

Monthly Association Meeting

DATE/TIME

Monday, October 9, 2017
4:30 to 5:30 Board Meeting
5:30 to 6:00 Social with Cash Bar
6:00 to 6:45 Dinner
6:45 to 8:00 Business Meeting

TOPIC

Laboratory Plumbing Design Basics and Special Waste Piping Systems.

LOCATION

The Roman Bistro
2104 Ardmore Blvd
Pittsburgh, PA 15221

COST

\$30.00

RSVP

Kevin M. Morrissey: kmorrissey@mwspec.com

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President : Don Ditter

President Report for October 2017

By Donald R. Ditter, CPD, GPD

Thanks to everyone that attended last month and BIG thanks to Joe Scott for putting on a great presentation. Try to make it this month for another great presentation by Laura Simons of Charlotte Pipe.

Here are a few notes from ASPE

- **Registration is open for the 2018 Emerging Water Technology Symposium**
Previously called the International Emerging Technology Symposium, the EWTS has been renamed to better associate the event with water- and plumbing-related issues and is being held on May 15-16 in Ontario, California. ASPE is co-convening the EWTS with IAPMO, AWE, PMI, and WPC, and the organizations are taking abstracts for presentations and panel discussions. You can learn more at aspe.org/2018EWTS.
- **Apply now for the 2018 Alfred Steele Scholarship**
The Alfred Steele Scholarship is open to Student Members of ASPE and the sons/daughters of ASPE Members. To be eligible, you must have a 3.0 GPA or higher and be enrolled in, or plan to attend, an engineering program at a college or university on a full-time basis. The deadline to apply is January 31, 2018. Go to aspe.org/SteeleScholarship for more details.
- **CPD Review Class is being held November 30-December 1**
ASPE is hosting a 1.5-day class at our headquarters near O'Hare Airport in Chicago for those who are planning on taking the 2018 Certified in Plumbing Design (CPD) exam. The registration fee includes a 30-question sample exam and a copy of the updated *2017 CPD Review Manual*, and registration is open at aspe.org/cpdreviewclass.

2018 ASPE Pittsburgh Day Planner - It is that time again. Jack, Greg and I will soon start to get back into the chapter day planner preparations. As always, we will be anxiously awaiting your request for advertisements! Keep on the lookout for the request for advertisement letter.

2017 Tech Symposium - This month ASPE will hold the 2017 Tech Symposium in Montreal, Canada. ASPE has an awesome agenda planned with some great offerings for those that are attending. Our chapter will be sponsoring Steve Kormanik (J-Town) and Jerry Valenti. The two of those guys will be meeting with some ASPE folk and getting information to bring back so that we can start to plan the 2019 Symposium here in Pittsburgh.

I hope to see you all at the meeting! Here We Go Steelers, Here We Go!!!!

VP Technical : Eric Reese

I would like to thank everyone who came out for our September meeting to hear Mr. Joe Scott's presentation on Hot Water Systems Design for Legionella Mitigation and Code Compliance. I hope everyone found the presentation and subject matter as informative as I did. If anyone would like a copy of Joe's presentation please let me know and I will email you a pdf of it. I'd also like to thank Mr. Randy Stanger of DELVAL Equipment who featured Intellihot water heaters for the product specific Table Top display.

Our speaker this month will be **Laura Simons** who will give a presentation on **Laboratory Plumbing Design Basics and Special Waste Piping Systems**. Which will discuss the different types of labs, the primary goals for lab design and a comparison of available piping systems available including: chemical resistance, codes & standards, installation methods, and more.

Laura is a Field Technical Service Representative at Charlotte Pipe and Foundry. She covers the Mid-Atlantic region and calls primarily on plumbing design engineers. She has a Bachelor's Degree in Civil Engineering from Florida Atlantic University. She resides in New Jersey with her husband and two dogs. On weekends, she enjoys bicycling, motorcycling, and visiting her daughter at college.

This month's product specific Table Top display will be by Mr. Kevin Morrissey of Midwest Spec. So please consider coming out and joining us to learn about laboratory waste design, enjoying the fine food and consorting with your peers at the **Roman Bistro in Forest Hills** on Monday, October 9.

For those of you who requested a CEU Certificate on last month's sign-in sheet. You should have already received it via email from the society. If you have not received it or forgot to indicate that you wanted one, please let me know and I will make sure you receive one.

As a reminder, you can now RSVP for the meetings on our web site at

<http://www.pittsburghaspe.org/meetings--events.html>

To all our Affiliate members:

I'm still looking for product specific Monthly Table Top displays for the January, February, April & May meetings. The cost is only \$50 if you would like to show case a new product or remind us of an existing product at one of those meetings.

And finally, today at lunch time I was walking through PPG Plaza and noticed that they started erecting the skating rink and the center Christmas tree. So that can mean only one thing.....our Holiday Table Top Extravaganza is right around the corner. So please contact me at 412-209-2854 or ereese@cannondesign.com to reserve your spot.

Hope to see another good turnout at this month's meeting!

Eric Reese, CPD

2016-2018 Pittsburgh Chapter VP Technical

VP Membership : Paul McKee

The following is the membership roster as of the September 8, 2017 printout.
Our total number of members is 89 and breaks down as follows:

50 Full
26 Affiliate
5 Associate
0 Governmental
5 Special
0 Student
3 Retired

21 members have their P. E.
21 have their CPD
5 members have both.

I would like to welcome our newest Affiliate member Douglas Raabe from
Campbell Equipment.

The following members celebrate a birthday in the month of September.
Please wish them a HAPPY BIRTHDAY if you see them.

Kim Adams	October 4
Shane Brant	October 11
Chris Graham, CPD	October 18
Don Ditter, CPD	October 28
Ray Paff, CPD	October 29

ATTENTION: Again, I would like to reiterate that we are looking for new
members. If there is anyone that you feel should be a member of ASPE,
please forward their information to me and I will make sure to get a hold of
them and send them a warm invitation.

Thanks,

Paul

Secretary : Kevin M. Morrissey

We welcome your input and hope you might take the time to offer suggestions on how we can improve the newsletter.

We had a great turnout last month and hope to keep the momentum going with a strong attendance this coming Monday.

Advertisers—You will get an email from me shortly to confirm renewal for this year —- Both newsletter and website advertisers.

We have offered a special website deal this year. If you advertise in our annual day planner you can get an ad on our website for just \$100.00 for the year. This is a \$50.00 savings! Please consider an ad to get your message out and support your ASPE Chapter

Hope to see you Monday! Please RSVP via the website.

Kevin

2018 Day Planner is in the works. If you have not already contacted someone on the committee, please do so quickly as slots are going fast:

Jack Getkin, Don Ditter & Greg Torchia
2018 Yearbook Committee

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VP Education : Tom Taylor

Future City Pittsburgh Judges and Volunteers Needed

Saturday, January 20, 2018 at Carnegie Music Hall (Oakland)

The Future City Competition is a national, project-based learning experience where students in 6th, 7th, and 8th grade imagine, design and build cities of the future. Students work as a team with an educator and engineer mentor to plan cities using SimCity Software; research and write solutions to an engineering problem; build tabletop scale models with recycled materials; and present their ideas before judges at the Pittsburgh Regional Competition on Saturday, January 20, 2018 at Carnegie Music Hall in Oakland. Regional winners will represent Pittsburgh at the National Finals in Washington, DC in February.

The Pittsburgh community has supported this event for 19 years. The competition's continued growth is a testimony to the program's unique capacity to challenge students to learn and test new concepts related to engineering and city planning, to apply the mathematics and science they have already learned, to explore their imaginations about what our Cities will be like in the future, and to build an example of the result using ingenuity and their own hands. It has proven to be an excellent introduction of the engineering profession to middle school students.

This year's challenge: **The Age-Friendly City**. Teams must include two innovation solutions that allow their future city's senior citizens to be as active, independent, and engaged as they want to be.

We invite you to volunteer for this year's Pittsburgh Future City Competition. Based on past experience we anticipate that we will need more than 150 volunteers to fill the positions of Essay Judges, Virtual City Judges, Registrars, Model Movers, Room Manager/Timers, Score Keepers, Special Awards Judges, Presentation Judges, Exhibit Area Control Volunteers, etc. Please share this with your colleagues, friends and family and in your company's/organization's newsletters.

Please visit <http://futurecity.org/region/future-city-pittsburgh-volunteer-opportunities> to learn more and register. If you have judged/volunteered last year, you can simply re-activate your account.

Please contact me at kosickl@carnegiesciencecenter.org or 412.237.1534 with any questions.

Thanks.

Lisa

Lisa M. Kosick

Director, Covestro Pittsburgh Regional Science & Engineering Fair,
Coordinator, Chain Reaction Contraption Contest and
Future City Competition

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**Carnegie Science Center
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December Tabletop

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December 11, 2017



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The board is pleased to announce the Pittsburgh Chapter will publish our ASPE-renowned calendar yearbook for 2018 using the day planner format we have used for past editions. We are soliciting your support by purchasing one of the very affordable advertisement options listed below. Pricing remains the same as it was for our 2017 edition as follows:

Advertisement	by 10/30/17	by 11/06/17	by 11/13/17*
Exclusive Calendar Page Ad (Limited Availability)	\$280	\$290	\$300
Friend of ASPE full page (non-calendar)	\$260	\$270	\$280
Friend of ASPE half page (non-calendar)	\$170	\$180	\$190
Friend of ASPE quarter page (non-calendar)	\$75	\$90	\$100

Advertisement Art Sizes	Width x Height
Exclusive Calendar page ad	4-1/2" x 10"
Friend of ASPE full page (non-calendar)	7-1/2" x 10"
Friend of ASPE half page (non-calendar)	7-1/2" x 5"
Friend of ASPE quarter page (non-calendar)	4" x 5"

All 2018 advertisements will be printed in full color. Please contact us if you have questions about ad sizing. Non-calendar page ads will appear as they have in the past editions.

Please prepare your ad the way you would like to see it printed. All artwork should be new and of a size needed to fill your desired ad space (see above). In order to give the yearbook a fresh look, we ask you not to use your ad from previous years. Electronic art work submissions are preferred and most programs are supported by the printer (PDF files work the best). You may opt to send us the artwork burned on to a CD or via email. If you submit your art on a CD, please also email a PDF file of your artwork for use in assembling the calendar. Please contact us with questions regarding submission of art, advertising costs, etc. Our contact information appears below.

Jack Getkin, Don Ditter & Greg Torchia

2018 Yearbook Committee

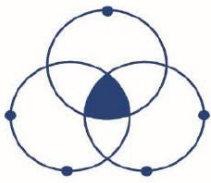
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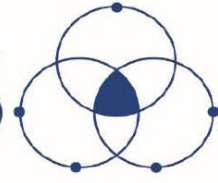
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