

Virginia Nuclear Energy Summit

- 8 – 8:45 a.m.** **Registration and Breakfast**
- 8:45 - 9:00 a.m.** **Welcoming Remarks**
- Dr. Alireza Haghighat**
 Chairman, VNEC
- Mr. Don Hoffman**
 Chairman, VNECA
- 9:00 – 9:30 a.m.** **How Do We Enhance the Nuclear Industry in Virginia?**
- The Honorable Maurice Jones**
 Virginia Secretary of Commerce and Trade
- 9:40 – 10:30 a.m.** **Workforce Development: Developing Skills and Talent to Propel our State**
- 9:40 – 10:00 a.m.** What We Have and What Does Virginia Need?
- Dr. Alireza Haghighat** **Dr. Sean R. Agnew**
 Virginia Tech *University of Virginia*
- Dr. Sama Bilbao y Leon**
 Virginia Commonwealth University
- Mr. William M. Sandidge**
 Central Virginia Community College
- 10:05 – 10:30 a.m.** Recruitment and Retention - Finding and Keeping Talent in Virginia
- Mr. Matt Kellam** **Ms. Kim Bankston**
 Dominion *GE Hitachi*
- Mr. Jim Hunter** **Mr. Nat Marshall**
 International Brotherhood of *BWXT*
 Electrical Workers (IBEW) *Virginia Board of*
 Workforce Development



10:30 – 10:40 a.m. **Morning Networking Break**
Empire Room

10:40 – 11:25 a.m. **Nuclear’s Value to Virginia**

10:40 – 11:05 a.m. Research and Manufacturing

Mr. Bob Bailey
*Center for Advanced
Engineering and Research*

Mr. Joseph Miller
BWXT

Mr. Marty Parece
AREVA

Dr. Alireza Haghghat
Virginia Tech

11:10 – 11:30 a.m. Contracting to the Nuclear Navy

Mr. Rolf Ziesing
BWXT

Mr. Robert D. “Bob” Granata
Newport News

11:35 – 12:15 p.m. **Nuclear’s Role in Virginia’s Clean Energy Future**

Ms. Maria Korsnick
Nuclear Energy Institute

Mr. William L. “Bill” Murray
Dominion

12:15 – 1:15 p.m. **Networking Luncheon**
Empire Room

1:15 p.m. **Adjourn**

