



Emerging Professionals Committee

February 19, 2026

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Virtual

AGENDA

1. Call to Order & Housekeeping

Attendance: Kelly, Veit, Brad Domasky, Matthew Winter, Amanda Turzinski, Amaya Ibanez-Baldor, Jessica Splitterber, Emily Harrison, Harry Tran, Kal McHugh, Riley Smeaton, Macen Leonardi

- a. Request Note Taker
- b. Agenda Overview
- c. [Conflict of Interest](#)
 - i. No conflicts of interest
- d. Review and approve [01.15.26 minutes](#)
 - i. Minutes approved
- e. Icebreaker

2. Vice Chair Discussion

- a. Candidate Pitches
 - i. Emily Harrison – JT
 - ii. Alex Condon - Foth
- b. Next Steps
 - i. Kelly to send out link for online voting, voting ends at the end of next week

3. [Committee Goal Setting](#)

- a. More in-depth on Committee goals (people responsible, key actions, metrics)
 - i. Looking for reps/points of contact for regional events/happy hours
- b. Goal Champions

4. [Legislative Day Happy Hour](#)

- a. February 25th, 3-5P at Coopers Tavern

5. [TIC EP Pre-Session - From Emerging to Impactful: Leadership Lessons in Transportation](#)

- a. March 10th, 9:15-10:15A

6. EmPower Learning Series

- a. [Brainstorm ideas](#)
- b. In-person with social event after?
 - i. HNTB has volunteered to hold an in person meeting at their Madison office
 - ii. Try to hold the same day as the EP monthly meeting
 - iii. There is no March EP meeting, will try and hold this at April or May meeting, need to verify with HNTB when this will work



7. Committee Representative Updates

- a. Transportation Steering Committee/Partnering Meeting – Jessica
- b. Engagement & Belonging Committee
- c. Marketing & Communications Committee – Cassie
 - i. **Need a new rep for this committee**

8. Other Upcoming Events

- a. [Legislative Day – Feb. 25, 2026](#) | Madison
- b. [EP Happy Hour – Feb. 25, 2026](#) | Madison
- c. [Transportation Improvement Conference](#), March 10-11, 2026 | Wis. Dells
- d. [Awards Banquet](#), April 24 | Kohler

9. Next Meeting

- a. April 16, 2026

Reference Documents

- [ACEC WI Strategic Framework 2026-2028](#)
- [Strategic Plan Infographic](#)
- [ACEC WI Event Calendar](#)
- [EP Committee Structure](#)
- [EP Goals](#) (2025)