



**Southern Division Spring Meeting
Thursday, May 7, 2015
The Madren Conference Center
Clemson, SC**

Program

**8:30 A.M.
Registration**

**9:00 A.M.
Presiding: Matt Shannon, Southern Division Chairman
Greenwood Mills**

***Opening Remarks*
Judson Boehmer, STA President
Mount Vernon Mills, Inc. - La France Division**

**9:10 A.M.
"ECONOMIC OUTLOOK"
Dr. Bruce Yandle, Professor of Economics Emeritus
Clemson University**

**9:50 A.M.
"SOUTH CAROLINA POLITICS and THE TEXTILE INDUSTRY"
Congressman Jeff Duncan, US House of Representatives
Third Congressional District of South Carolina**

**10:15 A.M.
Break**

**10:35 A.M.
"THE OPPORTUNITIES and RISKS OF SOCIAL MEDIA FOR BUSINESS"
Lisa Stryker, Communications Manager
Duke Energy**

**11:15 A.M.
"ITMA 2015 PREVIEW"
Clay Tyeryar, President
American Textile Machinery Association**

**11:45 AM
Lunch
*Season's***

**1:00 P.M.
Golf, Walker Course**