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IN MEMORIAM – SANTIANNA STEWART

It is with great sadness that APPA announces the passing on December 2 of Santianna Stewart, who served as APPA’s membership and outreach manager for seven years; she was 32 years old. Santianna grew up in Fayetteville, North Carolina and graduated with honors from her high school. She earned a B.S. in business administration from Fayetteville State University and recently completed her MBA from the University of Phoenix.

In her role at APPA, Santianna provided information and assistance to countless prospective and current members of APPA, its chapters, and regions. And in the same way that she touched them with her positive, uplifting, and dedicated manner, she also touched the lives of her friends, coworkers, and family. She leaves behind her parents, two brothers, many friends, and a grieving APPA staff.

Memorial donations in her honor can be made to the Lupus Foundation at www.lupus.org.

APPA’S JOB EXPRESS SERVES EMPLOYERS AND JOB SEEKERS

Whether you’re looking for a job, or posting one, APPA’s popular Web-based career development site can get the job done!

Looking for a new employment opportunity? Scan Job Express for the latest job openings to advance your career goals. Facilities management is a complex field, and educational facilities have special concerns that set them apart from commercial properties. At APPA’s Job Express, you will find professional facilities management positions currently available at colleges and universities, K-12 organizations, hospitals, public works, museums, and other agencies and organizations. Whether you are looking for a part- or full-time job, an internship, or working on your resume, Job Express will help you find what you need.

Looking for a highly qualified pool of candidates for a facilities management opening? Job Express can help you! Your ad will be posted online where it can be seen by thousands of facilities professionals who access APPA’s website. The Job Express audience consists of professional facilities managers in top executive level positions, individuals who are retiring from the military with extensive facilities and engineering experience, graduates of APPA’s Institute for Facilities Management, and members who have earned the EFP or CEFP credentialing. All ads appear in one format for one low cost and are hosted online for eight weeks. Add e-mail and website links, and applicants can reach you at the click of a button.

To find out more, go to http://www.appa.org/JobExpress.
CONGRATULATES TO THE PGMS GREEN STAR AWARD-WINNING CAMPUSES!

The Professional Grounds Management Society (PGMS) has recognized several college campuses in the Society’s 2014 Green Star Awards program. Winners were honored during the Society’s 2014 Awards Dinner held in conjunction with the School of Grounds Management & GIE+EXPO in Louisville, Kentucky, October 22-25.

The Green Star Awards program brings national recognition to grounds maintained with a high degree of excellence, complementing other national landscape award programs that recognize outstanding landscape design and construction.

**University and College Grounds Category**

**Grand Awards:**
- The George Bush Library at Texas A&M University, College Station, TX
- Northern Kentucky University, Highland Heights, KY

**Honor Awards:**
- Baylor University, Waco, TX
- The College of the Holy Cross, Worcester, MA
- Dallas Baptist University, Dallas, TX
- Mount St. Mary’s University, Emmitsburg, MD
- Olin College of Engineering, Needham, MA
- Saint Leo University, St. Leo, FL
- Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, TX
- Southern Methodist University, Dallas, TX
- Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX
- University of California Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, CA
- Vanguard University, Costa Mesa, CA
- Virginia Wesleyan College, Norfolk, VA

**Merit Awards:**
- Averett University, Danville, VA
- Concordia University, Irvine, CA

**Urban University Grounds Category**

**Grand Award:**
- George Washington University, Washington, DC

**Honor Awards:**
- Lawrence Technological University, Southfield, MI
- Savannah College of Art and Design, Savannah, GA

**Merit Awards:**
- The University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA


**EVENTS**

### APPA EVENTS

- **Jan 18-22, 2015** APPA U: Institute for Facilities Management and Leadership Academy, Tampa, FL
- **Jan 23-24, 2015** EFP and CEFP Prep Course and Exam, Tampa, FL
- **Mar 30-31, 2015** Smart and Sustainable Campuses Conference, Baltimore, MD
- **Aug 3, 2015** Emerging Professionals and Senior Facilities Officers Summit, Chicago, IL
- **Aug 4-6, 2015** APPA 2015 Conference and Exposition, Chicago, IL

### REGION/CHAPTER EVENTS

- **Feb 10-11, 2015** MIAPPA Annual Winter Conference, Mt. Pleasant, MI
- **Feb 25-27, 2015** CAPPA Technology and Leadership Conference, San Antonio, TX
- **Mar 9-15, 2015** SRAPPA Supervisor’s Toolkit, Memphis, TN
- **Mar 10-12, 2015** NCAPPA Conference, Chapel Hill, NC
- **Mar 17-18, 2015** VAPPA Conference, Lexington, VA
- **Mar 25-27, 2015** FLAPPA Conference, Tampa, FL
- **Apr 12-13, 2015** WVAPPA Conference, Flatwoods, WV
- **Apr 13-17, 2015** SRAPPA Supervisor’s Toolkit, Raleigh, NC
- **May 11-15, 2015** SRAPPA Supervisor’s Toolkit, Morehead, KY

For more information or to submit your organization’s event, visit [www.appa.org/calendar](http://www.appa.org/calendar).

### A CHANGING OF THE GUARD FOR APPA’S CERTIFICATION BOARD: DAVID CAIN’S TERM ENDS, AS PAUL WUEBOLD’S BEGINS

David Cain, Coconino Community College, recently finished his term as APPA’s Vice President for Professional Affairs, allowing for Paul Wuebold, University of Alabama, to take on the duties as APPA Board liaison to the Certification Board.

In December, Cain was honored by the Certification Board for his seven years of service, including one as Vice-Chair. “His support, dedication, and longtime devotion to the committee will be missed,” said Certification Board Chair, Tom Becker, Philadelphia University.

Wuebold participated on many of the monthly Board discussions before his formal term began in December, and “his dedication and expertise is very much appreciated and welcome” said Becker. “One of Paul’s initiatives for credentialing will be to reach out and introduce his fellow U.S. Armed Forces veterans the APPA Credentialing Program. Paul and Casey Martin have already produced an informative podcast about transitioning from the military into higher education.” (This podcast can be accessed at [http://credentialing.appa.org/](http://credentialing.appa.org/))
APPA CONGRATULATES EFP & CEFP RECIPIENTS

The following professionals have successfully completed the requirements for APPA’s CEFP and EFP credentials, from September 30–December 15, 2014. Congratulations on their personal accomplishments.

CEFP RECIPIENTS

Valerie Amo, University of Michigan/Ann Arbor
Kevin Austin, University of Chicago
Griffin Avin, East Carolina University/Health Sciences
Robert Bloom, Pennsylvania State University
John Boliver, Pennsylvania State University
Dennis Coakley, University of Vermont
Dan Costello, Washington State University
Joe Dinardo, Pennsylvania State University
Tom Ertsgaard, Pennsylvania State University
John Ferris, San Diego State University
Peter Fraccaroli, North Carolina State University
Pamela Garbini, Pennsylvania State University
Luke Gentles, University of Michigan/Ann Arbor
Andrew Gutberlet, Pennsylvania State University
Kelly Harris, Pennsylvania State University
Greg Harrow, Middlesex County Public Schools
Lyssa Holland, Pennsylvania State University
Christopher Jackman, Emory University
Jason Januszewicz, Bowling Green State University
Alan Kelley, Bates College
Robert Lawrence, Goochland County Public Schools
M. Robert Maddux, Salisbury University
Jason Moore, Pennsylvania State University
Luke Parker, Hendrix College
Denise Pearce, University of British Columbia
Ron Peters, University of Nebraska/Lincoln
Kathy Poissant, Pennsylvania State University
Karen Powell, San Mateo County Community College Dist
Jim Rohan, Pennsylvania State University
Ian Salada, Pennsylvania State University
Raymond Sowers, Pennsylvania State University
J.D. Thompson, Hendrix College
Frederick Willison, Texas Woman’s University
David Woodson, University of British Columbia

EFP RECIPIENTS

Steven Bernheisel, Arlington Public Schools
Lisa Curley, Pennsylvania State University
Amy Day, Pennsylvania State University
Timothy Dobson, New Mexico State University
John Duncan, Pennsylvania State University
William Gillmen, Pennsylvania State University
Phillip Han, University of Michigan/Ann Arbor
David Hawks, University of Michigan
Michael Jackson, Pennsylvania State University
James Jennings, Halifax County Public Schools
Kevin Lynch, Pennsylvania State University
Ryan Magyar, Pennsylvania State University
Jeremy Marshall, University of Michigan/Ann Arbor
Matthew Marshall, California State University/East Bay
Everett Mason, Pennsylvania State University
Andrew Moran, University of Michigan
Heather Nelson, University of Arkansas/Fort Smith
Terri Parker, Pennsylvania State University
John Shimmel, Pennsylvania State University
Kristin Sykes, Pennsylvania State University
Justin Wisor, Pennsylvania State University

APPA HIRES NEW DIRECTOR OF MEMBERSHIP AND OUTREACH

On January 5, Kristin Witters joined the APPA staff as director of membership and outreach. Kristin has over nine years’ experience in membership services and association management, including two years with the American Council on Education, and more recently with NACUBO, the National Association of College and University Business Officers, where she had served almost seven years as the manager of membership services. She is a graduate of Mary Washington College and James Madison University, where she received her M.Ed. in counseling psychology.

Mark your calendars to attend next year’s APPA Annual Meeting & Exposition!

APPA 2015 will be held August 4-6, in Chicago, Illinois. You won’t want to miss this exciting gathering of fellow facilities professionals and exceptional speakers!
Contact APPA’s staff for any questions regarding membership, programs, or publications via phone or e-mail.

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