



Presentation

## **NIKOLA TESLA**

### ***The Genius Who Invented the 20th Century***

The Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) and  
Professional Engineers of Ontario (PEO) joint event

**Friday, September 21, 2007**

Islington Golf Club (<http://www.islingtongolfclub.com>)

43 Riverbank Drive, Etobicoke (Northwest of Islington & Dundas)

The entrance is **free** and includes refreshments, cocktail sandwiches and a complimentary glass of wine. **Registration is mandatory.**

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**Friends and family members are welcome**

Last year the scientific community celebrated **Nikola Tesla's** 150<sup>th</sup> birthday. As part of this celebration, PEO declared 2006 the "Year of Nikola Tesla." He is recognized as one of the world's greatest inventors and engineers of all time.

Life Magazine has named him among the 100 most famous people of the last 1000 years. The electrification of Ontario, North America and the entire world started after Tesla invented AC polyphase generators and motors. You can learn more about this remarkable electrical savant at the Tesla Memorial website <http://www.teslasociety.com/>

The presenter will be **Marc Seifer** (<http://www.marcseifer.com/>) who is the author of the book "*Wizard: The life and times of Nikola Tesla*". This leading authority on the life and work of Nikola Tesla explains how this late 19th to early 20th century innovator continues to be a source of inspiration for today's engineers.

#### **Agenda:**

- 7:00 p.m.      Networking; free refreshments and cocktail sandwiches; cash bar
- 8:00            Presentation
- 9:00            Questions and answers
- 9:30 – 11      Networking; free refreshments; One complimentary glass of wine and cash bar

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