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Iowa Stalks Monthly Newsletter - April 2021

This Month at ASHRAE Iowa

Join us for another virtual chapter meeting on Tuesday April 27th from 12-1:30 PM. David Poetting will kick off the meeting by presenting his history project. We are also honored to have ASHRAE President Chuck Gulledge give his presidential speech and Distinguished Lecturer presentation titled "Design-Build-Operate-Maintain: What Could Possibly Go Wrong?". A retroactive lunch digital gift card will be sent following the meeting to those who attend. Use the link below to register for the GoToWebinar.

Please register for Iowa Chapter Meeting on Apr 27, 2021 12:00 PM CDT at:

https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/9175683333319818256

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

| The Region VI CRC this year will be a hybrid in person and virtual event from April 27 through May 1. See more information at the link. |
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| https://www.newiashrae.org/crc-2021 |
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| Mark your calendars for May 17 when we will be holding the annual Spring Fling Golf Outing at Des Moines Golf and Country Club. |
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| Please remember to vote for the incoming cabinet position elections. The voting link was sent out in email on Tuesday 4/13. |
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President's Corner

Welcome to Spring Iowa ASHRAE members!

While the weather continues to do what it does in Iowa, I think we can agree we're moving towards warmer weather and outdoor activities. This month we have the honor of hosting a meeting with this year's Society President, Chuck Gulledge. President Gulledge will be presenting his presidential theme and his distinguished lecturer discussion on "Design-Build-Operate-Maintain. What could possibly go wrong?". Our most recent Chapter President, David Poetting, will present his chapter history project highlighting the history of local firm BBS. This will be our final chapter meeting of the year, so please consider joining us and enjoying the presentations.

At the end of the month is our annual

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event. Please consider signing up to take advantage of their virtual learning opportunities. If you have an interest in how ASHRAE committees work at a chapter or regional level, please also consider sitting in on a committee workshop to learn more about what that committee does and how you can get involved. You can find all of the details here:

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https://www.newiashrae.org/copy-of-crc-2021-1. If you choose to attend in person, Jacon Kems is looking for someone to carpool with, so please contact him to coordinate.

In May we'll be meeting in person at Des Moines Golf and Country Club for the annual Spring Fling golf event! I'm sure we're all eager to be together once again and to support the Iowa Chapter's Research Promotion (RP) campaign. If you feel inclined to help sponsor the event please contact our RP chairs Nick and Tjaden. The RP chairs will take a moment at the even to discuss how our RP dollars are spent and how your donation impact our society. We will also have a presentation from our membership promotion chairs Tim and Luke to encourage all to continue their involvement with the ASHRAE Iowa Chapter

Thank you for your continued participation and support in our Chapter and I look forward to seeing you in person in May!

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Upcoming Meetings

Mark your calendars! The chapter is working hard to put on a great set of events this year and we hope to see you there.

Iowa Chapter Future Meetings

| Month | Date | Location | Topic |
|----------|------|-------------------------------------|--|
| | 31 | Briarwood Country Club Ankeny | Fall Frolic Golf Outing |
| | 22 | Jethros - Ames, IA | Student Night + Women in Industry Panel |
| | 1 | | Super Tech with Mick Schwedler |
| | 17 | Virtual - 4pm | Happy Hour with MP and RP |
| January | 20 | Virtual - Noon | |
| February | 23 | Virtual with MN Chapter | |
| March | | | Hydronic Balancing |
| April | 27 | At Your Computer | Webinar |
| May | 17 | Des Moines Golf and Country Club | Spring Fling |

Society & Region Events

| Month | Date | Location | Topic |
|-------------------|-------|----------------------------------|------------------------|
| | 25-27 | Peoria, IL - Virtual | 2020 Region VI CRC |
| February 2021 | 9-11 | | 2021 Winter Conference |
| April-May 2021 | 29-1 | Green Bay, WI and Virtual Option | 2021 Region VI CRC |

What's New in the Iowa Chapter?

Special Hardship Notice for Membership Renewal

If you are currently experiencing hardship, especially with the currently COVID-19 pandemic, please contact our Member Services Department at members@ashrae.org. One of our Member Services Representatives will assist you in determining your hardship case and provide guidance with respect to an adequate adjustment to your dues and other member benefits

GAC UPDATES!

U.S. Congressional Outreach

This month, Iowa ASHRAE members Matt Swenka, Matt Jesson, and Joel Logan along with Society Manager of Federal Government Affairs Jeremy Pollack met with staffers from the offices of Rep. Cindy Axne and Senator Joni Ernst. The group introduced the staffers to ASHRAE, its societal impacts, and role in the industry. The group also discussed ASHRAE's recent leadership with the epidemic task force. Staffers were offered ASHRAE members technical abilities and input on any applicable legislation. Lastly staffers were provided links to ASHRAE resources and government affairs updates.

If you are interested in learning more about ASHRAE Government Affairs and receiving the newsletter, please visit https://www.ashrae.org/about/government-affairs

State Board Positions

The state of lowa has a number of boards that provide guidance and rulings on things that impact our profession. These boards include the boiler and pressure vessel board, examining boards, elevator safety, plumbing and mechanical, and several others.

We encourage you to review and apply to available board positions at https://talentbank.iowa.gov/.

ASHRAE COVID-19 Resource Page

To view ASHRAE's COVID-19 resource page, click here: https://www.ashrae.org/technical-resources/resources

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members who ordered the directory. If you would like to order additional directories they are \$10. Please contact Holly Elbert to order. If there are any questions, or you did not receive your directory please contact Holly at helbert@bbsae.com

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In light of coronavirus concerns and the impact the pandemic is having on travel, <u>ASHRAE eLearning</u>, a 100% web-based training allowing you to learn at your own pace and when convenient, can be a valuable resource. Courses can be accessed anywhere, anytime, and from any computer with an internet connection. Courses contain interactive exercises that enable you to engage and retain what you have learned. <u>Learn more</u>.

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 - Sustainability
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 - Standard 90.1: Energy Standard for Buildings
 - Standard 189.1-2011 High Performing Green Buildings
 - · Loads and Modeling

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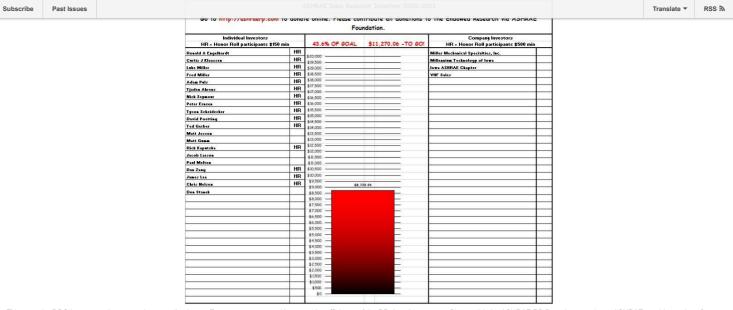
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Thank you,

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Research Promotion



This year, the BOG is encouraging you to donate online in an effort to save paper and increase the efficiency of the RP donation process. Please visit the ASHRAE RP Donation page here. ASHRAE provides options for you to determine where to place your donation. The lowa Chapter is looking to increase its endowment and would appreciate it if you would place your donation in the box available next to "Endowed Research via ASHRAE Foundation", check the box indicated that you understand that those funds are restricted for the support of ASHRAE Research, and put "lowa Chapter" in the "Existing Fund Name (If known):" box. From there it's as simple as any other online purchase with a credit card.

Don't forget that ASHRAE is a 501(c)(3) organization. Contributions are deductible as allowed by law. A receipt will be sent to the address listed above.

If you would still prefer to donate by check or have any further questions about the donation process, <u>please contact Tjaden Ahrens</u>

Thank you for your donation!

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ASHRAE Learning Opportunities



Advance your Career with ASHRAE Certifications

ASHRAE offers 7 certification programs that demonstrates a design professional's knowledge and skills in a practice area. The certifications allow you to standout to potential clients and enhance your reputation.

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Certified HVAC Designer (CHD)
High-Performance Building Design Professional (HBDP)
Building Energy Modeling Professional (BEMP)
Building Commissioning Professional (BCXP)

Healthcare Facility Design Professional (HFDP)

Building Energy Assessment Professional (BEAP)

Operations & Performance Management Professional (OPMP)

Learn more at: https://www.ashrae.org/professional-development/ashrae-certification

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