

2019 All Affiliates Meeting – May 15-16, 2019

Gaylord National Resort & Convention Center 201 Waterfront Street Fort Washington, MD 20745

Wednesday, May 15

7:00 Networking Breakfast with CMiC Student Recipients (Cherry Blossom Lobby)

8:00 Welcome to the 25 Anniversary All Affiliates (Cherry Blossom)

Peter Davoren, ACE National Board Chairman Diana Eidenshink, ACE National President

8:15 Presentation of Strategic Plan and ACE National Board Panel Discussion (Cherry Blossom)

ACE National Board Members will reflect on the past 25 years of the ACE Mentor Program and look ahead to the next 25 years.

Peter Davoren, ACE National Board Chairman Tom Donnelly, ACE National Executive Committee Tom Gilbane, ACE National Executive Committee

9:15 CMiC Scholarship Discussion (Cherry Blossom)

Pat Coleman, ACE National Executive Committee Caryn Halifax, ACE National Executive Committee Diana Eidenshink, ACE National President Ed Worthy, ACE National Director of Education

10:00 Break/Idea and Activities Fair (Cherry Blossom)

During the Idea and Activities Fair, you can walk around to different tables and learn first-hand about some best practices and new ideas from affiliates around the country. The tables will be set up all day Wednesday. During breaks you can interact with affiliate representatives who will introduce the different ideas.

10:30 Introduction of the New ACE Mentor Tools – Mentor and Affiliate Resources (Cherry Blossom)

Official unveiling of ACE's highly anticipated and totally new mentor and affiliate tools. Tiffany will highlight and explain its new organizational structure and many new features.

Tiffany Millner, ACE National/ACE Greater Philadelphia
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Paulette Dallas, ACE National Western Regional Director

11:15 CIRT National Design and Construction Competition (Cherry Blossom)

The Construction Industry Round Table (CIRT) has facilitated the National Design and Construction Competition for ACE teams across the country for the past 12 years. You will hear first-hand from CIRT about the history of the competition, see the winning presentation for 2019, and learn about the future vision of the competition.

Mark Casso, ACE National Board & CIRT

12:00 Networking Lunch (Cherry Blossom Lobby)



1:15 (Simultaneous Sessions – Choose 1)

Session #1 – Affiliate Management (Database and Fundraising Strategies) (Chesapeake 10-11)

<u>Utilizing Database to Manage Affiliate</u>: **Andrew Frankel**, *ACE National Director of Program Operations* **DJ Esquivel**, *Dieselhaus (Database Developer)*

Events, BOD Ask & Required Giving: Lori Guidry, ACE Mentor Program of LA & ACE National Board

Moody Foundation and Affiliate Grants Committee: Gerardo Gandy, ACE Mentor Program of Austin

Engaging National Sponsors: Stephanie Davi, ACE National Director of Development

Ralph C. Wilson Foundation: Ken Bertolini, ACE Mentor Program of Michigan

Session #2 - Mentors (Chesapeake 5)

Mentor Recruitment: Akilah Darden, ACE Mentor Program of Indianapolis

Mentor Recruitment & Retention: Glen Shumate, ACE Mentor Program of Cleveland

Mentor Training: Mary Bradford, ACE Mentor Program of Greater DC

Team Leader Training: Thai Nguyen, ACE Mentor Program of Los Angeles/Orange County

RFP Options: CIRT & Local Project: Michelle Ashline, ACE Mentor Program of Central Iowa

2:45 Break/Idea and Activities Fair (Cherry Blossom)

3:30 (Simultaneous Sessions – Choose 1)

Session #3 – Board Governance (Chesapeake 10-11)

Committees: Travis Kolbjornsen, ACE Mentor Program of Orlando

Strategic Planning: Angela Cotie & Erin Kueht, ACE Mentor Program of Houston

Succession Planning: Jayson Roberts & Jennifer Ridd, ACE Mentor Program of Dallas/Fort Worth

Board Orientation/Recruitment: Cynthia Munoz, ACE Mentor Program of SF Bay Area

Session #4 – Students (Chesapeake 5)

Recruit: Mary P. Stewart, ACE Mentor Program of San Antonio Angela Gottula, ACE Mentor Program of Seattle

Engage: William J. Ketchen, ACE Mentor Program of Rochester

Kent Kaewwaen, ACE Mentor Program of Los Angeles/Orange County

Evaluate: Olive Ho, ACE Mentor Program of San Francisco Bay Area

Richard LeBlanc, ACE Mentor Program of Tampa

Implement: Open Group Discussion



5:00 Reception (Cherry Blossom)

Get to know your ACE colleagues! Cocktails and hors d'oeuvres will be served.

6:30 Dinner (attendees on own, click here for local restaurant listings)

Thursday, May 16

- 7:00 Networking Breakfast (Cherry Blossom Lobby)
- 8:00 The Next Phase of ACE (Cherry Blossom)

Diana Eidenshink, ACE National President

- 9:30 Break/Networking (Cherry Blossom)
- 10:00 ACE Affiliate Administration (Cherry Blossom)

During this interactive closing plenary session, you will learn about the most effective strategies for using these database tools: alumni tracking, affiliate scholarship, and sponsor tracking. You will also learn about different features available to your affiliate through the Office 365 affiliate account and how to effectively use information from the program report, surveys, and database. Throughout this session, participants are encouraged to raise questions and share their experiences.

Andrew Frankel, ACE National Director of Program Operations

- 11:00 Regional Breakout Conference Summary (Cherry Blossom)
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