**WELCOME** to the **TWENTY-THIRD TRANSDUCER WORKSHOP Buffalo, New York** JUNE 17 - 18, 2008

Sponsored by Vehicular Instrumentation/ Transducer Committee of the Range Commanders Council Telemetry Group

### Welcome to the 23rd Transducer Workshop

- Sponsored by:
  - The Vehicular Instrumentation / Transducer Committee (VI/T), Telemetry Group (TG) of the Range Commanders' Council (RCC) –
  - Ray Faulstich, VI/T Committee chairman
- Host:
  - Mr. Jim Lally, co-founder, PCB Piezotronics, Inc. and Chairman, PCB Group, Inc. – Arrangements by Julie Kuoda and Molly Bakewell, PCB Piezotronics
- General Chairman:
  - Lorin Klein, Air Armament Center, Eglin AFB
- Tuesday Session Chair:
  - Mike Mando, Army Aviation Technical Test Center, Ft. Rucker, AL
- Wednesday Session Chair:
  - Robert Neufeld, Air Force Flight Test Center, Edwards Air Force Base

### **Range Commanders' Council**

- The RCC was established in the 1950's
- Common needs are identified and common solutions sought to foster interoperability
- Joint procurement opportunities
- Technical expertise and equipment exchanges are facilitated
- Advanced concepts are assessed and potential applications are identified
- Many working groups Telemetry Group (TG) has four standing committees (RF, Data Mux, Recorders/Reproducers, and VI/T)

# **RCC TG VI/T Mission**

Investigate, develop, and maintain standards and test methodology primarily for vehicular instrumentation applications. Focus areas -- data acquisition and collection, transducer applications, and calibration.

#### Membership

- Ray Faulstich NAVAIR (Pax River), Chairman
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- > Teresa Telles NAVAIR (China Lake)
- > Lorin Klein AAC (Eglin AFB)
- > Robert Neufeld AFFTC (Edwards AFB)
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- > Mike Mando AATC (Ft. Rucker)
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## **Current / Recent Tasks**

>TG-63: Data Acquisition Networks Standards Suite

- Focus on the test article network
- Aligned with iNET
- TG-89: 23<sup>rd</sup> Transducer Workshop
  - Scheduled 17 18 June 2008
  - ➢ Buffalo, NY
  - Previous Workshop proceedings posted on the RCC web site -<u>https://wsmrc2vger.wsmr.army.mil/rcc/index.htm</u>
- TG-90: Testing of Cryptographic Modernization Devices
  - Replacement for KGV-68B devices
  - Performance testing using the current device as a baseline

### **Transducer Workshop**

- Focus on practical approach to the solution of measurement problems
- Transducers and related instrumentation used in measurement engineering, T&E
- Discussion of presentations and papers presented is highly encouraged
- Attendees share knowledge and lessons learned

### **Questions or Comments?**

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