing, sailing and science fiction as well as microblogging at www.twitter.com/JanTuchman.

Seating will be limited at the Fort Belvoir Officers' Club, so please RSVP as soon as possible (no later than noon on Friday, May 7 online at <http://posts.same.org/belvoir>). The cost is \$30 for SAME members, \$35 for Non-members, and \$20 for Active Duty military, Government employees, fully retired SAME members, and Young Members. Students are free.

Journalism Award Luncheon Committee Members:

Richard E. Ragold, P.E., Committee Chair; Aimee Alix, James Donahue, William Kilpatrick, Douglas Lehmann, Michael Callahan, Nancy Vallely, Robert Bevins, Chuck Reynolds, Jeannine Nelson, Donna Vereb, Frankie Muniz, and Connie Myers



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-The Charter of the Society of American Military Engineers, Northern Virginia Post, founded in 1948