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Check out the ASHRAE Journal Podcast! Also, ASHRAE Has updated their Standards 62.1 and 62.2.



### Ferland Engineering Education and Design Center

# Coming Up

### **October Meeting:**

When: Tuesday, October 18<sup>th</sup>, 5:00PM – 9:00PM

Where: University of Maine Registration Link:

75 Long Rd, <u>UMaine Ferland Engineering Education and</u>

Orono, ME 04473 <u>Design Center Tour</u>

**Details:** We plan on touring University of Maine's brand new Ferland

Engineering Education and Design Center. For those who are attending the career fair the next day, October 19<sup>th</sup>, there will be an opportunity to meet with students and professionals ahead of time! Registration is free to encourage as many students and professionals as possible to

attend. Pizza will be served!

### Next YEA Event: (In Orono for the First Time Ever!)

When: Tuesday, October 18<sup>th</sup>, 4:30 PM – 5:30 PM

Where: Black Bear Microbrewery

19 Mill St., Orono, ME 04473





### President's Message

#### October 2022 Maine ASHRAE President's Message

Happy October everyone! September flew by and as we enter the fall, I find myself eating apple cider donuts almost every day and driving slower to take in the site of the changing leaves. As a relatively new Mainer, I still find myself in awe of our state's beauty. Even driving on the interstate from Portland to Lewiston is a sight to behold this time of year. I encourage everyone to take some time out of their busy schedules and enjoy this part of the year before it gets dark and cold!

September was a great month for our chapter. Some highlights include our first in person event in over two years, a thrilling YEA event at the Sea Dogs, and some new corporate sponsorships that will help our chapter meet our ASHRAE research promotion goals.

October has the potential to be even better as we bring our programming north to Bangor! If you read my message in last month's newsletter or you attended our September meeting, you know that one of my primary goals as president is to re-engage with our student chapter at UMaine. Professor David Dvorak and I have been planning a meeting at the brand new UMaine Ferland Engineering Education and Design Center since the summer and are excited to see it come to fruition this month as part of our October chapter meeting on Tuesday 10/18. I hope to see many of you there!

Let's continue to bring our community together and secure the future of the Maine ASHRAE chapter.

Danny Bronshvayg 2022-2023 Maine ASHRAE Chapter President

## Young Engineers of ASHRAE

Last month's YEA event was a home run! A few Maine ASHRAE members came to watch the Portland Sea Dogs Win 5 to 3 against the Binghamton Rumble Ponies!

#### **Next YEA Meeting:**

The next YEA Event will take place right before the next Maine ASHRAE Meeting at Black Bear Microbrewery in Orono, ME! Loosen up with a drink and mingle with some young engineers. UMaine Students are welcome to attend!

#### Make sure you RSVP here!:

https://www.maineashrae.org/event s/october-yea-happy-hour-at-blackbear-microbrewery-in-orono





### **Announcements**

#### **Maine ASHRAE Monthly Board Meetings**

Maine ASHRAE is back with in-person meetings and virtual monthly board meetings!

The 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of Each month will be reserved for our monthly board meetings. These meetings are open to the public and will be virtual so that more people will be able to attend.

If you would like to participate in the monthly board meetings, please reach out to info@maineashrae.com

#### **University of Maine, Orono Engineering Career Fair**

Attention all Students and Employers!

UMaine Orono is hosting an Engineering Career Fair Wednesday, October 19th!

Make sure to block off some time for the ASHRAE meeting on Tuesday, October 18<sup>th</sup> for more details to come.

Link: https://umaine.edu/career/upcoming-events/engineering-job-fair/

#### **Celebrating 50 Years!**

Originally chartered on September 23rd, 1972, the Maine ASHRAE chapter is celebrating 50 years of existence. We'd like to celebrate this milestone by better documenting our chapter's history. If you have any historical information or materials related to the Maine ASHRAE chapter or Maine HVAC&R industry in general, we'd like to hear from you. Please reach out to <a href="maintenance.com">info@maineashrae.com</a>. Make sure to look out for a history feature in a future newsletter commemorating our 50-year anniversary as a recognized chapter.

#### **November Maine ASHRAE Meeting: Save the Date!**

November 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Details - TBA

### September Meeting Recap

Our first in-person ASHRAE meeting in two years took place Tuesday, September 20<sup>th</sup> at Bruno's Restaurant and Tavern! Many people came out to mingle and watch our guest speaker, Jesse Remillard, talk about Efficiency Maine's custom incentive programs.

During the meeting, President Danny Bronshvayg announced the Maine ASHRAE Chapter's 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, and presented Former Maine ASHRAE President Benjamin Hackett with an Appreciation Award!

Thank you so much to all the members that were able to attend this meeting!









### **Sponsors**

## Gold Sponsors









## Silver Sponsors





## Bronze Sponsors







## **Sponsors**

#### **Become a Maine ASHRAE Sponsor!**

#### **Bronze Sponsorship - \$50**

Company listed on home page of Maine ASHRAE website and on sponsorship page in monthly newsletter.

#### Silver Sponsorship - \$250

Bronze sponsorship benefits + recognition at all monthly ASHRAE meetings and on Maine ASHRAE LinkedIn page.

#### Gold Sponsorship - \$500

Silver sponsorship benefits + hole sponsorship at annual Maine ASHRAE golf tournament included and frontpage recognition on monthly newsletter.

If you would like to become a sponsor, please email info@maineashrae.org

Sponsorships are annual and will reset in new ASHRAE year on 7/1/2023

# Calendar

### October

Sun	Mon_	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri_	Sat
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	Monthly Board Meeting  12 – 1 PM	18 YEA Event; Maine ASHRAE Meeting 5:00 PM	19	20	21	22
30	24 31 Happy	25	26	27	28	29
	Halloween!					





## Chapter Officers 2022 - 2023

**PRESIDENT** 

Danny Bronshvayg

PRESIDENT ELECT

RECEPTION

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## Learning Center

## Tune-in to the ASHRAE Journal Podcast!

Tune into conversations between leading ASHRAE experts as they discuss what HVAC engineers need to know to design better systems and grow the HVAC&R industry. Available on all podcast platforms.



**Listen Now** 







### Learning Center

**ASHRAE Journal Podcast Episode 16 | Diversity in HVAC&R – Driving Technology Through Workforce Development:** Join three ASHRAE volunteer leaders from Mexico to learn more about the impact of Latinos in the HVAC&R Industry in North and South America...and much more!



### Do Your Projects Meet the Latest ASHRAE Standards for Ventilation and Acceptable Indoor Air Quality?

#### Updated ASHRAE Standards 62.1 and 62.2 Are Now Available!

Standards 62.1 and 62.2 are the industry recognized standards for ventilation system design and acceptable Indoor Air Quality (IAQ).

Expanded and revised for 2022, both standards specify minimum ventilation rates and other measures in order to minimize adverse health effects for occupants.

Learn more about the updates found in the 2022 editions here!





