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For more information please contact Kelly Ostergrant, APPA's credentialing coordinator, at *kelly@appa.org*.



Save the Date

APPA/PCAPPA/ BayAPPA 2017 ANNUAL MEETING & EXPOSITION

2017 Annual Meeting and Exposition

Hilton San Francisco

July 21-23, 2017

Mark your calendar to attend our next conference and exposition. You won't want to miss this exciting gathering of fellow facilities professionals and exceptional speakers!



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APPA's Facilities Management Evaluation Program (FMEP)

The quality of an educational organization's facilities has a major impact on attracting and keeping students. But how do the many people who depend on your facilities define quality? How do your facilities meet their expectations? And how do they measure up against other campuses?



APPA's Facilities Management Evaluation Program (FMEP) helps you turn these questions into a powerful catalyst for improving how you manage your facilities. Modeled after the Baldrige National Quality Program Criteria for Performance Excellence, the FMEP criteria provide a framework for continuous improvement. This customized evaluation gives you the feedback and ac-

tions you need to transform your educational facilities program into one worthy of international recognition for quality.

The FMEP is not a cookie-cutter process. Each FMEP is customized and tailored to the specific institution for which it is conducted. The evaluation team is hand-picked so that each institution is evaluated by a select group of peers from campuses sharing similar educational, financial, and physical characteristics.

If you are interested in:

- Achieving continuous quality improvement
- Improving your understanding of facilities issues, and
- · Exceeding customer expectations
- Changing your organization's responsiveness to the demands it faces...

Consider the APPA FMEP! For more information, visit *www.appa.org/fmep/* or contact Holly Judd at *holly@appa.org*.

APPA Events

Jan 30-Feb 3, 2017 APPA's Supervisor's Toolkit, East Carolina University, *Greenville*, SC

Mar 1. 2017

APPA Drive-In Workshop, University of Texas, *Austin, TX (sponsored by ONICON)*

Mar 6-8, 2017

APPA's Supervisor's Toolkit, Saginaw Valley State University, *Saginaw Valley, Ml*

Mar 13, 2017

APPA Drive-In Workshop, George Mason University, *Fairfax, VA (sponsored by Seal Master)—VAPPA preconference*

Mar 13-17, 2017

APPA's Supervisor's Toolkit, Spelman College, *Atlanta, GA*

Mar 26-28, 2017

Smart and Sustainable Campuses Conference, University of Maryland, College Park, MD

May 22-26, 2017

APPA's Supervisor's Toolkit, Clarke County School District, Athens, GA

July 20, 2017 EP and SFO Summits, San Francisco, CA

July 21-23, 2017

APPA/PCAPPA/BayAPPA 2017 Annual Meeting & Exposition, San Francisco, CA

Regional/Chapter Events

Jul 21-23, 2017

PCAPPA 2017 Conference (joint with BayAPPA), San Francisco, CA

Sep 17-21, 2017 MAPPA 2017 Conference (joint with CAPPA), St. Louis, MO

Sep 17-21, 2017 CAPPA 2017 Conference (joint with MAPPA), St. Louis, MO

Sep 18-20, 2017 RMA 2017 Conference, Jackson, WY

Oct 25-28, 2017 SRAPPA 2017 Conference Charlotte, NC

Oct 29-Nov 1, 2017 ERAPPA 2017 Conference, Washington, DC

For more information or to submit your organization's event, visit *www.appa.org/calendar.*

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Compete in RecycleMania This Spring – Competition Starts February 5!

RecycleMania is a friendly competition and benchmarking tool for college and university recycling programs to promote waste reduction activities on their campus. Over an 8-week period each spring, colleges across the United States and Canada report the amount of recycling and trash collected each week and are ranked in various categories. With each week's updated ranking, participating schools track their performance against other colleges and use the results to rally their campus to reduce and recycle more.

WHY PARTICIPATE IN RECYCLEMANIA?

- Knowledge is power. Use the competition to benchmark your school's recycling efforts and track improvements over time. Coordinators can this information to communicate your recycling progress to students!
- School spirit! Whether you're striving to reach a recycling goal, competing against a rival school, or aiming for the national title, RecycleMania brings out competitiveness in all of us.
- **Get your administration's attention.** Participation can benefit your school's recycling programs by bringing attention to, and making the case for, additional resources to expand your campus waste reduction efforts.

HOW YOU CAN PARTICIPATE:

Competing schools can participate in different categories based on their interests and level of involvement desired. Colleges can plan outreach events and compete based on per capita recycling or diversion (recycling rate) for the full 8-week tournament (see details at *http://recyclemaniacs.org/participate/rules*). If the reporting requirements for the traditional 8-week categories look daunting, there are ways to compete without having to track recycling for your entire campus! Competitors can focus on a single Game Day Basketball event, or do one of the special competitions like Race to Zero Waste or E-Cyclemania, which are great ways to get involved for the first time.

The competition starts on February 5, so register at *https:// recyclesearch.com/profile/recyclemania.*

Supervisor's Toolkit

Nuts and Bolts of Facilities Supervision

Supervisor's Toolkit - Venues in 2017

Supervisor's Toolkit has been specifically designed to meet the needs of the facilities management professional. It is a structured, openended, and pragmatic approach to developing supervisors, and designed to help them realize both personal and professional growth. The program is designed for a full week of training.

For more information contact Corey Newman at *corey@appa.org*, or visit *http://www.appa.org/ training/toolkit/.*

SRAPPA Tennessee State University January 9-13, 2017

SRAPPA East Carolina University January 30 - February 3, 2017

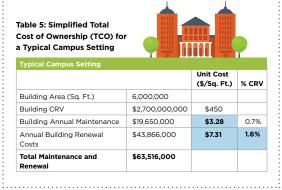
MAPPA/MiAPPA 2017 - Saginaw Valley State University March 6-8, 2017

SRAPPA Spelman College March 13-17, 2017

SRAPPA Clarke County School District May 22-26, 2017

Correction on Home and Campus Care article by Steven R. Hultin and John P. Morris

Table 5 on page 27 of the November/ December issue should have read 6,000,000 in the building area (sq. ft.) section. The corrected chart below has been posted on the online version of the article:



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