



# FACILITIES manager

## President

Glenn Smith, Bryn Mawr College

## Executive Vice President

E. Lander Medlin, [lander@appa.org](mailto:lander@appa.org)

## Editor

Steve Glazner, [steve@appa.org](mailto:steve@appa.org)

## Managing Editor

Anita Dosik, [anita@appa.org](mailto:anita@appa.org)

## Design & Production

[www.touch3.com](http://www.touch3.com)

## Printing

Corporate Press, Inc.

## Editorial Office

703-542-3837

Fax: 703-542-3782

## Advertising

Gerry Van Treeck, 847-562-8633

[gvtgvt@earthlink.net](mailto:gvtgvt@earthlink.net)

[www.appa.org/facilitiesmanager](http://www.appa.org/facilitiesmanager)

*Facilities Manager* (ISSN 0882-7249) is published six times a year (January, March, May, July, September, and November). Send editorial submissions to [steve@appa.org](mailto:steve@appa.org). A portion of APPA's annual membership dues (\$53) pays for the subscription to *Facilities Manager*. Additional annual subscriptions cost \$66 for APPA members, \$120 for nonmembers. Contact the editorial office for article reprints.

Copyright © 2014 by APPA. Contents may not be reprinted or reproduced in any form without written permission. The opinions expressed are those of the authors and do not necessarily reflect the views of APPA. Editorial mention of companies or products is for informational purposes only and should not be construed as an endorsement, actual or implied, by APPA.

POSTMASTER: Send address changes to *Facilities Manager*, 1643 Prince Street, Alexandria, VA 22314-2818.

## About APPA

APPA promotes leadership in educational facilities for professionals seeking to build their careers, transform their institutions, and elevate the value and recognition of facilities in education. Founded in 1914, APPA provides members the opportunity to explore trends, issues, and best practices in educational facilities through research, publications, professional development, and credentialing. Formerly the Association of Physical Plant Administrators, APPA is the association of choice for 5,200 educational facilities professionals at more than 1,500 learning institutions throughout the United States, Canada, and abroad. For more information, visit us at [www.appa.org](http://www.appa.org).

## 2014 REX DILLOW AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING ARTICLE GOES TO RICHARD L. MCDERMOTT

### AS WE CELEBRATE APPA'S

centennial anniversary, another honor we mark is our announcement of the winner of APPA's annual Rex Dillow Award for Outstanding Article in *Facilities Manager*. This year I am pleased to share that Richard L. McDermott of the University of Texas

*Facilities Manager* within the past year.

Congratulations to Rich on his accomplishment.

\*\*\*\*\*

# HBCU

Due to several editing and proofreading errors, numerous typographical errors were published in the Membership Matters column of the May/June issue of *Facilities Manager*. The article, "How You Can Help APPA Partner With HBCUs," was written by Chris Ziolkowski of Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University and the SRAPPA rep to APPA's Membership Committee. We have posted the corrected article in our online formats at [www.appa.org/facilitiesmanager](http://www.appa.org/facilitiesmanager). We apologize to Chris and our readers for these errors. ☹

## Coming in Sept/Oct 2014

- Profile of President Randolph Hare
- Future of Academic Housing
- APPA 2014 Conference Highlights
- 2014 Thought Leaders Report, Part 1

### ALRIGHT ALREADY! Let's Stop Answering the Wrong Question about Deferred Maintenance

BY RICHARD L. MCDERMOTT



McDermott

Health Science Center, Houston, is the 2014 award recipient for his article, "Alright Already! Let's Stop Answering the Wrong Question About Deferred Maintenance."

Published in the March/April 2014 issue, Rich's article discusses the assumptions and decision-making consequences that arise from the "simple" question: "What is your deferred maintenance backlog?" Rich provides a clear and logical perspective that facilities officers can take to educate their campus administrators on what questions to ask, and how to understand the answers you provide. The article was selected by the Information and Research Committee from seven eligible articles published in the six issues of

# THE FUTURE OF SPORTS LIGHTING HAS COME TODAY.

## Discover the new generation of high-performance LED lighting technology from Ephesus.

The new generation of high-performance LED lighting technology that we created at Ephesus has become a real “game-changer” in the world of sports lighting.

In 2012, we took the arena market by storm with the introduction of the Ephesus Arena Series. It received critical acclaim for its innovative design, enlightened engineering and extraordinary lighting performance. The word spread like wildfire and Ephesus fast became a “must see” brand among arena managers throughout the United States and Canada.

The Arena Series success was proof positive that LED sports lighting had come of age and held promise for the future. That promise is being kept by Ephesus with the introduction of our new, breakthrough LED solution for stadiums and outdoor sports venues.

The new Ephesus Stadium series is a masterpiece of LED engineering innovation that far outshines all competitors. The Stadium 1000 generates an awesome 117,000 lumens, making Ephesus the single brightest light in sports lighting today... and for the foreseeable future.

LIGHTING SOLUTIONS THAT OUTSHINE ALL OTHERS.

