A2LA’s Rob Knake serves as the NCSLI International Mid-Atlantic Region Coordinator. Rob, in partnership with Henry Zumbrun from Morehouse Instrument Company, coordinated a one day training event that was conducted May 9, 2013 at the Morehouse Instrument Company facility located in York, Pennsylvania. This was the second offering of the course and once again was fully attend and a great success.

The instructors were Henry Zumbrun and William Lane from Morehouse Instrument Company. The topic was “Fundamentals of Force Calibration (A Hands on Approach).” Once again registration filled up quickly, however, another training event is planned for the fall so there will be another opportunity to take advantage of this local training event.

The training included the use of primary standards and various force calibration equipment. The attendees physically tested measurement and test equipment and were shown the importance of using appropriate calibration adapters and setups as well as the errors introduced by using incorrect calibration adapters and set ups. The participants left with a better understanding of proper force calibration techniques.

If you were unable to attend this time keep an eye out for the notification of the fall training session which will be posted online in the near future at www.ncsli.org. If you are interested in hosting future training events or if you have topics that you would like to see covered during an upcoming training event or if you are interested in serving as a MD Section Coordinator for NCSLI International please contact Rob Knake at rknake@a2la.org for more details.

Lastly, special thanks to Mrs. Mary Lane for providing homemade cinnamon rolls for all the attendees. We are starting to think that the registration numbers are directly related to her cooking.