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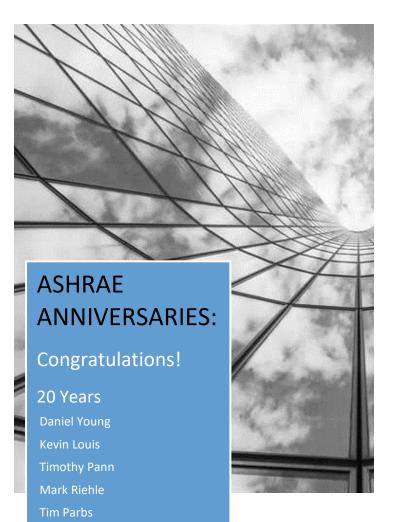
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DECEMBER 2019- FEBRUARY 2020



30 years

Rachel Rueckert

Gary J Jamrozy Elwood T Dickinson

40 years

James Steele Russell Pickhard James Manko

50 years

Robert Hanser

NEW MEMBERS:

Welcome!

Theresa Hietpas
Vishal Rana
Debra Speckman
Adam P Gagliardi
Steve Marks
Daniel Robert Tighe
Zach Tichelaar
Nicholas Craig Devroy
Roshan R Raisoni
Noah Gall Eng
James Jay Stahl, Jr
Blake Wentz
Steven L Watts
Shane M Creger

UPDATE

WHAT'S GOING ON IN YOUR LOCAL CHAPTER

ASHRAE officer and chair positions for the 2019-2020 fiscal year are coming to an end in just a couple of months. The office positions are consecutive, with vice-president becoming president etc. down the line. Congratulations to the new incoming treasurer, Megan Zak with HGA. Please find a list of the openings for the 2020-2021 fiscal year below as well as the ways to keep up with ASHRAE WI.

KEEP UP TO DATE

https://www.linkedin.com/groups/12243501/

http://ashrae-wi.org/

ashrae.wisconsin@gmail.com

OPEN POSITIONS

All of our committees are currently looking for additional members. If you are interested in getting involved please email the chapter email address ashrae.wisconsin@gmail.com with the committee you are interested in joining.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

The ASHRAE-WI chapter is always looking for volunteers. There are opportunities that fit all levels of responsibility, from participating in a STEM day to organizing local conferences. Please email ashrae.wisconsin@gmail.com if you are interested in getting involved.

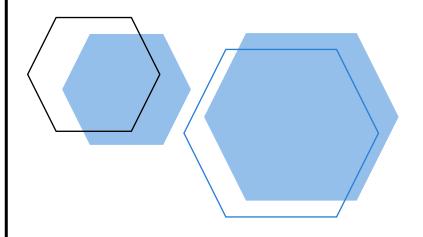




FIGURE 1: ASHRAE MEMBERS PARTICIPATING IN WISCONSIN GOVERNMENT OUTREACH DAY (LEFT TO RIGHT): CHRIS HSIEH; MARK MILLER; JEFF BOLDT; MIKE WOLF; VICTOR NINO; JASON BOATMAN; TINA BRUECKNER; PAUL RASMUSSEN

WINTER REVIEW

We had a lot of great events over the last couple of months including our monthly chapter programs, a visit to the State Capitol and January social, Special thanks to our board for making them happen.

On March 5, representatives from all four Wisconsin Chapters attended the second ASHRAE outreach day at the Wisconsin Capitol. Members hosted informational sessions where elected officials and staff from more than 30 Congress and Senate offices attended to learn more about ASHRAE and its mission. Members also scheduled some personalized visits to provide more flexibility to elected officials who were not able to attend.

The main message was centered on ASHRAE 90.1 (Energy Standard for Buildings) and the benefits of adapting energy codes to the latest edition. Other topics discussed included the working relationship developed by the City of La Crosse and its local Chapter, research activities in collaboration with University of Wisconsin-Madison, climate issues, and indoor air quality.

Members motivated the audience with a welcoming open discussion, and received feedback about legislation timelines and how to improve outreach activities in local communities.

UPCOMING EVENTS

ALL OF OUR EVENTS ARE GOING VIRTUAL AT LEAST UNTIL JULY 1ST

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic the ASHRAE Wisconsin chapter postponed the March and April chapter programs. The in person distinguished lecturer speaker series has been postponed until July 1st. Please see the ASHRAE-WI website for updates on from the chapter.

FIRST VIRTUAL MEETING- APRIL 23RD NOON-1PM

Topic: Indoor Agriculture and Controlled Environment Agriculture (CEA) applications are a rapidly growing industry with specific design considerations for facility success. We will be covering facility design considerations, thermal basics for indoor agriculture, vapor pressure deficit, and high efficiency dehumidification technologies.

Presenters: Britton Wallace, and Kevin Muldoon

Please keep your eye on the website and email for virtual meeting link



END OF 2019 RECOGNITION

THOSE THAT HAVE GONE THE EXTRA MILE FOR OUR CHAPTER, THANK YOU!

The chapter would like to recognize the entire CRC committee for their long hours in making the 2019 CRC here in Milwaukee go off without a hitch. The chapter would also like to recognize the 2019 CRC committee chair, Jason Leffingwel, for his commitment to the chapter and the CRC. The CRC was able to raise over \$6,500 for ASHRAE research and \$3,000 for the 2020 CRC in Peoria, Illinois. The 2019 CRC committee:

2019 CRC Committee Chair: Jason Leffingwell

2019 CRC Committee Members:

Shana Jones
Mike Anderson
Heather Kozlowski
Robert Feind
Ashely Henderson
Tom Gelin
Adam Wedekind
Kathleen Ellis
Joe Charmichael
Charlie Meier

COVID-19 UPDATES

NATIONAL ASHRAE COVID-19 TASKFORCE SURVEY

ASHRAE society needs your input, please fill out the survey here: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/PKD3PQX

ASHRAE COVID-19 RESOURCES

https://www.ashrae.org/news/ashraejournal/guidance-for-building-operations-during-the-covid-19-pandemic

https://www.ashrae.org/technical-resources/resources