



Meeting Notice

Our next Zoom Meeting is on
Friday, March 18, 2022 at 7:30 p.m.

Presenting This Month: Andrew Ludasi

This month's speaker will be ERA member and accomplished world traveler **Andrew Ludasi**. Andrew has traveled to Europe frequently, as well as having spent three weeks in Australia in May 2012. His show will feature Melbourne, Adelaide, Sydney, museums in Tasmania, as well as more recent photos from a trip west in September 2021 as far as Mason City, Iowa.

Andrew has been a lifelong railfan since at least the age of three, asking his parents to take him to see the lighted choo-choo, and a serious rail photographer since the age of 16. He recently retired as an engineer in freight planning from NJDOT. Other than being a railfan, his number one passion is classical music.

How to Join Our Zoom Meeting

A "Zoom Login" button will be posted on www.erausa.org five days before Andrew's presentation. Sign-in starts at 7:15 p.m., and the show begins at 7:30 p.m. If you have a problem signing in, contact **Paul Grether** at grether@gmail.com or, on the night of the meeting, call, or text Paul at **404-434-0453**. Bob Newhouser is out of town and will return for the April 2022 program.

Important Announcements: President Bob Newhouser

ERA Trips Are Back! Our 2022 convention, based in San Diego from July 7-10, will be headquartered at the Best Western Plus Hacienda Hotel Old Town in San Diego's historic Old Town district. We have planned several exciting trips throughout Southern California. Visit **ERA Conventions** at www.erausa.org/conventions/2022/ for complete details, downloading a flyer, and ordering tickets online. The block of rooms at the ERA discount rate is limited, so book ASAP so as not to lose out! **If you're making hotel reservations by phone, call the following number: 619-298-4707.** There was one digit wrong in the phone number on the flyer.

ERA international tours also return in 2022 with an exciting trip to Greece, starting and ending in Athens from September 8-17 (leaving the U.S. on September 7). We will travel on high-speed railways, a narrow-gauge steam train, and a luxury tour coach. Visit **ERA International Tours** at www.erausa.org/international-tours/2022/ for complete details, downloading a flyer, and ordering tickets online. Deadline for registration and full payment is April 30th.

Save the Date! Our next Zoom meeting will be on April 8, at 7:30 p.m. Note this is the second Friday of April (the third Friday of April is both Good Friday and Passover). The program content and speaker will be announced. See www.erausa.org for further details!

If you have not yet renewed your ERA membership for 2022, please do so as soon as possible before your subscription expires! We have mailed each of you a printed form for your renewal. OR, if you prefer, renew quickly on the following pages of the ERA website:

- **2022 Membership Renewal** can be found at www.erausa.org/renew/
- **2022 Membership Cards** can be found at www.erausa.org/card/

ERA greatly appreciates your prompt membership renewals and your donations. It's our primary source of income and makes possible the monthly programming, *Bulletin* issues and the *Headlights* magazine that we all count on and enjoy!