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THIS MONTH AT ASHRAE**Webcast**

Date: Thursday, April 21st

Location: Two Locations:

Hart-Hammer, Inc
529 Elm St.
West Des Moines, IA

or

Halvorson Trane
2220 NW 108th St.
Clive, IA

Time:
12 – 3pm ASHRAE Webcast

Topic: Making Net Zero Net Positive
Solving the Efficiency & Cost Paradox

This webcast will feature industry experts who will define the importance of, and why we should strive for, net zero in the built environment. Read more [here](#).

Cost: *Free with complimentary lunch provided at each location for all attendees that preregister [here](#).*

PRESIDENT'S CORNER:

Greetings! It was great to see many of you at our March 15th meeting and catch Chris Mathis, ASHRAE DL, presenting “Why Buildings Matter and the Role of ASHRAE 90.1.” I enjoyed talking with Chris before the meeting, and his presentation was top notch. He made a great impression, and there are several of us who might be working to get him back next year.

April brings our last official meeting of this year. This meeting will be the annual ASHRAE webcast. Catch it at your desk, or check the meeting invite for locations to watch with your buddies and get a lunch to boot. Don't forget golf in May!

Here's my last plug for the ASHRAE Region VI Chapters Regional Conference (CRC) coming up in Madison, Wisconsin, April 28-30. Check it out at [this link!](#) I look forward to seeing some familiar faces, as well as new ones, at the CRC. Everybody, say it with me: “Aaayyye!!!”

Thank you to everyone for allowing me to be the president of such a great chapter. As the year comes to an end, I would like to say thank you to all the BOG members for taking time to make this year successful. We put on great programming as always, and have extended our outreach to include K-12 STEM programs (see earlier Pres Corner for details). Other outreach includes our annual joint meeting with SMACNA and CSI, and our continuing support of Iowa State student ASHRAE. In my humble opinion, our outreach is the greatest thing the BOG can offer our chapter and our community.

Matt Gumm ([email link](#))
Iowa ASHRAE Chapter President 2015-2016



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W.R. White	1938-1939

March Meeting Super Tech Session



Thanks to everyone who attended the March Meeting.

A special thanks to Chris Mathis for a very informative and entertaining lecture



News

IECC Code Update

Adoption of the International Energy Conservation Code (IECC) 2015 continues to be discussed at the State level. Another meeting is scheduled for late April, stay tuned for additional updates!

History Project

The 2015-16 history project on the Iowa State University Power Plant by chapter historian Justin Barrett is posted on the chapter website. Check it out [here](#)!



Annual Meeting

The ASHRAE annual meeting is June 25-29 in St. Louis, MO. Any chapter members that are planning to attend, please let Matt Gumm know ([email link](#)).

National Newsletter

Stay up on trending topics and industry news through the ASHRAE Newsletter. Sign up and view articles [here](#).

UPCOMING MEETINGS:

Spring Fling Golf Outing

Date: *Wednesday, May 18th*

Time: *1:00 pm Shotgun Start*

Location: Briarwood Club of Ankeny
3405 N.E. Trilein Drive
Ankeny, IA

Look for more details in the May Newsletter!

2015-16 Meeting Dates

MONTH	Topic	Date
September	Fall Frolic Golf at Legacy	22
October	Student Night at Olde Main in Ames	21
November	Membership and RP at Ramada	16
December	DL @ Holiday Inn Downtown	14
January	Refrigeration	28
February	Des Moines Chief Boiler Inspector	22
March	Supertech Meeting	15
April	ASHRAE Webcast – Making Net Zero Net Positive	21
May	Spring Fling	18

Winter Meeting	2016 Winter Conference – Orlando, FL	Jan 23-27
CRC	Region VI CRC –Madison, WI	Apr 28-30
Summer Meeting	2016 Annual Conference – St Louis, MO	Jun 25-29



ASHRAE'S Attics & Antiques:

We have gone digital! Attics & Antiques can be found on the ASHRAE Iowa Website. Click on the link below to Check It Out!

[ASHRAE's Attics & Antiques](#)

Training Opportunities

What: Building Envelop Commissioning (BECx) Train the Trainer Workshop

The Train the Trainer program is planned as a five day professional workshop of peer learning at the Hunziker House located on the grounds of Reiman Gardens at Iowa State University. This workshop also includes a site visit to Kirkwood Community College in Cedar Rapids, as well as building tours at The University of Iowa. This workshop will bring together professionals from Architecture and Construction Engineering, as well as Contractors, Project Managers and community college Construction Management educators. Together we will prepare for an increased demand for building envelope commissioning protocols.

When: May 9 -12

Where: Reiman Gardens – Hunziker House

Ames, Iowa

Learn More and Register [Here](#)

ASHRAE Certifications

Looking for great learning opportunities?!?! ASHRAE Certifications are the perfect opportunity to grow your industry knowledge. Learn more [here](#).

If you have received an ASHRAE Certification in the past year, let Matt Gumm know!

Technology Awards Update

We received one submitted project for the TEGA award from KJWW, the Stew and LeNore Hansen Football Performance Center. The project was reviewed and rated highly by the three judges - Jason Kems, Justin Barrett, and Xiaohui (Joe) Zhou.

My thank you to the judges for their assistance in the review process. I encourage all consulting engineering companies to submit entries for next year's TEGA Award review as it provides each firm with a great opportunity to showcase their many talents and get recognized for outstanding achievement, and as a Chapter winner, have an opportunity to compete at the Regional and the Society levels.

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