

TRIANGLE ASHRAE

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

[JANUARY UPDATES – KIRBY LEE](#)

We are having another great year so far with a lot of activity in all aspects of our chapter. The feedback so far from our membership we have received has been overwhelmingly positive and this is not possible without our hardworking volunteer board. Our chapter works hard to make sure we have events that cater to all different levels of interest for our membership. Thank you to all our members and our board of governors team for all the support. Check the website for a strong mix of events in the 2nd half of the year! As always if there is anything we can do to service our members better reach out to any of our team with feedback.

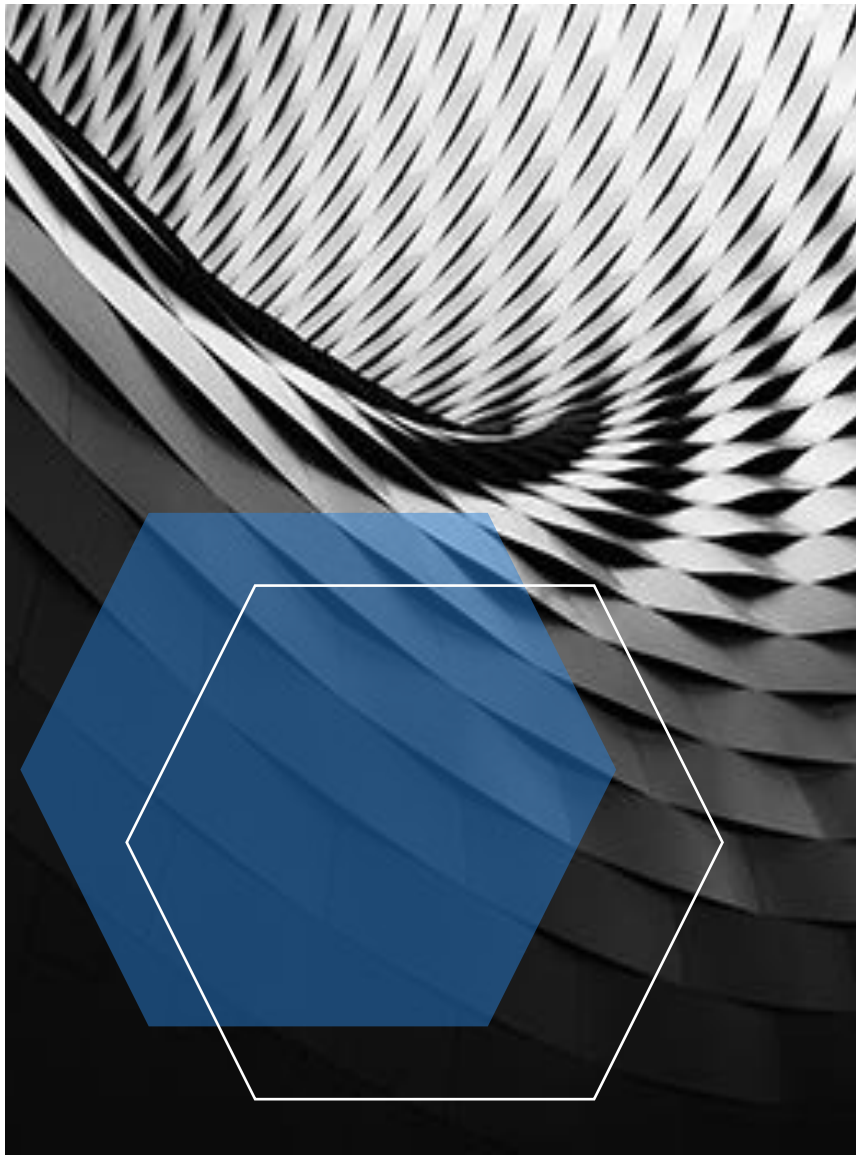


CHAPTER OPERATIONS

JANUARY UPDATES – KIRBY LEE

Employer Recognition / Dialogue Event - Our team is still looking for companies to have an employer recognition and appreciation event in the 2nd half of the year. This event has more of a focus specifically to find out how ASHRAE and our Triangle Chapter can work to better serve our community and membership. If there is any company interested in hosting this type of event please reach out to me and we will be glad to set something up.

Sustainability Event - March 2020 - Our next sustainability event will be held at Marbles Museum in the spring. This is our 3rd year supporting Marbles doing interior renovation work at the facility. Be on the lookout for website for description of specific event details for this year.



CHAPTER TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER

[JANUARY UPDATES – WESTON HOCKADAY](#)

We have a great lineup of presentations for all members of ASHRAE in the second half of this year. Stay tuned to the website for updates on speakers and future monthly meetings.

MEMBERSHIP PROMOTION

[JANUARY MEMBERSHIP PROMOTION UPDATES – CHRIS NORWOOD](#)

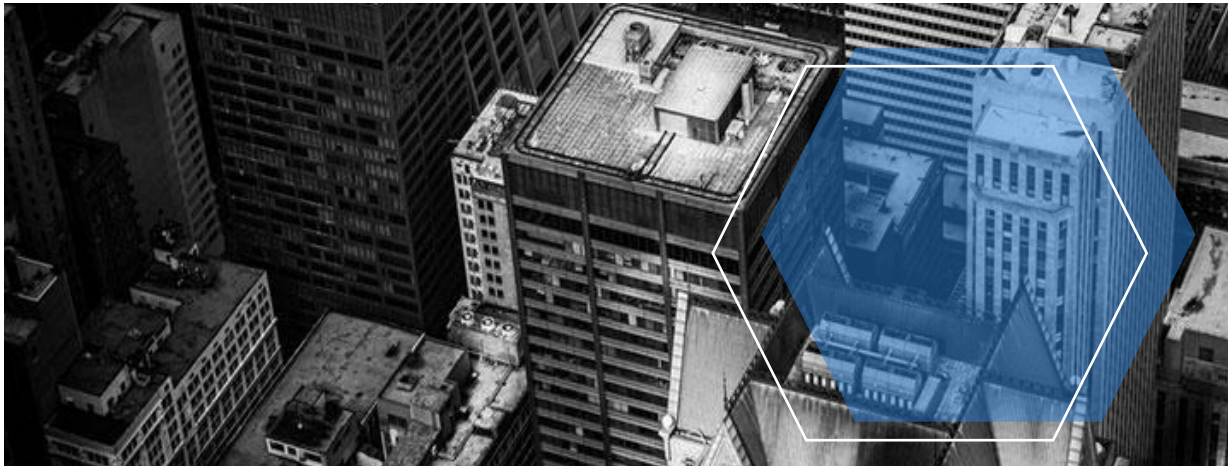
Please continue to try to bring newcomers to our meetings so they can be exposed to everything that ASHRAE is doing to support our industry. You don't have to wait for the Membership meeting to roll around. In general, membership is trending in the right direction. We have had 15 new members join this year and have only had 11 so far discontinue their membership. We also have 17 new student members so far this year so hats off to the student activities committee for keeping things going at our student branches!

STUDENT ACTIVITIES & YOUNG ENGINEERS IN ASHRAE

[JANUARY UPDATES – HARRISON KESLING / PRANAV PARKI](#)

The Student Activities Committee continues to develop the student chapters at NC State University, East Carolina University, and Wake Tech Community College.

Keep an eye out for the YEA/Student Activities Bowling coming on February 28th.



COMMUNICATIONS CHAIR

JANUARY UPDATES – ED DAVIS

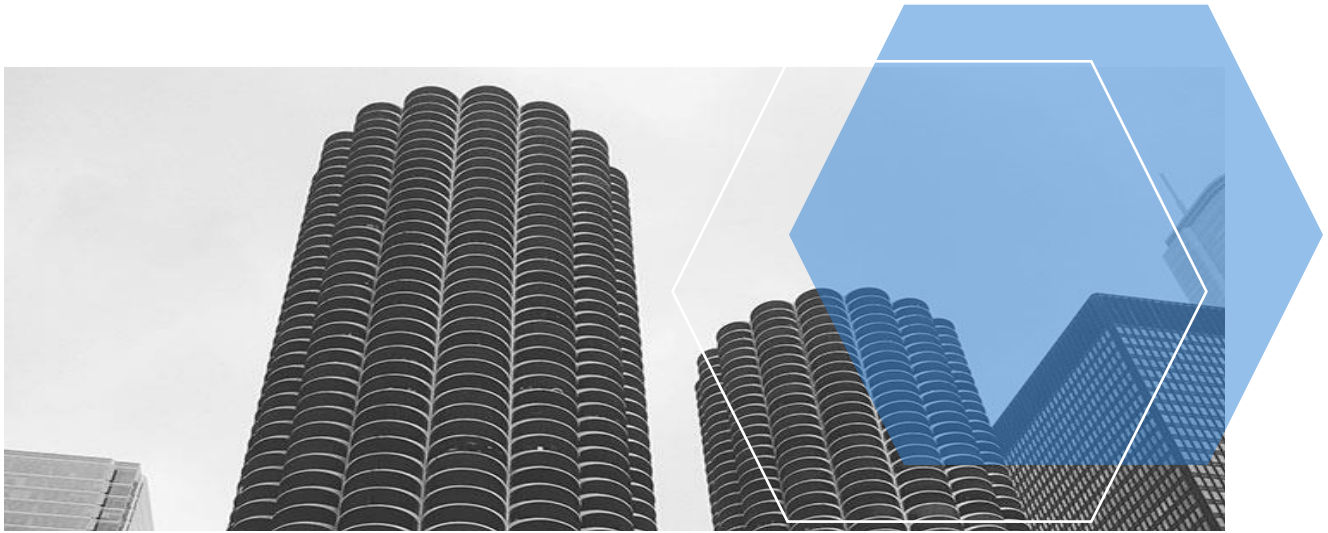
Electronic Communications Committee

A. Social Networking: Pictures of the events that happened last month have been posted on our Facebook page: See the volunteers help out a local high school as they build a walk bridge on a running trail. Plus more fun during a social at Triangle Wine, and a Back-House tour of Fortnight Brewing. Finally, we really packed The Drive Shack during our Fall Golf Event and fund raiser. All are in new Facebook photo albums.

B. November's Presentation was on "*Risk Management for Healthcare Water Systems*". A complex and very topical subject. Note that the detailed slides used during the presentation are now available as PDFs for download from our website's Event Page.

C. Chapter Archives: The chapter has collected a substantial amount of historic records. Photos, video and text interviews, descriptions of past firms that had supported the chapter, and so on. Most have been digitized by the EEC committee so they can be stored safely and accessed easily. However, there are other records still to be digitized, and the entire set needs to be organized and put on the Internet so anyone could access them. Some of this information is QUITE interesting. Like an interview back in 1997 with the 1956 chapter president Bob Gorrell or a history of the NCSU power plant written back in 1990.

1) CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS: please contact the Chapter Historian Jimmy Leonida jimmyl@jmpco.com to volunteer to help digitize and/or organize these records.



LINKS TO ASHRAE RESOURCES / PRODUCTS / PROGRAMS

How to Join ASHRAE (please select to pay chapter dues!): <https://www.ashrae.org/join>

NC State / East Carolina / Wake Tech Student Pages: <https://triangleashrae.com/Committee-SA>

ASHRAE Certification Program: <https://www.ashrae.org/professional-development/ashrae-certification>

ASHRAE Bookstore: <https://www.ashrae.org/technical-resources>

ASHRAE Building Energy Quotient Program (BEQ): <https://www.ashrae.org/technical-resources/building-eq>

ASHRAE Life Institute: <https://www.ashrae.org/professional-development>

ASHRAE Donations to Support Research Promotion & ASHRAE Foundation: <https://www.ashrae.org/about/support-ashrae>