IRD Association Inc.
Meeting Agenda – Spring 2018
Hosted by CMC Steel South Carolina

Tuesday, April 24th 2018

4 p – 12:00 a	**Hospitality Room – Private Lounge**

Wednesday, April 25th 2018

8:00 a – 4:00 p	**Registration – Capital I & II Area**
7:30 a – 9:30 a	**Continental Breakfast – Atrium I**
1 p – 12:00 a	**Hospitality Room – Private Lounge**
8:00a – 11:30 a	**Operators Round Table – Capital II**
11:35 a	**No Formal Lunch**
Training Work Groups	
1:00 p -2:30 p	**Long Products Group Meeting – Capital I**
2:35 p – 4:00 p	**Rod Mill Group Meeting – Capital II**
4:05 p – 5:30 p	**Pass Design Group Meeting – Capital I & II**

Thursday April 26th 2018

7:30 a –8:45 a	**Spouse's Breakfast – Palmetto I**
9:00 a	**Bus- Next to Front Desk / Hampton Street Exit**

Technical Presentations – Capital I & II

7:30 a – 9:30 a	**Continental Breakfast – Capital I & II**
8:00 a	**CMC Steel Safety Paper** by TBD
8:30 a	**Operator Training for New Technology** by Roger Wallberg, Technical Director, AIC Industrial
9:45 a	**Morning Break**
10:00 a	**EVRAZ Rocky Mountain Steel Control System and Drive Upgrade – A Phased Approach** by John Gunter, EVRAZ RMS, Maintenance Supervisor – Electrical and Keith Fiorucci, Russala Engineering, Head of R&D
10:45 a	**Beam Rolling – Rolling & Manufacturing Fundamentals Training –** by Ed Cable, Senior Roll Designer, Nucor Yamato
12:00 – 1:30 p	**Executive Lunch – Palmetto I**

Thursday April 26th 2018 (continued)

1:30 pm	**Descaling Improvements at Charter Steel Cleveland** by Chris Speckman, Charter Steel Cleveland
2:15 pm	**Charge and Discharge Rolls in Reheat Furnace Applications** by Francesco Raeffelli, Thermocast, SPa
3:00 p	**AFTERNOON BREAK**
3:15 p	**Billet Marking and Bundle Tagging at Nucor Steel – Seattle** by Dan Gallagher, Nucor Steel – Seattle, Roll & Guide Shop Supervisor, Bill Smith, Sales Engineer and Willem Biijlsma, Controls Engineering Manager, Tebulo Automation North America
4:00 pm	**IRD Presentation on new Members Software**
4:00 p – 6:00 p	**Hospitality Room – Private Lounge**
6:00 p – 7:00p	**Networking Hour – Capital Pre-Function Area**
7:00 p – 9:00 p	**Dinner – Capital Ballroom**
9:00 p	**Presentation of Awards**
9:00 p –12:00 a	**Hospitality Room – Private Lounge**

Friday, April 27th 2018 – CMC Steel Plant Tour

7:00 a – 9:00 a	**Continental Breakfast – Rocks at Midlands**
9:00 a – 2:45 p	**Tour Transportation**
9:00 a	**Bus 1**
9:30 a	**Bus 2**
Pick up Location	**Next to Front Desk / Hampton Street Exit**
NOTE:	**CMC Plant Overview and Safety Review will be conducted upon arrival at CMC.**
11:00 a – 1:00 p	**Lunch Riverbanks Zoo and Ndoki Lodge**
1:00 p – 2:30 p	**Open Time at River Banks Zoo**
2:45 pm	**Last bus to Marriott Hotel leaves Zoo**
4:00 p – 12:00 a	**Hospitality Room – Private Lounge**