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Joint-Meeting with Cleveland Chapter for February 19th, 2007

ASHRAE Standard 62 IAQ Procedure - Pete Johnson

Pete Johnson is Senior Sales Executive with SIEMENS Building Technologies. Pete has 20 years in HVAC sales & service in NE Ohio and was ASHRAE past President for the Akron Chapter from 2002 to 2004. He is the winner of a 2006 ASHRAE Technology Award for the Brunswick

School Auditorium project. An article on this project's IAQ was published in the ASHRAE Journal, May 2006, pp 54-58, "School HVAC Series, Standard 62 IAQ Procedure on Reduced Outdoor Air for Auditorium". Join us to hear about design options, savings opportunities and

space conditions when applying reduced outdoor air to meet the 62 IAQ procedures to any commercial project. Pete will contrast some of the new technology available now that can be considered in designs for reduced OA and improved IAQ.

Akron / Canton ASHRAE 2006-2007 Calendar

February 19th, 2006

Topic: ASHRAE Standard 62 IAQ
Speaker: Pete Johnson

March/April

Topic: TBD

Earn PDH's!

by Attending Meetings
-Certificate via Mail

- Each month additional information will be provided on the activities/programs taking place that month.
- Additional items may be added/updated through out the year, please refer to the calendar monthly.

ASHRAE NEEDS YOU HELP!

Are you looking for a way to get more involved in your local ASHRAE chapter? Are you motivated to make a difference? Are you looking for an opportunity to improve yourself and your society? If you are, here is a great opportunity for you!

We currently have a few spots open on your Akron-Canton ASHRAE Board of Governors. The positions only require a few hours of work each month. If you are interested please contact Greg Drensky at gregd@jacco.com. This is your chance to make a difference.

ASHRAE Satellite Broadcast:

Indoor Environmental Design: Practical Solutions to Everyday Problems

This free broadcast will present specific solutions to the everyday challenges of achieving indoor environmental quality within real-world budget constraints. Speakers will describe how you can provide ventilation air that helps protect the building from mold risk, how to avoid the three most common mistakes in ventilation system design and operation, how to

achieve all three goals of IAQ, thermal comfort and noise control at lower cost through better air distribution decisions, and how to provide comprehensive filtration without breaking your budget. This program is sponsored by ASHRAE's Chapter Technology Transfer Committee.

Date: April 18, 2007

Time: 1:00 – 4:00 P.M.

Registration:

- On-line registration for Satellite Downlink Site Coordinators and Webcast Viewers begins March 1, 2007.
- On-line registration for Satellite Viewers begins March 15, 2007.

For additional information go to www.ahsrae.org/education.

Monthly Meeting Information

Speaker: Pete Johnson

Subject: ASHRAE Standard 62 IAQ Procedure

Date: February 19, 2007

RSVP: Greg Drensky at gregd@jacco.com
By 11:00 am on Friday, February 16th.

Location: Quality Inn & Suites
4742 Brecksville Road, Richfield, OH 44286

Agenda: 5:30pm - Social/Cocktail
6:15pm - Dinner
7:15pm - Speaker/Presentation

Cost: \$25 - For Members of Akron/Canton ASHRAE
\$35 - For Non-Members of Akron/Canton ASHRAE
Students Attend FREE



President's Message—Greg Drensky

Winter has finally hit Akron! I hope everyone is staying safe and warm while also enjoying the scenery and outdoor activities that the cold weather and snow brings us.

This month we should be very proud to have Pete Johnson, an Akron-Canton Chapter past president, speaking at a joint meeting with the Cleveland Chapter. Make sure you come to support Pete and hear his lecture, which got him a 2006 ASHRAE Technology Award. I'm sure Pete will entertain and educate the crowd as he tells us about his design for the Brunswick School Auditorium.

Don't forget that ASHRAE is a great source to earn those coveted professional develop-

ment hours. ASHRAE as always is on the forefront of looking ahead for HVAC design, and these meetings provide you with a great opportunity to not only be educated on the latest HVAC issues and technology, but also a time to be surrounded by other professionals sharing your same passion for our industry.

Keep March 21st open on your calendar as well. We will again be teaming up with the Cleveland Chapter to bring the NEO Expo. This will present another opportunity for PDH's as well as an opportunity to see products displayed by many of the local vendors and HVAC representatives. So far there are over 21 companies that will

be displaying their products at the trade show.

Last but not least the Akron chapter is looking for people to fill positions for next year. We have positions open that can fit your schedule depending on the amount of time you have available to donate to ASHRAE. Feel free to contact me at gregd@jacco.com if you are interested. This is a great opportunity to get involved in ASHRAE and create some personal development in a professional setting.

I look forward to seeing all of you at this month's meeting!



Akron/Canton ASHRAE
President: Greg Drensky

ASHRAE 2007 NEO EXPO

'New Products, Education, & Opportunities to network'

On, March 21st, the Cleveland chapter will be having their 1st Engineering and Tech Expo. "The Expo is open to anyone interested in attending. There will be no admission charge. Every one hour education session attended will earn you one PDH credit. These sessions are an easy way to meet the Ohio PDH requirements for Profes-

sional engineers. While there, you also have the opportunity to see the latest products of our industry and your fellow ASHRAE member."

- Andrew Tenhundfeld, Expo Coordinator.

The NEO Expo will have at least three seminars throughout the day, each worth one

PDH. The topics will cover Boilers, AMCA Update, and BAS Integration and Hospitals.

If you would like more information about the NEO Expo, please contact Greg Drensky. The Expo will take place on March 21, 2007, at the Quality Inn in Richfield (on Route 21). The Expo will start at 2 P.M. and end at 6 P.M.

"Many of life's failures are people who did not realize how close they were to success when they gave up."

- Thomas A. Edison

Career builder - Local Listings

Job Opportunities with Thorson Baker & Associates, Inc.:

A growing consulting engineering firm located between Cleveland and Akron, Ohio, specializing in the design of commercial and institutional buildings is seeking experience project managers, engineers and designers. Project managers and engineers should have a bachelor's degree from an accredited university. E.I.T. and/or P.E. certification a plus.

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Information:

If you or your company is interested in posting Career Opportunities, please email information to Brandon Marzley (bmarzley@gpdgroup.com)



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Akron/Canton Chapter

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Email

Membership Fee (if Not already Paid through society dues):
 \$30.00 (Just for Local Chapter)



Mail to:
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7680 Hub Parkway
Valley View, OH 44125

If you have any questions please email Anne Susic at:
anne.susic@siemens.com

Technical, Energy and Government Activities (TEGA)

Have you ever designed a system that works??? I bet that ALL of our Akron/Canton Chapter Engineers have designed nothing but working systems. So, why keep it the worlds best kept secret?

We would like to encourage you to complete the new 'short form' of the ASHRAE Chap-

ter/Regional Technology Award Application Form and Submit it to Paul Kleinhas, ASHRAE Chapter TEGA Committee Chairman pkleinhas@mwmielke.com. The Technology Award Competition is a great opportunity to be recognized for innovative technological concepts and/or designs. Local and Regional competitions are easy to enter into. Additional

information can be obtained from the ASHRAE website: www.ashrae.org.

