

APPA 2015 Annual Meeting & Exposition

August 4-6, 2015 | Chicago, IL



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APPA 2015 is the premier event for the facilities professionals offering the ultimate networking and learning experience for facilities officers, directors, and management personnel at every level, and from around the world.

APPA 2015 will explore the latest trends, challenges, and solutions facing facilities organizations within colleges and universities, K-12 private academies, and public school systems, libraries, museums, and other institutions of learning. Enjoy over 60 conference sessions with diverse perspectives from today's leading facilities officers, campus administrators, college presidents, students, and education experts who are shaping and influencing the direction of the education and the campus facilities environment.

APPA'S 2015 HEADLINING OPENING SESSION

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Natalie Hammond
*Former Lead
Teacher of
Sandy Hook
Elementary*



Frank DeAngelis
*Principal,
Columbine HS
(Retired)*



Kristina Anderson
*Tech Survivor
& Founder,
The Koshka
Foundation
for Safe Schools*

Over the last 15 years educational settings like Sandy Hook Elementary, Columbine High School, and Virginia Tech University, have become synonymous with the term “active shooter” on campus. This August, APPA 2015’s opening session will feature three individuals (*including two survivors*) whose lives changed the day an active shooter showed up at their educational institution. All too well do we know that an active shooter situation is not just a public safety/security issue, as facilities professionals are asked more and more to interact with responders about buildings, mechanical and locking systems, personnel, and overall building management.

On December 14, 2012, **Natalie Hammond** was wounded multiple times in the shooting at Sandy Hook Elementary School in Newtown, Connecticut. Natalie Hammond has been an elementary educator for 19 years. She began her career as a classroom teacher. After sixteen years of teaching in third and fifth grade classrooms, she moved to the role of Lead Teacher coaching other teachers and completing building administration duties. In August as she has done throughout the past two years she will be part of the three-person panel to encourage increased “communication and positive partnerships” that lend themselves to preparedness and action not only in Public Safety but with Facilities. Natalie now serves as an Assistant Principal in a Connecticut elementary school and works with her 26 Angels Foundation.

Frank DeAngelis became principal of Columbine High School in the Jefferson County School District in Littleton, Colorado in 1996. Frank was the lead administrator on site on April 20, 1999 when two students entered the high school with weapons; he came in contact with one of the shooters and was able to shepherd students to safety. Frank was looked upon to lead during in the immediate aftermath of the violence that occurred in Columbine. Frank will talk about the importance of being prepared to know your building and understanding the importance of relaying information about systems in your building. He retired in June of 2014 after 35 years at Columbine High School. He is presently serving as a consultant for safety and emergency management for the Jeffco School District and continues to talk with audiences about school security. Frank is actively involved in the Frank DeAngelis Columbine High School Academic Foundation, and serves on the board for the Columbine Permanent Memorial.

Our third panelist is **Kristina Anderson**, a survivor of the 2007 Virginia Tech tragedy. As a sophomore in college at the time, Kristina was shot three times inside Norris 211, one of the most critically affected classrooms. Since then, Kristina has started the Koshka Foundation for Safe Schools, a nonprofit dedicated to improving campus safety education by incorporating the perspective of survivors and lessons learned from past experiences, to trainings. Speaking to law enforcement, educators, first responders, and the public, the Koshka Foundation shares the importance of personal preparedness, pre-planning for emergencies, and steps to prevent future violence.

APPA is honored to welcome Frank, Natalie, and Kristina to our annual meeting and community for a first time ever panel discussion where they will share their very personal stories. The design of this unique session allows for a lot of interaction between our guest speakers and you the attendee, permitting you to garner the answers to critical questions to bring back to your campus.

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Emerging Professionals Summit

Today across our campuses we are facing unprecedented challenges and uncertainties that require us to remain flexible and adapt rapidly. Traditional methodologies and ways of thinking are proving to be sluggish and woefully inadequate in dealing with this radical pace of change. Like no time before we must nourish new sources of energy and ideas. In other words, we must find, embrace, and listen to our emerging professionals. Recognizing the importance of expanding our emerging professional ranks and allowing their ideas to flourish, APPA is thrilled to announce that our Emerging Professionals Summit will be back by popular demand! The Emerging Professionals Summit will take place August 3rd at the Sheraton Chicago Hotel & Towers in Chicago, Illinois. The 2015 Summit will provide a unique opportunity for emerging professionals to network with senior leaders in the educational facilities field, hear from invited panelists on the importance of facilities management from an academic perspective, and much more! If you consider yourself to be one of our emerging professionals, this is an event you simply don't want to miss. If you are one of our "more seasoned" educational facilities professionals, you can't afford not to send your emerging professionals to this summit. Our future rests on their shoulders and the opportunities we afford them today!

Senior Facilities Officers Summit

APPA's Senior Facilities Officers Summit, now in its ninth year of programming, provides a unique opportunity to engage with leaders in the higher education facility management profession in environment built for networking and idea sharing for those who are new to this level of leadership as well as those who have been leading for some time. As APPA prepares for the next 100 years of service to the facilities professionals community, our Senior Facilities Officers Summit will explore the Impact of Student Success, Continuity vs. Succession Planning, Executive Health Wellness, and much more! This highly rated and thoughtfully constructed program is designed with input from leading facilities officers within APPA's own membership. We encourage you to register today!

Programming Just for YOU!

Your 2015 Programming Committee has worked to create a powerful slate of breakout sessions that will address the critical needs of today while providing best practices for your success tomorrow! We will be delivering sessions such as:

With over 60 offerings—there is truly something for everyone!

Future of Built Environment

Changing Landscape of Renewable Energy
Sustainability of the Physical of Aspect
Dealing with the Rising Costs of Higher Education
Staying Ahead of the Curve—What's Next in Regulatory Codes?

Disruptive Innovations & Technology

Click Here—Technology What's Next & Are You Ready?
Check Mate—Space Utilization/Management
Impact of Facilities and the Student Experience
Be Safe—Security for the Whole Campus Community

Creative Approaches to Justifying/Obtaining Resources

RSVP—Facilities Seat at the Table
Deferred Maintenance & Asset Renewal
A Little R&R: Best Practices in Recruiting & Retaining
We Are FACILITIES—Marketing Your Departments Assets

Taking Care of Business—Day-to-Day Stuff

A World of Many Hats ... The Professional Facilities Professional Juggler
The Art of Succession Planning
Put Me In Coach—Building the Best Team for Success
Invest Now—Or Pay Later... Professional Development is Your Best Investment

And much more!

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**APPA's HALL OF RESOURCES
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The APPA 2015 Annual Meeting & Exhibition will be held in Chicago, Illinois at the Sheraton Chicago Hotel & Towers. A perfect location for programming, exhibiting, and networking with colleagues while reminiscing with old friends. APPA's 2015 annual meeting and exhibition will be a fantastic event full networking—this is where you need to be!

Research has shown that nothing compares to exhibiting at a conference where you will have the ability to meet many potential clients face-to-face. Studies have also shown that exhibiting at conferences and meeting with attendees is one of the most effective ways to acquire new clients.

The APPA annual meeting attracts top decision makers in the facilities arena. If you want to do business on a college campus, your product or service should be in front of our attendees.

APPA 2015 Booth & Sponsorship Packages are designed to get you the best ROI!

10' x 10' Bronze Booth

Member: \$4,000

Non-Member: \$5,750

Package Contents—Booth Only & 3 Fully Registered Booth Personnel

10' x 10' Silver Booth

Member: \$4,500

Non-Member: \$6,250

Package—Booth Only and Ambassador Scholarship Support, Allowed 3 Fully Registered Booth Personnel

10' x 10' Gold Booth

Member: \$9,500

Non-Member: \$11,250

Package—Booth Only, Ambassador Scholarship Support and Sponsorship Recognition of ONE the following items:

APPA's Board of Directors Breakfast	Daily AV Supporter
APPA's Board of Directors Luncheon	International/VIP Reception
APPA's Committee Breakfast	Governance Breakfast
APPA's Executive Committee Reception & Dinner	Closing Breakfast
Banquet Wine	

10' x 20' Platinum Booth

Member: \$16,000

Non-Member: \$17,750

Package—Booth Only, Ambassador Scholarship Support and Sponsorship Recognition of ONE the following items:

APPA Awards Breakfast	Emerging Professionals (EP) Summit
APPA's After Party	Exhibit Hall Lunches
APPA's Bookstore	Invited Guest Speakers
APPA's Resource Center	Portfolios w/ Pens
Conference Badge Holders	Opening Breakfast
Conference WiFi	Senior Facilities Officers (SFO) Summit
Cyber Café	

10' x 20' Diamond Booth

Member: \$20,000

Non-Member: \$21,500

Package—Booth Only, Ambassador Scholarship Support and Sponsorship Recognition of ONE the following items:

APPA's Awards Reception	Guidebook App
APPA's Banquet Reception	Fun Run & Walk
APPA's Banquet & Awards	Welcome Party
APPA's Board of Directors Reception & Dinner	

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For additional ways to support APPA 2015, please contact Suzanne Healy, Director of Professional Development, at suzanne@appa.org for a personalized package plan.



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APPA is pleased to hold our 2015 Annual Conference and Exhibition at the Sheraton Chicago Hotel & Towers. Located in the heart of downtown Chicago, the Sheraton Chicago Hotel & Towers, one of the finest hotels in Chicago, is ideally situated on the Chicago River, within walking distance of Navy Pier, Magnificent Mile shopping, Millennium Park, the Loop business district, and all of the other local favorites that make Chicago a one-of-a-kind destination. APPA has secured a special conference rate of \$195 single/double occupancy for APPA 2015. Your special conference rate includes complimentary WiFi access in your guest room as well.

For reservations please call **888.627.7106** and mention APPA to receive the special conference rate.

