

Aeronautical Engineering Presentation

## Building the First "Steamship" in History

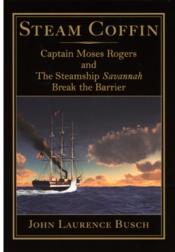


by John Laurence Busch

based upon his book

## **STEAM COFFIN** Captain Moses Rogers & The Steamship Savannah

**Break the Barrier** 



Historian and author John Laurence Busch will attempt to re-calibrate your mind before showing why the proposition of making the first crossing of the Atlantic Ocean on a "steamship" was met with a mixture of skepticism and fear. He then will show how Captain Rogers built such a revolutionary vessel, overcoming some of the same challenges faced by the first aeronauts.

- When: Wednesday, October 10, 2018, 4:45 p.m. for Brewery Tour before Dinner, 5:30 p.m. for Dinner, 6:15 p.m. for Mr. Busch's Aeronautical Engineering Presentation on Building the First "Steamship"
- Where: Abita Brewery Visitor Center and Tap Room, 166 Barbee Road, Covington, LA 70433.
- Cost: \$10 per person for AIAA members and their guests, \$15 per person for non-members, \$5 per person for students, Free for AIAA Student Members who RSVP before September 26, 2018
- RSVP: Glen Guzik at 'glen.a.guzik@nasa.gov' Larry de Quay at 'larry.dequay-1@nasa.gov'

The *Savannah* is more than a "steamship." She is the first example of globalized high technology in history.

## Praise for STEAM COFFIN:

"Busch's supremely readable account...represents the creation of a long-needed missing piece of maritime history...It may properly be termed a page-turner, and is strongly recommended." (mt) Marine Technology Magazine

"A beautifully written and engaging narrative...John Laurence Busch has made a major contribution to American maritime history with this fine book." — Naval War College Review

## Praise for the Presentation:

"The presentation was excellent! You know your subject, and everything was presented in a compelling and enthusiastic way."

— Keith Frankie American Society of Mechanical Engineers San Diego, California

"I've gotten loads of positive feedback on the content of your presentation, both from technical and entertainment standpoints."

— Andrew Lutz American Society of Mechanical Engineers Columbus, Ohio

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