

# AUDIO engineering society, Inc. Pacific Northwest Section



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## **November 1996 Meetings**

### PNW Section LA Convention Wrap-Up

Friday, November 15, 1996 8:00 PM

Lake Washington Grillhouse and Taproom - Dining Room "D" 6161 NE 175th, Kenmore

206-486-3313

The AES Convention (Los Angeles, November 8-11) is the year's premier pro audio event. Anyone who wants to re-hash the show with others who were there, or find out what went on if you weren't there, should come to the PNW AES Section Convention Wrap-up meeting.

Smaller, unoffical get togethers to do this have proven popular, so we figured we'd make it official. Everyone who goes sees different things at the convention, so there should be plenty to talk about.

Format for our Wrap-Up: loose discussion, moderately moderated, participants sharing experiences and literature (illicit pictures?), possibly organized by subject area, possibly organized as the spirit moves us. No-host beverages, snacks and food. Attendees can bring swag, literature and other nifty things they get at the Convention.

A no-host Committee meeting dinner at 6:30 will precede the general meeting at 8 PM. Attendees are welcome to show for the dinner, but Section planning business will be the theme.

### lasys - a New Acoustical Analysis Tool

#### Tom Walker, AudioControl Industrial

Thursday, November 21, 1996 7:30 PM

Jack Straw Productions Studio 4261 Roosevelt Way N.E., Seattle

The lasys (pronounced like "I assist"), by AudioControl Industrial, is a new style, fuzzy logic, electro-acoustic analyzer which gives answers, not just data and graphs. After four years of intense development, the lasys just debuted at the AES Convention in Los Angeles. The patent pending lasys characterizes the system during an automatic setup, then recommends crossover points, shows how to set crossover levels, measures distances for delay setting, measures acoustical polarity, and displays system/driver coherence all at the push of one or two buttons. All test results relate directly to everyday audio devices, such as loudspeakers, amplifiers, crossovers, limiters, delays and equalizers, and their actual performance. It is a stand alone unit in a portable and rugged package at the price of a laptop computer.

Tom Walker is President of AudioControl Industrial, the Mountlake Terrace, WA company that also manufactures the world's most popular realtime analyzer.

#### NON-MEMBERS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND

1996-97 Officers and Committee Members