



Agenda for September 12, 2025
ACEC-IL Emerging Professionals Committee Meeting
Location: Virtual
Time: 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM

A. Welcome and Introductions

a. Purpose

B. Subcommittees

i. 2025-2026 Webinar Series

1. Need a Webinar Lead

2. Dates

a. 10/16 – RTK Drones – David Wilkinson

i. Need a moderator

b. 11/20 – TBD (Needs speaker, topic, and moderator)

c. 1/15 – TBD (Needs speaker, topic, and moderator)

d. 2/12 – TBD (Needs speaker, topic, and moderator)

e. 3/26 – TBD (Needs speaker, topic, and moderator)

f. 4/23 – TBD (Needs speaker, topic, and moderator)

3. Potential Topics

a. Technical

b. Career Development

c. Career Progression (Project Management, BD, etc.)

d. Personal Growth, Networking Skills

e. Reverse Webinar

ii. Social Committee

1. Looking for Volunteers

2. Confirmed Events

a. **October 28th** – Top Golf Naperville 5:30-7:30

3. Additional Events to Plan/Consider

a. Top Golf again?

b. Mini-golf

c. Bowling

d. Pickle Ball Tournament

e. Chicago River Boat Tour (April/May)

4. ACEC will handle logistics and coordination with venue

iii. Intramural Committee

1. **March 7th** - 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament in Lisle
2. Need volunteers to start planning and organizing.
 - a. Note: Volunteers will not be participating in tournament.

iv. Professional Clothing Drive

1. Update

C. Open Forum Discussion

D. Next Meeting – TBD

E. Adjourn

PREVIOUS WEBINARS

<u>Topic</u>
How to work with interns to lead to full time hires + Training Infrastructure
Best Practices of Integrating 3-D Model into the Work Flow
ESG or social value equity and inclusion, safety
Developing QAQC skills / peer review skills
Networking - business development
Dos and Don'ts of being an RE

10/20 – Never Say Sell – How to Win, Maintain, and Expand Clients

11/10 – Marketing Yourself Internally

1/12 – Balancing it All – Mindfulness with Consulting

2/9 – Working with Contractors to Bridge the Gap – a roundtable discussion with Contractors

3/9 – Proposal Writing – Lessons Learned

4/13 – Choose Your Own Adventure – Entrepreneurship

10/26 What is a Scope?

11/16 Creating the Project Budget

12/14 Going 'Deep' on Subs

1/18 Mindfulness in Consulting Part II

2/15 Lifelong Learning: how to engage, teach, and be taught

3/15 Designing to Standards – Where do they Come From

4/12 An Introduction to Project Management in Consulting