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#### VOLUME 10, ISSUE 7

MARCH 2016

# March ASHRAE Meeting

March ASHRAE Tour

Monday, March 14, 2016

**Dinner / Tour Location:** Kornberg Medical Research Building (KMRB), located in the School of Medicine and Dentistry.



Time:	5 PM Dinner / 6:15 PM Tour
Cost:	\$25.00
Speaker:	Stephen Mischissin, PE

**Topic:** University of Rochester – Central Utilities Plant

Please RSVP by noon Thursday, March 10<sup>th</sup> to Tim Duprey, tim.duprey@pres-services.com.

<<< \*\*\* as this is a catered event, we need to minimize the last minute replies and walk-ins \*\*\* >>>

# See page 5 for more details!

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# SAVE THE DATE

ASHRAE 2015-2016 Meeting Schedule						
Date	Event	Event Theme				
Monday,	Chapter Facility Tour		Dinner @ 5:00 PM			
3/14/2016	(University of Rochester - Strong Hospital Central Plant)		Tour @ 6:15 PM			
Monday,	Retro-Commissioning Existing Buildings	(PDH Pending)	City Grill			
4/11/2016	(presented by Al Rodgers & Ron Sanger)		@ 12:00 PM			
Monday,	Annual ASHRAE Golf Outing and Picnic		9:30 AM Golf			
5/9/2016	(Ravenwood Golf Course)		4:30 - 8:00 Picnic			

Note: Dates, topics and presenters are subject to change, any updates will be posted on our website (rochester.ashraechapters.org).

	ASHRAE Region I - Chapters Regional Conference (CRC)			
Date	Event	Location		
8/18/16 - 8/20/16	<u>SAVE THE DATE</u> - The Rochester ASHRAE Chapter is hosting the Region I CRC.	Hyatt Downtown		

# **Mission Statement**

ASHRAE will advance the arts and sciences of heating, ventilation, air conditioning, refrigeration and related human factors to serve the evolving needs of the public and ASHRAE members.

Shaping Tomorrow's Built Environment Today



# **Vision Statement**

will be the global leader in the arts and sciences of heating, ventilation, air conditioning and refrigeration.
will be the foremost, authoritative, timely and responsive source of technical and educational information, standards and guidelines.

- will be the primary provider of opportunity for professional growth, recognizing and adapting to changing demographics, and embracing diversity.

# **President's March Message**

## March President's Message:

This year seems to be flying by and even though February has been a busy month for us, I take great comfort in the possibility of an early arrival for Spring. On February 5<sup>th</sup> the Rochester ASHRAE Chapter had its 59<sup>th</sup> Annual Valentine Dinner Dance at the Stratthallan. A big 'Thank-you' goes out to **Jody and Matthew McGarry** who celebrated their 23<sup>rd</sup> anniversary of their 1 year commitment for hosting this event. They did a fantastic job, as usual, and a great time was had by all. That was followed by our February 8<sup>th</sup> lunch meeting which was well attended, but sadly it was our final meeting at Mario's. I would like to thank **Mr. Robert Feduik**, Regional Software Manager with Carrier Corporation, for his presentation on <u>Build-ing Load Analysis</u>.

Our March program will be a tour of the <u>UR Strong Hospital</u> <u>Central Plant</u>. We hope to see you there and invite you to Come and enjoy *Making Connections*!

As the program year is winding down, we prepare for the BIG golf/picnic on May 9<sup>th</sup>, and we have the honor of hosting the ASHRAE Region I Chapter Regional Conference (CRC) August 18-20, 2016. Our Chapter is currently seeking sponsorships to defray the costs associated with the CRC in an effort to reduce the costs for attendees of this event. Typically 100-150 Region I ASHRAE Members along with spouses and families attend the CRC. With help from our sponsors, not only will we be able to reduce the costs for members who typically attend the CRC, but also make the registration costs attractive for other members who normally would not consider attending the CRC. Region I encompasses 15 chapters throughout **Ch** New York, New Jersey, and New England (including rep-



Christina Walter, 2015-2016 President

resentation from MA, ME, CT, VT, NH, RI, NJ and NY). If you are interested in becoming a sponsor for this event, please contact Jim Browe (jbrowe@rfpeck.com).

Continue to check out our website at <u>www.rochester.ashraechapters.org</u> for information on upcoming chapter meetings, current officer list and contact information, our current newsletter, CRC information and more! Or if Facebook is your preferred method of communication take a moment to 'like' us at www.facebook.com/#!/ashraerochester.

Christina Walter 2015-2016 President - Rochester Chapter

# Highlights from February ASHRAE Meeting



Robert Feduik, Regional Software Manager with Carrier Corporation, discusses Building Load Analysis.

# **March Meeting Info**

Arrangements have been made to have Mario's cater dinner for this event. With the assistance of Stephen Mischissin, P.E, (Director - Utilities & Energy Management at the University of Rochester), we have reserved the first floor atrium in Kornberg Medical Research Building (KMRB), located in the School of Medicine and Dentistry on Elmwood Ave. It is across the street from the plant. There is visitor parking

adjacent to the building and also at the parking garage at Elmwood and Thomas Jackson Drive.

Date:Monday, March 14, 2016Location:Kornberg Medical Research Building(KMRB), located in the School of Medicine and Dentistry

Time:5:00 PM Dinner Buffet catered byMario's Italian Restaurant ... Presentation to start approx. 5:30pm

**Cost:** \$25.00

Speaker: Stephen Mischissin : Strong Hospital / University of Rochester



Topic: Refrigeration Tour : Chiller Plant - Strong Hospital

<<< \*\*\* as this is a catered event, we need to minimize the last minute replies and walk-ins \*\*\* >>>

Remember, as an option, we have on-line payments available via PayPal.

<< Pay for Meeting Registration online via PayPal >> (no PayPal account required) Use the following link: http://rochester.ashraechapters.org/meetings.html Cash or check payment is still accepted at the door <u>with your reservation</u>. Please let me know if you're

even possibly going to be there!

# **Job Postings & Help Wanted**



This section of the newsletter is reserved for those firms wishing to advertise their desires to hire from the Chapters Membership.

If you are interested in utilizing this FREE service provided by the Rochester Chapter, please contact our Chapter President, Christina Walter 585-486-2148 or by email cmwalter@trane.com.

This service is available to ASHRAE members for any local firm in our industry looking for knowledgeable persons in the HVAC&R industry.

Presidential Award Of Excellence				
	Chapter: ROCHESTER Fiscal Year: 2015-2016			
Download Achievements Report				
Chapter Operations	Par: 1000	Min Points: 400	Total Points: 400	
Chapter Technology Transfer	Par: 1050	Min Points: 450	Total Points: 400	
Grassroots Government Advocacy	Par: 650	Min Points: 500	Total Points: 0	
<ul> <li>Historical Criteria</li> </ul>	Par: 300	Min Points: 100	Total Points: 100	
Membership Promotion	Par: 800	Min Points: 500	Total Points: 710	
► RP	Par: 1050	Min Points: 800	Total Points: 335	
Student Activities	Par: 500	Min Points: 300	Total Points: 0	

# Like us on Facebook!



Visit our new Facebook page by searching for "ASHARE Rochester" on Facebook. Any ideas for additions or improvements email to Mark Kukla at mark@airsystemsbalancing.com. Keep up to date with current events and photos from recent meetings.



February 5, 2016

# 59th Annual Valentine Dinner Dance

The New Rooftop at The Strathallan Hotel 550 East Avenue Rochester, New York 14607

# We would like to thank our corporate sponsors GOLD LEVEL:

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# **Rochester Chapter**

# **Committee Chairs Updates**

# Young Engineers in ASHRAE



# APRIL 6<sup>TH</sup> 2016 YEA TECH SESSIONS

# **Airside Fundamentals**

A great course to review the basics of airside design. Topics covered include fans, coils, duct design, controls, psychrometry, and more. Course is open to all ASHRAE members, primarily catered to engineers and contractors. Presented by Pat Whelan and Gannon Dubay of Trane Commercial Systems. AIRSIDE FUNDAMENTALS

WEDNESDAY APRIL 6<sup>TH</sup> FROM 6-9PM

LOCATION: TRANE 75 TOWN CENTRE DRIVE ROCHESTER, NY 14623

RSVP BY EMAIL: MKREMERS@MCSMMS.COM

THE COURSE IS FREE OF CHARGE. FOOD AND BEVERAGE PROVIDED.

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Contact: Matt Kremers

mkremers@mcsmms.com



# Young Engineers in ASHRAE, continued



## YEA Tech Sessions- Hydronic System Basics February 3<sup>rd</sup>

Thank you to Branden Farnsworth-Weinblatt of PDG for volunteering his time to prepare the course and present for us. The turnout was fantastic. We had so much response that we had to relocate to a larger facility. Twenty Four young engineers and contractors attended the training, with many new faces! Keep an eye out for the advertisement of our next session, Airside Fundamentals on April 6<sup>th</sup>.

# CTTC / Program

The deadline for Chapter level ASHRAE Technology Awards is fast approaching. ASHRAE Technology Awards recognize outstanding achievements by members who have successfully applied innovative building design in the areas of occupant comfort, indoor air quality and energy conservation.

Awards are presented in six categories for new and existing facilities and are judged on the merits of Energy Efficiency, IAQ and Thermal Comfort, Innovation, Operation and Maintenance, Cost Effectiveness, Environmental Impact and Quality of Presentation.

Chapter level award applications require only a one page application, a schematic and a short narrative. First place winners in each of the six categories at the chapter level will be submitted for judging in the regional awards competition.

Awards are intended for built projects and as such must have been occupied prior to September 1st, 2015 to be eligible.

The following link includes additional details about the awards program:

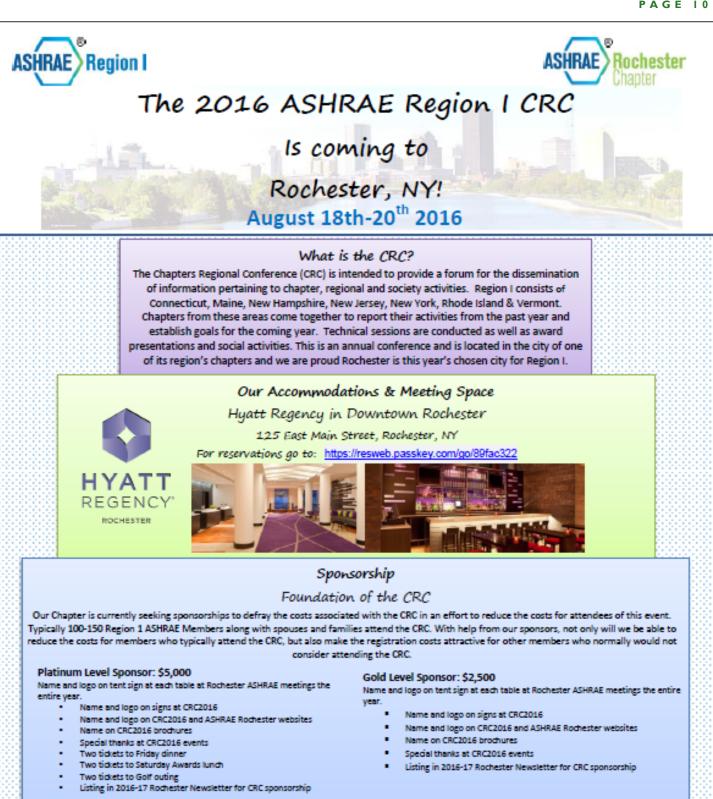
## https://www.ashrae.org/membership--conferences/honors--awards/technology-awards-program-overview

Please consider representing the Rochester Chapter of ASHRAE by submitting your project to the chapter for consideration before **April 1, 2016**.

Email **jwiedrick@bergmannpc.com** with any questions, to receive an application form, for a sample application or any other concerns.

# **Research Promotion**

The winner from the February meeting was Ben Curwin from VP Supply, who also donated his \$47 winnings back to ASHRAE!



#### Silver Level Sponsor: \$1000

- Name on tent sign at each table at Rochester ASHRAE meetings the entire year. (No logo)
- Name on signs at CRC2016 (No logo)
- Name on CRC2016 and ASHRAE Rochester websites (No logo)
- Name on CRC2016 brochures
- Listing in 2016-17 Rochester newsletter for CRC sponsorship
- Special thanks at awards lunch only

#### Bronze Sponsor: Min \$500

- List in Newsletter and webpage.
- Name on CRC 2016 ASHRAE Rochester websites (No logo )

Donations may be made by credit card through the 2016 CRC

Sponsorhip Page or by contacting Jim Browe (jbrowe@rfpeck.com)

or Paul Kenna (pkenna@nrg-concepts.com)

# **Board of Governors Meeting Minutes**



Rochester Chapter - ASHRAE Board of Governors Meeting February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2016 7:30 AM

Location: Trane, 75 Town Centre Dr. Rochester, NY 14623

#### AGENDA

President / CRC Delegate	Christina Walter	х
President Elect / Program/ CRC Alternate	Jeff Close	х
Secretary	Bill Clark	х
Treasurer	Paul Kenna	
Immediate Past President	Ed Burns	
Board of Gov. (1)	Steve Dear	
Board of Gov. (1)	Sam Scorsone	
Board of Gov. (2)	Branden Farnsworth-Weinblatt	х
Board of Gov. (2)	Tom Streber	х
Board of Gov. (3)	Mike Benedict	
Board of Gov. (3)	Scott Edwards	х
Attendance	Tim Duprey	х
Historian	Lee Loomis	
Membership Promotion	Jake Hall	х
Newsletter Editor	Scott Edwards	х
Resource Promotion	Matt Devlin	
Awards	Al Rodgers	
сттс	Jeff Wiedrick	
Education	Bill Murray	
Publicity	Mark Kukla	
Website	Kevin Wind	
YEA Chair	Matt Kremers	х
Student Activities	Chris Lukasiewicz	
Nominating (2 <sup>rd</sup> Past President)	Michelle Sommerman	
Picnic/Golf Chair	Jim Browe	х
Buyers Guide	Marianne Schumacher	х
Valentine's Dinner Dance	Jody M. McGarry	х
Chapter Tech Energy & Govt Activities	Tom Burke	
Refrigeration	Mike Nohle	

# **Board of Governors Meeting Minutes**

Roll Call: The above noted individuals were present.

Call to Order: 7:36 AM

## Meeting Minutes:

- 1. Call to Order Chris Walter
- 2. Roll Call Bill Clark Jeff Close
- 3. President Elect / Program
  - Bob Feduik from Carrier to present on Fundamentals of Building Loads on 2/8/16
  - March 3/14/16 meeting to be a tour of U of R central utilities plant starting at 5 pm, dinner location TBD.

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Paul Kenna

- April Meeting to be presented by Al Rodgers and Ron Sanger on Commissioning at the City Grill.
- 4. Approval of previous meeting's minutes
  - Motion to approve Jeff Close
  - Second Scott Edwards
- 5. Treasurer's Report 2015/2016
  - Not present report was sent before BOG meeting.
  - Paul talked with ESL about opening accounts with their bank.
    - i. We can have multiple accounts.
    - ii. No minimum balances on accounts.
    - iii. Can have 4 signers, 1 owner to rotate every 4 years.
  - Motion to change banks to ESL presented by Chris Walter
    - i. All present approved

## 6. Committee Reports

- Technology Transfer Committee Jeff Wiedrick - No Report Program/Tech Sessions Technology Transfer
- Membership Jacob Hall
  - o Currently have 249 members.
  - Jake has been contacting delinquents for renewals, list of delinquents currently at 12.

Bill Murray

Al Rodgers

- Student Activities Chris Lukasiewicz
  - o Nothing new on activities
  - 2 new student members
- Education
  - No Report
  - YEA Matt Kremers
    - o Great turnout for Hydronics class
    - o 24 people turned out, from multiple firms
    - Next course to be presented by Trane on Wednesday 4/6/16
- Awards & Recognition
  - No Report
- Resource Promotion Matt Devlin
  - Working on trap/skeet shooting outing

# **Board of Governors Meeting Minutes**

•	Refrige	ration	Mike Nohle
	0	Sam Scorsone has reached out to Mike	Nohle to help work on a program for next year
•	Grassro	ots Government Advocacy	Tom Burke
	0	No report	
•	Newsle	tter	Scott Edwards
	0	Jake Hall has offered to work on the r	nember spotlight article
•	Buyers	Guide	Marianne Schumacher
	0	Marianne has worked with Kevin Wind	to update online buyers guide
•	Attenda	ance	Tim Duprey
	0	January event was well attended with	n 72 people
	0	Currently 52 people signed up for Feb	ruary meeting
•	Historia	in	Lee Loomis
	0	Jeff to reach out to Mark Kukla to see	if he would be interested in the Historian role.
•	Publicit	у	Mark Kukla
	0	No Report	
•	Website	2	Steve Dear
	0	Website moving forward.	
•	Nomina	ting	Ed Burns
	0	Ed needs speaker/topic ideas.	
•	CRC 20	16 General Chair	Jim Browe
	0	Jim reviewed additional budget	
	0	Jim is anticipating a \$7,000 to \$12,00	0 deficit between costs and income from the event. The
		difference will be covered by sponsor	ships, we currently have \$7,500 in sponsors to date.
	0	Website for event to be completed by	Monday 2/8/16
•	Valenti	ne's Dance	Jody McGarry
	0	Expected to be about \$1,700 over buc	iget currently.
	0	Jody to look into adjusting the open b	bar.

- o 100 people have registered.
- 7. Old Business Campus
  - Log PAOE points in monthly
  - Create/Update your Biography on www.ASHRAE.org website
     CRC 2016 Rochester, August 18-20

  - Lynn Bellenger Hall of Fame award
    - i. Nomination has been accepted for Hall of Fame
      - ii. If approved ASHRAE Board of directors Lynn would be induced into the Hall of Fame at 2017 Winter meeting

#### 8. New Business

- Grass Roots community project possibilities, STEM Outreach
- · New location for meetings is being researched
- Potential Candidates for Rochester Chapter Historian
- Engineering Symposium (need 2 topics/speakers) •
- RES Gala, Saturday April 16<sup>th</sup>
- 9. Next BOG meeting: Thursday, March 10th 7:30 am at Trane.
- 10. Adjourn 8:35 am

# ASHRAE Student Membership Application

# What You'll Get With Your ASHRAE Student Membership!

#### What's "Cool" In ASHRAE

- ASHRAE promotes energy efficiency, savings and recovery
- ASHRAE reports on building controls, automation and integration
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- ASHRAE maintains standards for indoor air quality
- ASHRAE promotes solar and other alternative energy sources
- ASHRAE offers certification programs, online learning opportunities and courses and seminars at ASHRAE Conferences

## **How Can ASHRAE Help You?**

- Provide access to new technology
- Offer professional development opportunities
- Create opportunities for networking
- Offer online continuing education programs and eLearning programs

#### **Student Member Benefits**

- Access to members-only web pages
- Discounts on ASHRAE Handbooks
- Monthly ASHRAE Journal print and digital
- HVAC&R Industry and Society Connections eNewsletters
- Complimentary ASHRAE Annual and Winter Conference registration (AHR Expo, Student Program, Technical Sessions)
- Virtual online HVAC&R resume posting, job and internship searching program

## ASHRAE Student Member Opportunities

- Society and chapter-level scholarships for both undergraduate and graduate engineering students
- Discounts for student members on select publications, go to www.ashrae.org/bookstore for more information
- Student Design Competition
- Networking with local ASHRAE Chapters
- Senior Undergraduate Project Grant Program
- At the student branch level, you'll enjoy meeting other students with similar interests – if your school hasn't yet started a student branch, take charge and contact a faculty member and ask for help on getting started!

You can continue your student membership after college with the ASHRAE SmartStart Program. After you graduate, you pay \$20 for the first year, \$50 for the second and the third years before advancing to regular member dues!

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# Coming April 2016 - Making Net Zero Net Positive: Solving the Efficiency & Cost Paradox.



Save the date for the April 21, 2016 ASHRAE Webcast - Making Net Zero Net Positive: Solving the Efficiency & Cost Paradox. This webcast will feature industry experts who will define the importance of, and why we should strive for, net zero in the built environment. Viewers will be able to identify behaviors that create more effective ownership, design and construction teams, and will recognize the value of a collaborative process in building design and the impact on costs. With a strong emphasis on real-world applications, the program will also discuss the primary technical and financial challenges in achieving net zero buildings, and where this design approach can best be applied.

https://www.ashrae.org and select Memberships & Conferences, "WEBCASTS"

ASHRAE Scholarships

# **Tips for ASHRAE Scholarship Applicants**

# Make sure ...

- You meet all applicable criteria
- You read the application carefully and answer all questions completely and honestly.
- The application and all required documents are submitted or postmarked on or before the applicable deadline.
- Your application is NEAT, legible (typed or handwritten clearly), and proper English (correct grammar and spelling) is used when responding to essay questions.
- To take time to submit a brief, non-required introductory cover letter
- You are clear and thorough when stating goals and financial need.
- You contact the nearest ASHRAE chapter for an interview with the Student Activities Chair or other officer to learn more about the Society.
- You find out if your school hosts an ASHRAE student branch.
- You contact ASHRAE headquarters if you have any questions and to ensure your application has been completed and submitted properly.

More information on the scholarship and details on how to apply can be found at <u>www.ashrae.org/scholarships</u>.

Get in Gear with ASHRAE for your future with these valuable tips.

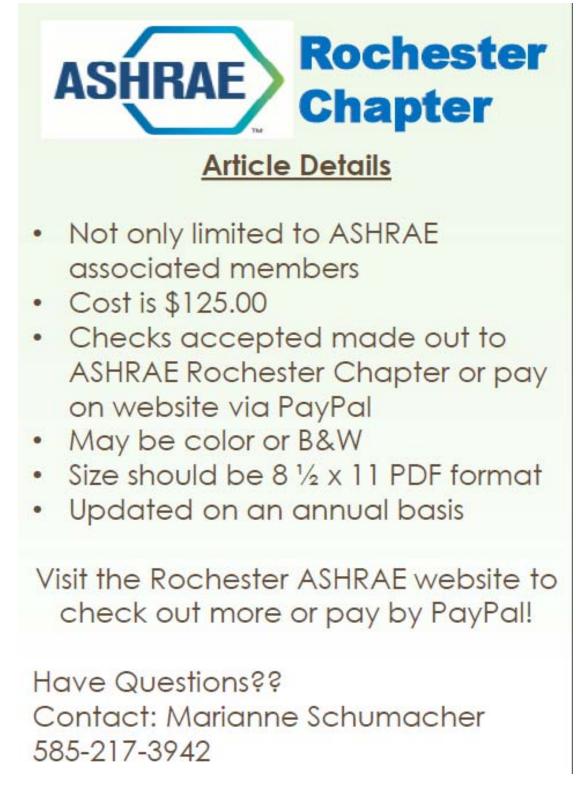
# Get Your Company into the 2016 Buyers Guide Today!

What are the benefits to being in the ASHRAE Buyers Guide??

- Publication of your business and services
- Attract new customers
- Generate visibility and awareness at ASHRAE participating events inside and outside of the industry
- Strengthen communications between, manufacturers, sales representatives, engineers who specify products and contractors who purchase / install those products



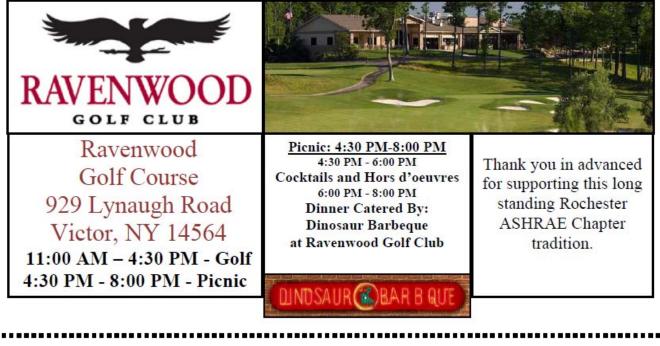






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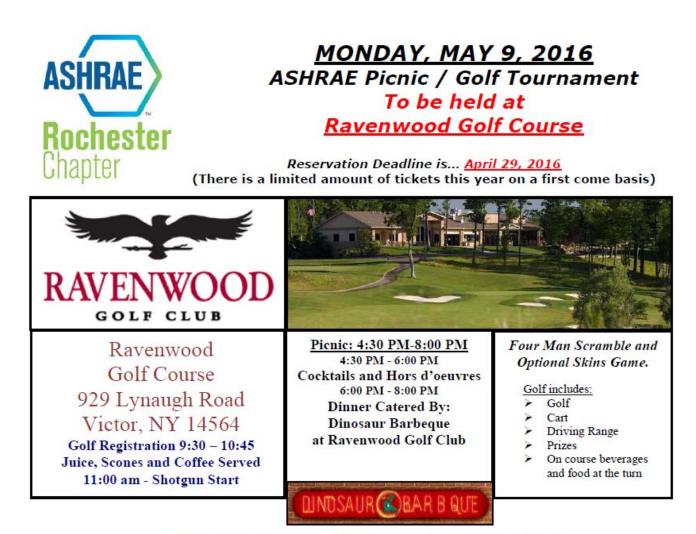
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# February Keynotes

Catch up with other volunteers about their E-Week plans on the Chapter Chat forum, new on the **ASHRAExChange**. Comment on articles, share best practices, ask questions.... It's just for ASHRAE chapter volunteers like yourself. Please make sure you login before you join the conversation.

#### 55,000 Members - Thank You!

I want to sincerely thank all the chapter and regional officers that helped us reach our 2015 goal of 55,000 members. Thanks to your hard work and perseverance, we sailed pass that goal and currently have 55,611! This is the highest number of members since 2006. But this is no time to rest on our laurels, let's continue to work hard and make 2016 the best year ASHRAE ever had! If you need any assistance, please let myself or your RVC know. We are here to support you! Again, great job! This is your achievement and you all should be very proud of the hard work you did.

Daniel Gurley ASHRAE Manager, Membership & Member Contact Center

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#### HVAC Design Training:

- 2 courses, 5 days of instruction
- Level I Essentials \$1,264 non-member / \$1,009 member
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- <u>Register</u>

#### Legislatures Convene in Six More States

Lawmakers have convened in six more States over the past two weeks. The Government Affairs Staff will be monitoring bills of importance to ASHRAE in all 50 States and Congress and will provide information as we have it. Please follow ASHRAE's Government Affairs Updates to learn more.

#### NEW in the ASHRAE Bookstore



This companion User's Manual to the 2014 edition of ASHRAE Standard 189.1 clarifies the intent and implementation of the standard by explaining the requirements and providing example applications. It is intended to help engineers, architects, and contractors understand and comply with Standard 189.1-2014 and to help code officials and others enforce the requirements of the standard. Learn More>

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Combined Heat & Power: Creating Efficiency through Design & Operations Mon, March 28, 2016 – 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm EDT

Commissioning Process & Standard 202 Wed, March 30, 2016 – 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm, EDT

IT Equipment Design Evolution & Data Center Operation Optimization Wed, April 6, 2016 – 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm, EDT

Complying with Standard 90.1-2013: HVAC/Mechanical Wed, April 13, 2016 – 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm, EDT

Laboratory Design: The Basics and Beyond Mon, April 18, 2016 – 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm, EDT

Standard 188-2015 – Successfully Managing the Risk of Legionellosis Mon, April 25, 2016 – 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm, EDT Air-to-Air Energy Recovery Applications: Best Practices Wed, April 27, 2016 – 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm, EDT

Fundamental Requirements of Standard 62.1-2013 Mon, May 2, 2016 – 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm, EDT

Variable Refrigerant Flow System Design & Applications Mon, May 16, 2016 – 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm, EST

The following courses are comprised of two parts. Registrants must attend both parts in order to receive CEU/PDH credits.

Exceeding Standard 90.1-2013 to Meet LEED® Requirements Part 1: Mon, April 11, 2016 – 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm, EDT Part 2: Wed, April 20, 2016 – 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm, EDT

Operations & Maintenance of High-Performance Buildings Part 1: Tue, May 17, 2016 – 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm, EDT Part 2: Wed, May 18, 2016 – 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm, EDT

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HVAC Design: Level II — Applications provides instruction on HVAC system design for experienced HVAC designers and those who complete the HVAC Design: Level I – Essentials training. The training provides information that allows practicing engineers and designers an opportunity to expand their exposure to HVAC systems design procedures for a better understanding of system options to save energy.

# Visit <u>www.ashrae.org/hvactraining</u> to register.

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## ASHRAE Announces Call for Papers for 2017 Winter Conference, Jan. 28–Feb. 1, Las Vegas

ATLANTA – ASHRAE has announced a call for papers for its 2017 Winter Conference in Las Vegas, Nev., Jan. 28-Feb. 1, 2017.

The conference seeks papers that address the new conference tracks and other prevailing issues in the industry.

"Today's HVAC&R profession is facing challenges unlike those from the past," Leon Shapiro, Conference chair, said. "The rapidity with which technology advances the modeling, design, equipment, systems, construction and operation of the buildings we deal with, along with the speed with which climate change is significantly altering the conditions around which we design, are creating problems for today's ASHRAE members. The conference seeks to address those problems."

The conference seeks papers on new tracks that address the changes in technology:

- The relationship between water usage and energy systems becomes more prominent as the demands of development and over use as well as climate change continue to drain resources. The **Water-Energy Nexus** track highlights research in this area. It also explores technologies and designs intended to reduce the gap between energy and water efficiency.
- The Advances in Mission Critical Design and Operation track highlights developments in mission critical facilities and the challenges of meeting increasing load demands while minimizing the impact on energy and water usage.
- Climate change will have an increasing effect on the design and operation of the built environment. The **Climate Change and Its Effects on HVAC&R Design and Technologies** track focuses on methods to increase building resiliency and facilitate climate adaptation.
- Energy Efficient Industrial Buildings and Life Safety spotlights energy efficiency in industrial buildings and how it can be achieved without compromising life safety considerations.

In addition, the conference seeks papers on Fundamentals and Applications, HVAC&R Systems and Equipment, Commercial and Industrial IAQ and Building Operation and Performance: Meeting the Modeling Expectations.

"The industry's goal is to design, build and operate buildings today that are efficient and sustainable, and that are intended to remain efficient and sustainable into the future," Shapiro said. "How do you accomplish that if tomorrow promises to be notably different than today? No sensible design decisions can be made without taking into account not only the world as it has been or is, but also the world as it will be. The 2017 ASHRAE Winter Conference attempts to bridge this design challenge through the tracks and papers and programs accepted for the program."

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ASHRAE offers two types of paper submissions:

Conference Papers: Abstracts due March 14, 2016. Upon acceptance, papers will be due July 6, 2016. These "final" papers undergo a single-blind review, are submitted as a PDF and have an eight single-spaced page maximum length.

Full Technical Papers, which are due April 18, 2016. Papers submitted for review must be both technically accurate and clearly written. These papers undergo a rigorous double-blind review and can be a maximum of 30 double-spaced pages.

To submit a Conference paper abstract or a technical paper and for more information about the conference, visit <u>www.ashrae.org/lasvegas</u>.

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## Attendance High for ASHRAE Winter Conference, AHR Expo

ATLANTA – High attendance was reported for the recent ASHRAE Winter Conference and AHR Expo, in Orlando. The 2016 ASHRAE Winter Conference, was held Jan. 23-27, with the AHR Expo held Jan. 25-27.

The Winter Conference had more than 3,000 attendees. Attendance this year was higher than the past eight Winter Conferences, except Las Vegas 2011. Attendees came from 67 countries. The 2016 AHR Expo, co-sponsored by ASHRAE, set a record by being the first show outside of Chicago to break 400,000 square feet of exhibitor space. The Expo featured 2,063 exhibitors, including 561 deemed international. The total attendance for visitors was 42,672, with total attendance of visitors and exhibitors at 60,926.

Best sellers at the ASHRAE Bookstores included the Pocket Guide I-P; "HVAC Design Manual for Hospitals and Clinics," 2<sup>nd</sup> edition; "Cold-Climate Buildings Design Guide;" Guideline 0-2013, *The Commissioning Process*; Standard 188-2015, *Legionellosis: Risk Management for Building Water Systems*; "HVAC Simplified;" and the "Design Guide for Tall, Super tall, and Megatall Building Systems."

The Conference's Technical Program ranked high in attendance, with new tracks focused on design-build practices and residential systems. Individual top-attended sessions in the technical program were related to Cooling with the Sun: Solar Thermal Cooling; Energy Submetering Fundamentals: Benchmarking, Baselining and Beyond!; The Impacts of Operable Windows on Building Performance; Highlights from the 24th IIR International Congress of Refrigeration; The Internet of Everything: How Smart and Connected Sensors Will Transform the HVAC Service Industry; HVAC Pumps: New ECM Motor and Control Technologies; Indoor Air Quality and Energy Efficiency: Measurement and Analysis of Multiple Approaches; Back to Basics: The Science, Application and Art of Load Calculations; Integrating Cutting-Edge Technology: Renewable Energy and Thermal Energy Storage; and Hydronic Systems: Doing More with Less.

Also offered were a combined 20 Professional Development Seminars and Short Courses from ASHRAE Learning Institute. The most popular Short Course offerings were Variable Refrigerant Flow Systems; Complying with Standard 90.1: HVAC/Mechanical; and Designing High-Performance Healthcare HVAC Systems. The Professional Development Seminars that drew the highest number of registrations were Energy Modeling Best Practices & Applications; Commercial Building Energy Audits; and Commissioning Process for New & Existing Buildings.

The 2016 ASHRAE Annual Conference takes place in St. Louis, Mo., June 25-June 29, 2016. The 2017 ASHRAE Winter Conference takes place Jan. 28-Feb. 1, Las Vegas, Nev., with the AHR Expo being held Jan. 30-Feb 1.

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## New Course on Variable Refrigerant Flow Offered in ASHRAE Spring Online Courses

ATLANTA – A new course, "Variable Refrigerant Flow System Design & Application," is one of 11 offerings in ASHRAE's Spring Online Course series.

Variable refrigerant flow (VRF) systems are now being applied in a range of building types across North America. Benefits of VRF include zoning applications, variable capacity, distributed control, low operating sound, simultaneous heating and cooling, effective energy usage, quick installation, low ambient operation and low maintenance costs.

The course, which takes place May 16, provides non-manufacturer specific concepts of how to apply VRF systems to buildings. It will supplement the fundamental technology introduction presented in the 2012 ASHRAE Handbook, HVAC Systems and Equipment, offering the consulting engineers who already have a basic knowledge of VRF technology.

Eleven online professional development seminars focused on commissioning, environmental quality, energy efficiency, HVAC applications, and standards and guidelines are being offered this fall by the ASHRAE Learning Institute (ALI).

Participants can access these instructor-led courses from anywhere with an Internet connection, and earn continuing education units/professional development hours for each course completed.

All courses provide professional development through in-depth information that is timely, practical and advanced beyond a fundamental level. Online courses are offered every spring and fall.

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For pricing or to register, visit <u>www.ashrae.org/onlinecourses</u>. The courses offered this fall cover a variety of topics relevant to today's built environment, including:

## Commissioning

• Commissioning Process & Standard 202, March 30

## **Energy Efficiency**

• Energy Efficiency Combined Heat & Power: Creating Efficiency through Design & Operations, March 28

IT Equipment Design Evolution & Data Center Operation Optimization, April 6

## **HVAC Applications**

- Air-to-Air Energy Recovery Applications: Best Practices. April 27
- Laboratory Design: The Basics and Beyond, April 18
- Operation & Maintenance of High-Performance Buildings, May 17 and 18
- Variable Refrigerant Flow System Design & Applications, May 16

## **Standards & Guidelines**

- ASHRAE Standard 188-2015 Successfully Managing the Risk of Legionellosis, April 25
- Complying with Standard 90.1-2013: HVAC/Mechanical, April 13
- Exceeding Standard 90.1-2013 to Meet LEED®, April 11 and 20
- Fundamental Requirements of Standard 62.1-2013, May 2

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