President’s Message

May/June 2019

Although a little late, May was a busy month for ASHRAE. I wanted to thank those that attended the May meeting at Maggiano’s regarding Building Science Lessons from the Honey Bee. Chris Mathis did an excellent job addressing lessons we might learn from the 90 million years of evolution and building science embodied in the work and structures of the honey bee. There were a lot of new faces in attendance which we always like to see.

The spring golf tournament was a huge success in May as well. Thanks to Reed Coggins & Keven McCook for their hard working in organizing this event. I spoke with several people who enjoyed the day and opportunity to be out on the golf course. A special thank you to all the sponsors who made it happen (see the Research Promotions page below). These events are not easy but Reed & Keven always make it a hit.

The Past Presidents & Life Time Members luncheon was fantastic! Thanks you Samir Sheth & Robert Lontoc for your efforts in putting this together. Catching up with past presidents & life time members was truly an experience. Listening to how they ran past meetings & their accomplishments was exciting to hear.

Looking back at this past year, it’s been an absolute pleasure to be the ASHRAE president. I could not ask for a better group that has helped me achieve my goal. Every chair, co-chair and volunteer did their part in making this a successful year. They worked hard every month to bring you new and exciting events, meetings & an atmosphere to network. The upcoming year will be no different with your new Atlanta Chapter President, Parker Brunelle. Even though it’s the summer months, he has been working to plan the 2019-2020 year. Our new year (soon to come) has been blessed with a few new faces. Thanks you to those that have stepped up to be part of an exciting group. Everything we do is a volunteer effort so if you are looking to make your mark, please let us know.

As always, your feedback is important to me and it is essential in making any year successful a successful year. We want to provide exciting and beneficial meeting topics, opportunities for growth, and to support each individual requirement. I look forward to seeing you at our next meeting or chapter event. Thank you all for your dedicated support!

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Chapter Meeting

Chapter Meeting Notice
Soon To Come
ENERGY CODE WORKSHOP JULY 17TH AT ASHRAE ATLANTA

This half-day workshop presented by the Georgia Dept of Community Affairs Building Codes Department and Southface focuses on the updates to the Commercial Side of the Energy Code as well as best practices to achieve the new desired results. Have all your questions answered before the new energy code goes into effect on January 1, 2020. Lunch will be provided by ASHRAE Atlanta, and copies of the 2015 International Energy Conservation Code with Georgia State Supplements and Amendments will be available for purchase.

The Energy Code Workshops have been approved by Southface as qualifying for AIA, ICC, BPI, and HERS Continuing Education Credits. This half day workshop is worth 3 CEs.

Registration on ASHRAE Atlanta's website will not reserve your spot. Register with the DCA:

https://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/eventReg?oeidk=a07egecnhqeqc8430&oseq=&c=&ch=

For questions or additional information, contact Jim Reynolds, Georgia Department of Community Affairs, at 404-679-3104 or jim.reynolds@dca.ga.gov

Additional workshops are offered throughout Georgia from July through September with both a commercial and residential energy code focus.

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Visit https://www.dca.ga.gov/node/5691 for the most up-to-date list of workshops.

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Research Promotion

RP Page

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The 2018/19 Research Promotion Campaign is almost over! Thanks to our generous sponsors, we are on track to exceed our Chapter’s fundraising goal of $50,000! We’d like to highlight our most recent RP event: the 2019 Spring Golf Tournament.

The tournament was held on Wednesday, May 15th at River Pines Golf Club in Johns Creek. We’re excited to announce that we had a full house! 36 teams came out to enjoy a beautiful day in the sun. We had numerous on-course sponsors who provided snacks and refreshments for the 140+ players. Thanks to the players and sponsors, we raised nearly $20,000 through this event!
Thanks to Our Tournament Sponsors

Keep an eye out for announcements regarding the Fall Tournament coming in October!
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Are you missing out?

Don’t miss out on the latest ASHRAE publications! For more information, visit the Resources and Publications page: www.ashrae.org/resources--publications

**ASHRAE JOURNAL**
Most college science buildings consume a lot of energy. But, the Davis Building at the University of Findlay has a site EUI of only 64 kBtu/ft², which is significantly lower than most similar buildings that include labs with many fume hoods. This issue also features articles about when adding more fan power can be a good thing, the future of residential construction and a side-by-side comparison of VAV vs. radiant.

Learn More >

**HPB MAGAZINE**
Learn how the Federal Center South Building 1202 fosters a culture of collaboration, while the Haywood Community College Creative Arts Building welcomes artists with open, daylit spaces that maximize passive strategies to reduce energy use. The SIERR Building at McKinstry Station demonstrates that even a nearly condemned building can be transformed into a high performing, energy-efficient office.

Learn More >

**PUBLICATIONS CATALOG**
Interactive Catalog

Downloadable Catalog (PDF)

**ASHRAE TERMINOLOGY**
Explore this new free resource, a comprehensive online glossary of more than 3700 terms related to the built environment, with a focus on HVAC&R terms. Learn more at www.ashrae.org/ASHRAETerms
How Do I Join ASHRAE?

1. Visit http://www.ashraeatlanta.org/ to start the process
2. Click “Membership” on the horizontal menu bar
3. On the pull down menu, click “Join”
4. Enter your email address in the box “Verify your E-mail status”
5. A prospective member will then be directed to enter his or her email information. As a new member, your address will not be recognized, and you will be invited to “Register Now”.
6. After you complete registration, you will be directed to the Individual Information page where you can finally select “Join ASHRAE”!

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Convenient and Useful ASHRAE Links

Again this year, our use of the Internet to further embrace our goal of Modeling a Sustainable World will be continued. Please use the web sites listed below:

1. RSVP and prepay for each event through the Atlanta ASHRAE [http://www.ashraeatlanta.org/](http://www.ashraeatlanta.org/). For events where meals are served, you must at least RSVP to ensure that there will be a meal for you. We encourage you to prepay, as this will speed your way through the check-in process.
2. Pay your Chapter dues of $40 per year directly to the chapter: [http://www.ashraeatlanta.org/Membership](http://www.ashraeatlanta.org/Membership). These dues are in addition to your Society dues and help fund the Chapter’s programs and outreach.
3. Donate to ASHRAE Research Promotion. We have a fundraising goal of $44,000 this year, so please do what you can to help fund ASHRAE research. Donate here: [http://www.ashraeatlanta.org/Default.aspx?pageId=748082](http://www.ashraeatlanta.org/Default.aspx?pageId=748082)
5. Access the Product Directory online at the Atlanta ASHRAE website. Please note that this feature is in the process of being updated.
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Job Opportunities

Browse Job Postings on Our Site

Did you know employers can post job opportunities on the Atlanta Chapter website for FREE?

As the professional society that serves as the major connection through all parts of the HVAC industry, it is important to the Atlanta ASHRAE Chapter to keep all members employed. Likewise, we are happy to assist employers in posting their job opportunities.

Go to the following page on our site to browse the posted employment opportunities:

http://ashraeatlanta.org/JobOpportunities
Irvin Sierra, our Communications Chair invites you to connect with the ASHRAE Atlanta Chapter on networking social media.

(Let’s Connect)

www.linkedin.com/groups/ASHRAE-Atlanta-Chapter-2186496

www.facebook.com/ASHRAEAtlanta