

Wisconsin System Operators (WSO) 2008 Spring Series

“Making the Connections”

Session 1—March 3-6

Session 2—March 10-13

Session 3—March 24-27

Day 1

0800—Welcome/introductions, Pat McMahan, American Transmission Company

Overview of ASM, Judy Brothers, John Pettingill and Marcel Martin, Midwest ISO

Introduction to Midwest ISO Portal

Walk-through of Portal Simulator (Part 1)

Offers and Simulation

Results and Explanation

1200—Lunch

1245—Overview ASM Dispatch Bands

Walk-through of Portal Simulator (Part 2)

Scenarios 2-3 on ASM Simulator

End of day

Day 2

0800—Plan for the day, Pat McMahan, American Transmission Company

Communications, Steve Heller, Wisconsin Public Service

1200—Lunch

**1245—Critical Infrastructure Protection: System Operator Impact, Joe DePoorter,
Madison Gas and Electric**

Switching Error Avoidance, Steve Zimmerman/Neil Hermus, Wisconsin Public Service

Exam/End of day

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Day 3

0800—Plan for the day, Pat McMahan, American Transmission Company

OJT Trainer Training, Steve Zimmerman, Wisconsin Public Service

1200—Lunch

1245—Lessons Learned

- **Western UP Event**, Steve Zimmerman/Neil Hermus, Wisconsin Public Service, and Darrel Yohnk, American Transmission Company
- **Recovery from the February 2007 Ice Storm and Ice Storm Islanding Event**, Will Behnke, Alliant Energy

Exam/End of day

Day 4

0800—Plan for the day, Pat McMahan, American Transmission Company

Black Start—Next Steps/Islanding, Tim Walkowski, American Transmission Company

1200—Lunch

1245—Island Synchronization, Mike Zahorik and Francis Esselman, American Transmission Company

Feedback form/End of day