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APPA Events

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Focus on Educational Facilities

Apr 29, 2015
[APPA Drive-In Workshop \(Sponsored by Schneider Electric\)](#)
Wolfeboro, NH
(Kingswood Reg. HS)

May 18, 2015
[APPA Drive-In Workshop \(Sponsored by J&J Flooring\)](#)
San Diego, CA (San Diego State Univ)

May 18-21, 2015
[SRAPPA – Academy on Campus Level 1: Individual Effectiveness Skills](#)
Charlotte, NC (UNCC)

May 19, 2015
[APPA Drive-In Workshop \(Sponsored by Antron\)](#)
Boise, ID (Boise State Univ)

Jun 1-4, 2015
[ACUI/APPA Essentials of Facilities Management Training Seminar](#)
Blacksburg, VA
(Virginia Tech Univ)

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Aug 3, 2015
Senior Facilities Officer (SFO) Summit
Chicago, IL

Aug 3, 2015
Emerging Professionals (EP) Summit
Chicago, IL

Aug 4-6, 2015
APPA 2015 Annual Conference and Exposition
Chicago, IL

Sep 13-17, 2015
APPA U - Institute for Facilities Management and Leadership Academy
Scottsdale, AZ

Oct 19-22, 2015
ACUHO-I/APPA Housing Facilities Conference
St. Petersburg Beach, FL

Sep 11-15, 2016
APPA U - Institute for Facilities Management and Leadership Academy
Orlando, FL

APPA Region & Chapter Events

Apr 27-30, 2015
APPA's Supervisor's Toolkit (spons. by SRAPPA)
Austin, TX (Univ of Texas at Austin)

May 1, 2015
Deadline for SRAPPA Call for Programs

May 11-15, 2015
APPA's Supervisor's Toolkit (spons. by SRAPPA)
Morehead, KY (Morehead State Univ)

May 11-15, 2015



HEADLINE NEWS



Cast Your Vote in the APPA Officer Elections

URGENT REMINDER: Voting closes April 28 at 5:00 p.m. Less than a week left to cast your vote.

Strong elected leaders are a key reason why APPA is so effective in representing its members. Make your voice heard. Be part of democracy in action! The APPA elections are taking place, and there is less than a week left to cast your vote. Primary Representatives and Proxies among APPA Institutional Members and Affiliate Members are eligible to cast ballots. Eligible voters may vote [online](#) or by using a paper ballot, which may be returned via mail or fax to APPA. Be sure to review candidate platform statements and candidate biographies prior to voting. Access platform statements and biographies, and short, two-minute video remarks from each candidate [here](#). Visit www.appa.org/vote/ to vote today!

2015 Candidates

President-Elect

Bob McMains, University of Alabama Birmingham
Chuck Scott, Illinois State University

VP for Information and Research

Tom Shewan, Florida State University
Norm Young, University of Hartford

VP for Professional Development

Tom Becker, Philadelphia University
Ruthann Manlet, University of Minnesota

APPA NEWS

APPA President Randolph Hare Addresses the AUDE 2015 Annual

[APPA's Supervisor's Toolkit \(spons. by MAPPA\)](#)

Cleveland, OH
(Cleveland State Univ)

[May 12-13, 2015 TNAPPA Annual Conference](#)

Murfreesboro, TN

[May 18-22, 2015 APPA's Supervisor's Toolkit \(spons. by SRAPPA\)](#)

Tallahassee FL (Florida State Univ)

[May 21-22, 2015 AAPA Spring Business Meeting](#)

Halifax, Nova Scotia
(Dalhousie Univ)

[May 23-27, 2015 GAPPA Annual Conference](#)

Jekyll Island, GA

[Jun 1-5, 2015 APPA's Supervisor's Toolkit \(spons. by SRAPPA\)](#)

Charleston, SC
(Medical Univ of SC)

[Jun 9-12, 2015 OAPPA Annual Conference](#)

Thunder Bay, ON

[Jun 18-19, 2015 MD/DC APPA Annual Summer Educational Program](#)

Solomons Island, MD

[Jul 20-24, 2015 APPA's Supervisor's Toolkit \(spons. by SRAPPA\)](#)

Martin, TN (Univ Tennessee at Martin)

[Jul 27-30, 2015 APPA's Supervisor's Toolkit \(spons. by CAPP\)](#)

Brookings, SD (South Dakota State Univ)

Conference

APPA President Randolph Hare of Washington and Lee University recently represented APPA at the Association of University Directors of Estates (AUDE) 2015 Annual Conference held March 30 – April 1 at the University of Stirling in Scotland. At the event, Hare addressed the AUDE Board of Directors on the issues and trends shaping the North American higher education landscape. During a seminar session about “International Good Practice,” he also covered some of the excellent sustainability programs of the University of British Columbia. [Learn more.](#)



Working to Make Autodesk More Accessible for the Educational Community

Autodesk commercial desktop subscription for Building Design Suite and Infrastructure Design Suite are software programs used extensively by campus planners, architects, and facilities managers. Recently, however, Autodesk licensing changes have created shock waves in higher education. APPA President-Elect, Peter Strazdas of Western Michigan University, is working to change that. Specifically, he has been working to have Autodesk offer a more reasonable pricing for colleges and universities — which they used to have.



This work is essential. Colorado State University presents a recent example of why that is so, noting it will cost them \$345,000 in fees to use Autodesk for a set of changes on a recent project. APPA believes that the new Autodesk policy is negatively impacting educational facilities in the U.S. and Canada. Until a more workable pricing structure can be established, more information can be obtained at the Autodesk Educational Facilities Management Resource Center: www.autodesk.com/educational-facilities.



Submit Your Program Proposals! 2015 PCAPPA Annual Conference

October 11-13, 2015
Portland, OR

PCAPPA invites you to submit a program proposal for this year's annual conference. Presenting at PCAPPA offers an opportunity for you to share effective strategies and opportunities pertaining to facilities professionals as part of an outstanding professional development program. The proposals selected will comprise a program that offers innovative, comprehensive, and diverse treatment of issues facing facilities professionals throughout the educational community — colleges, universities, community colleges, and K-12. Join PCAPPA at “Facilities and Education: The 3 R's” Renew – Rebuild – Redefine. Topical area to consider are:

- Sustainability / Stewardship
- Operational Excellence / Creative Solutions
- Leadership / Management
- Industry Guidelines and Trends

Proposals are being accepted for 50-minute sessions. Breakout sessions are

Sep 8-11, 2015
[RMA 2015 Annual Conference](#)
Big Sky, MT

Sep 19-23, 2015
[MAPPA 2015 Annual Conference](#)
Milwaukee, WI

Sep 20-23, 2015
[APPA's Supervisor's Toolkit \(spons. by MAPPA\)](#)
Milwaukee, WI
(MAPPA 2015)

Sep 21-24, 2015
[APPA's Supervisor's Toolkit \(spons. by PCAPPA\)](#)
San Mateo, CA
(College of San Mateo)

Sep 21-24, 2015
[APPA's Supervisor's Toolkit \(spons. by MAPPA\)](#)
San Mateo, CA
(College of San Mateo)

Sep 21-25, 2015
[APPA's Supervisor's Toolkit \(spons. by SRAPPA\)](#)
Starkville, MS
(Mississippi State Univ)

Oct 4-7, 2015
[ERAPPA 2015 Annual Conference](#)
Providence, RI

Oct 9-15, 2015
[PCAPPA 2015 Annual Conference](#)
Portland, OR

Oct 10-13, 2015
[SRAPPA 2015 Annual Conference](#)
Baton Rouge, LA

Oct 11-14, 2015
[CAPPA 2015 Annual Conference](#)
Manhattan, KS

Nov 6-7, 2015
[AAPPA Fall Training Conference](#)

scheduled for Monday, October 12 and Tuesday, October 13. Three to four educational sessions will run concurrently in four time slots each day. To submit a program complete the online form [here](#).



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Renew Your APPA Membership Today

The APPA 2013-14 fiscal year began on April 1, 2015, and runs through March 31, 2016. Renewal and reminder notices have been mailed to all institutional and business partner primary representatives. You may pay conveniently on the APPA [Online Dues Payment Center](#) . **THANK YOU to those who have already renewed their APPA membership.** If you haven't yet, please pay promptly to retain the many benefits of membership, including access to the APPA [Body of Knowledge \(BOK\)](#), discounted rates on [training](#) and [publications](#), and more. [Renew today!](#)



PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND CREDENTIALING



Don't Miss the Essentials of Facilities Management Training Seminar June 1-4

The [Essentials of Facilities Management Training Seminar](#) is a foundational development program for college student union professionals and other facility administrators. This inaugural event, co-presented by the [Association of College Unions International \(ACUI\)](#) and APPA, will take place June 1-4 hosted at Virginia Tech University in Blacksburg. The program is designed for professionals who are new to facility management or are transitioning into responsibilities of overseeing facilities. New in 2015, this partner program will bring together facilities professionals from across campus to discuss trends and best practices. Mid-level professionals and those who are new to facilities management will benefit from attending. This seminar also is recommended for anyone who is charged with oversight of a facility and who has not previously had such responsibilities within their portfolio. While the content will be especially topical for campus student union professionals, the curriculum has been planned to ensure those from other campus areas will benefit as well. Content will center on the four facility management learning domains, based on skill sets and learning domains from APPA and ACUI:

Halifax, NS

Other Events

Apr 27-28, 2015
New Construction Commissioning Class
Mississauga, ON, Canada

Apr 27-30, 2015
CxEnergy 2015 (Commissioning) Conf. & Expo (Use promo code APPA10 for discount)
Las Vegas, NV

Apr 29-30, 2015
Existing Building Commissioning Class
Mississauga, ON, Canada

Apr 30, 2015
Designing Wayfinding Systems That Enhance Your Civic Brand A Webinar by Sustainable City Network Academy
2:00 p.m. EDT

May 6, 2015
Commissioning Air Barriers
A Building Commissioning Association Webinar

May 12-13, 2015
Smooth Sailing: Navigating to Project Success (COAA)
Baltimore, MD

May 18-20, 2015
NCBC 2015: National Conference for Building Commissioning
St. Louis, MO

Jun 3, 2015
BACNET/Lon Integration: What Commissioning Authorities Need to Know
A Building

- General Administration & Management
- Operations & Maintenance
- Environmental & Energy/Utilities Management
- Building Design & Construction



Association of College Unions International

Specific topics include:

- Facility condition assessment, deferred maintenance, and capital planning
- Technology upgrades
- Custodial management and standards
- Project management
- Emergency preparedness and continuity planning
- Chiller, air handlers, and HVAC software



Learn more at <http://www.appa.org/training/EFMSeminar/index.cfm> .

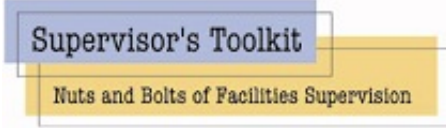


Network, Learn, and Celebrate APPA's Next 100 Years! Don't Miss the APPA 2015 Annual Conference and Exhibition

On August 4-6 more than 500 facilities officers, directors, and managers throughout the United States, Canada, Mexico, and the rest of the world convene in Chicago for APPA 2015. The event will be the hub for facilities managers to meet to identify and discuss the most current and pressing challenges facing educational facilities. Join us for this premier, international event for educational facilities manager, where we exchange ideas and discover global best practices from more than 100 presenters, including the profession's most recognized and talented educational facilities leaders. Learn more at <http://www.appa.org/training/APPA2015/index.cfm> . **If you're a senior facilities officer (SFO) or emerging professional (EP), mark your calendar for the SFO Summit and the the EP Summit, which will both take place on August 3. Details available soon.**

Don't Miss the Upcoming Supervisor's Toolkit Offerings Hosted by SRAPPA, RMA, and MAPPA

If your school is in the Southeastern, Rocky Mountain, or Midwest regions, APPA's Supervisor's Toolkit training is coming to a location near you. Everyone is invited to attend, however, no matter your location. The Toolkit is a structured, open-ended, and pragmatic approach to developing supervisors especially designed for the educational facilities professional. It is not so much a training program as it is a development process designed to help supervisors realize both personal and professional growth. The program is designed for a full week of training. It will help you respond to the demands of intense competition, advancing technology, and changing values--the forces that are transforming the role of the supervisor. Choose the most convenient offering and register today!



Region	Location and Details	Dates	Register by
SRAPPA	Morehead State University	May 11-15	May 1

Commissioning
Association Webinar

Jun 15-17, 2015
**Snow Training for
Grounds Management**
Erie, PA

Oct 25-28, 2015
**AASHE 2015
Conference & Expo**
Minneapolis, MN

SRAPPA [Florida State University](#)

May 18-22 [May 8](#)

SRAPPA [Medical University of South Carolina](#)

Jun 1-5 [May 26](#)

MAPPA MAPPA 2015 - Milwaukee, WI

Sep 20-23 Coming soon!



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Managing a campus is like managing a small city. It takes vision coupled with a comprehensive understanding of structures and their environments. Gaining an APPA certificate shows that you get it: you are familiar with standards and best practices, have the ability to perform research-backed stewardship, and know the principles that contribute to creative and sound decision making. [Learn more](#) about what APPA's [Educational Facilities Professional \(EFP\)](#) credential and the [Certified Educational Facilities Professional \(CEFP\)](#) designation can do for your career. Then register for an upcoming prep course and exam. For more information, contact [Christina Hills](#), APPA director of credentialing and benchmarking.

APPA INFORMATION & RESEARCH

Facilities Performance Indicators Report Now Available

The results of the 2013-2014 Facilities Performance Indicators (FPI) survey are now available online. Participating schools may access the report at no cost. Others may purchase access; pricing data is available at <http://www.appa.org/research/FPI/index.cfm>, by clicking on the FPI Report tab. If your institution did not take part in this year's FPI survey, it missed out on a major opportunity to better align its facilities portfolio with your institution's strategic direction and academic focus, make the business case for your facilities needs, and better address the capital asset realities you face. Data gathering for the 2014-2015 cycle begins later this year. Don't miss out on the benefits the FPI survey and report deliver. Access the Facilities Performance Indicators (FPI) today: <http://www.appa.org/research/FPI/index.cfm>.



The APP A Body of Knowledge

Consistently updated and consistently improving, the APPA BOK (Body of Knowledge) is here to help you solve your



most pressing facilities management challenges. Readers from APPA member institutions may access the BOK at no charge by logging into their myAPPA page (www.appa.org/login.cfm) using their APPA credentials, then finding the BOK in the myBookstore section. Visit www.appa.org/bok today to get all the benefits the BOK has to offer you in your role as a leading educational facilities

manager.

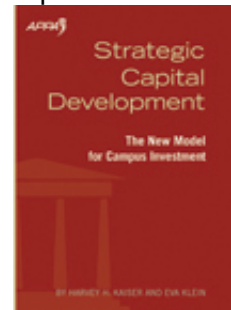
Strategic Capital Development: The New Model for Campus Investment

APPA's [*Strategic Capital Development: The New Model for Campus Investment*](#) by Harvey H. Kaiser and Eva Klein, presents a bold approach for planning capital investments from a strategic and long-range perspective. Drawing on the authors' extensive higher education experience, the book helps organizations improve capital planning and decision making. It defines the stewardship principles needed to create and sustain a physical plant that is responsive to institutional strategies and functions, is attractive to faculty and students, and optimizes resources.

Member price: \$70

Nonmember price: \$82

Order your copy at www.appa.org/bookstore/.



INDUSTRY NEWS

4.5 Million Students Recycle and Compost 80.1 Million Pounds in 2015 RecycleMania Tournament

For the second year in a row, a small university in Seattle, Washington, was crowned Grand Champion of RecycleMania, a waste-reduction and recycling competition among colleges and universities across 49 U.S. states and Canada. At Antioch University Seattle, just 4 percent of the “waste” generated on campus ended up in the trash, with the other 96 percent being composted or recycled. The RecycleMania program is managed by Keep America Beautiful, the nation's leading nonprofit that builds and sustains clean, green, and beautiful communities. Competing colleges and universities are ranked according to how much recycling, trash, and food waste they collect over two months. Between the Feb. 1 kickoff and the final recycling weigh-in on March 28, participating schools recycled or composted 80.1 million pounds of recyclables and organic materials preventing the release of an estimated 129,411 metric tons of carbon dioxide into the atmosphere. [Learn more.](#)



GBCI Renamed Green Business Certification Inc.

Name change reflects organization's growing portfolio of certification and credentialing services.

The GBCI Board of Directors announced today that GBCI, formerly known as the Green Building Certification Institute, has changed its name to Green Business Certification Inc. It will continue to be referred to as GBCI. GBCI is the only group to administer project certifications and professional credentials and certificates within the framework of the U.S. Green Building Council's LEED Green Building Rating System. GBCI also exclusively provides certification and credentialing services for the PEER standard for power systems; the WELL building standard for measuring, certifying, and monitoring features of the built environment that impact human health and well-being; and the GRESB benchmark, which is used by institutional investors to improve the sustainability performance of the global property sector. [Learn more.](#)

AASHE Sustainability Awards Call for Applications Now Open

The AASHE Sustainability Awards are now open for applications! Submissions are sought for three categories of awards: Campus Sustainability Case Study,

Student Research on Campus Sustainability, and Student Sustainability Leadership. All winners will receive a free complimentary AASHE 2015 Conference & Expo pass and more! Apply today for your chance to join this celebrated group of leaders from over 60 campuses in the U.S. and Canada. Awards will be presented during the opening ceremony on Oct. 25 in Minneapolis, Minn. Submissions are due by June 11. [Learn more.](#)

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