

SECA WORKING GROUP CHARTER

WORKING GROUP NAME

Automation Technologies Working Group

PRIMARY AREAS OF FOCUS

Substation automation and integration
RTUs
Cyber security as it applies to automation technologies
Field WANs
Communications infrastructure
Substation HMI
Metering Interfaces
Applicable Standards
Distributed Generation
Distribution Automation
Distributed Demand Response
Microgrids
Smart Grid initiatives

OBJECTIVES AND GOALS

Automation Technologies is a “birds-of-a-feather” group which focuses on systems in the field which are integral to the operations of an EMS. Our areas of focus are typically not addressed by the main body of SECA due to their specialized nature. Therefore, our goal is to educate, investigate, and share our experiences related to the working group’s primary areas of focus.

MEETING FREQUENCY AND DURATION

Automation Technologies meets once per year for 2 hours.

COMMON WORKING GROUP MATERIALS

This Working Group will produce the following materials pursuant to the SECA Working Group Policy.

- Automation Technologies Working Group Charter
- ATWG One Year Work Plan
- ATWG Meeting Agendas
- ATWG Meeting Minutes
- Issues and Enhancements List (as applicable; currently does not exist)

OTHER WORKING GROUP MATERIALS

none