



Lions Gate Chapter

**2009 RSES Canada Conference**  
**April 22-25, 2009**  
**Vancouver, BC**



67th RSES Canada Educational Conference  
Presenter Profiles

**Thursday April 23, 2009**

**9:15 AM – 11:15 AM - Dennis Morgan / Kickstart - Compressor Starting Problems**



Dennis Morgan, National Sales Manager for OEM Product, Inc. has 16 years of management experience, over 11 of those spent in the HVACR industry. Dennis promotes the Kickstart<sup>®</sup> line of hard start devices in the U.S. & Canada, managing and expanding its sales territories.

He also travels extensively to shows and conferences within the HVAC/R industry providing educational and technical training.

Dennis is a Certified Indoor Environmentalist (CIE) and has served as Executive Director for the Gulf Coast ACCA and as Vice President for the Indoor Air Quality Association.

Dennis lives in Florida and avidly enjoys boating and diving.

**12:30 PM – 2:00 PM - Jim Kitchen / Heatcraft - "Mohave" new technology hot gas defrost**



Jim Kitchen is a Global Segment Leader with Heatcraft Worldwide Refrigeration, the commercial refrigeration division of Lennox International, and has over 18 years of industry experience.

As Segment Leader he has global responsibility for the company's line of electronic control systems. Jim has engineering design experience in ice machines, beverage dispensers, large chilled water systems, condensing units, evaporators and various building management systems. He has previously held management positions in Research, Product Development and Marketing where he has launched over 20 new product lines. He also holds patents in the design of refrigeration control algorithms.

**Friday April 24, 2009**

**8:00 AM – 10:00 AM - Paul Appler / Ciplight Manufacturing - The Science of Nothing**



Paul Appler is director of research & development for Ciplight Mfg. Co., a Toronto-based manufacturer of refrigeration leak detection tools, refrigeration sealants, and other aftermarket HVAC/R products.

He is the inventor of Ciplight's Super Seal ACR; Super Seal HVACR; and Super Seal 3 Phase. Appler recently wrote and published a handbook for sealant application, "Training Manual for Super Seal" which is free from Ciplight. His latest achievements include RSES Canada Speaker of the Year award 2008, for presenting outstanding educational programs.

**10:15 AM – 12:00 PM - George Ottlyk / Nu-Calgon - System Preparation and Maintenance When Performing R410a Conversions**



George Ottlyk resides in Tacoma, Washington and been with Nu-Calgon for over 25+ years. He is the Special Accounts Manager for Nu-Calgon covering B.C, Alberta, Alaska, Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana and Hawaii, plus some Nu-Calgon corporate responsibilities.

He is a frequent presenter for RSES Canada and RSES International.

**1:00 PM – 3:00 PM - Chris Mueller / Digi-Cool Industries Ltd – Refrigerant Gauges and Recovery**



Chris Mueller is a popular presenter for RSES Chapters across Canada and currently resides in Calgary, Alberta. He is presently representing Digi-Cool Industries, Appion and Thermal Engineering

After graduating University, Chris worked for the European distributor of CPS in Germany as the technical manager. He then worked at the factory in Hialeah, Florida as the assistant to the chief engineer (designing digital thermometers, refrigerant charging scale, etc). In 1982, he immigrated into Canada and pioneered the CPS product line.

**3:15 PM – 5:15 PM – Phil Boudreau / Bitzer Canada Inc. – Two Stage Compression Systems**



Phil Boudreau has 22 years experience within the HVAC/R industry. Until May of 2008, Phil worked primarily in the wholesale business providing sales and technical support to HVAC/R contractors. Phil also spent many of these years writing refrigeration articles for trade magazines and teaching a refrigeration course for Humber College in Toronto, Ontario.

Phil now works for Bitzer Canada Inc. and is the Sales and Technical Support Manager for Ontario.

**Saturday April 25, 2009**

**8:30 AM – 12:00 PM - Garth Denison / Sporlan - Parker - “Shades of Green in 2009”**



Garth has been in the HVAC/R industry for over 46 years. In 1961 his career began with a meat packer and mechanical contractor in Toronto and soon after, he joined Carrier Canada Limited as a Service Engineer. He joined the faculty of Humber College and was responsible for the enhanced development of the new refrigeration and air conditioning lab and held the Program Coordinator position.

Garth returned to Carrier and developed Canada’s National Training and Development Centre, providing training through out the various HVAC/R disciplines to the engineers and contractor community in Canada.

In 1990 Garth joined DuPont Canada as Senior Technical Consultant, Fluoroproducts. In this position he was responsible for the education, application and service of the traditional service alternatives and long term replacement refrigerants that the HVAC/R industry will be using for decades to come.

In August of 2002 Garth retired from DuPont Canada. This retirement did not last long as he joined the Sporlan Valve Company where he is Senior Product Application Engineer, providing technical, application and training to the HVAC/R industry.

He has been extremely active throughout his career in our industry. Here is a partial list of personal accomplishments and achievements:

- Past President of RSES Canada & Honorary life member
- Past President of RSES International & Honorary life member
- RSES Speaker of the Year Award
- RSES Man of the Year Award
- Over 30 published industry related articles
- Three published HVAC/R books
- Joint holder of four patents

Holder of seven RSES Specialists categories  
Honorary Life Member of ORACCA  
Holder of four inter-provincial C of Q's  
Recipient of four HRAI's CMS top achievement awards

Developed and implemented two student achievement programs specifically for ten selected colleges across Canada. The "Partner in Education" and "Stakeholders in Education" programs each have their own Personal Excellence student award.

In June of 2004 Garth was presented with the first ever Technology Department Honorary Degree presented by the Board of Governors of Humber College Institute of Technology and Advance Learning.

**1:00 PM – 3:00 PM - Jeff French / Refrigerative Supply Ltd. – Heat Exchangers**



Jeff French has worked with suppliers of Commercial and Industrial Refrigeration Valves, Controls, and Heat Exchangers for 16 years, sizing and selecting product for engineer's specs and contractor inquiries. The first 15 years was with RCC out of their Vancouver area branch and he is now with Refrigerative Supply in their Burnaby Office. He has worked with several very experienced and knowledgeable suppliers of heat exchange equipment.