



Emerging Professionals Committee

August 16, 2023
1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Virtual Meeting

MINUTES

Participants:

Dylan Douglas
Brennen Fischer
Brian Genskow
Andrew Heidtke
Amanda Inman
Nick Pehler
Ashley Pridemore
Jessica Splittgerber (Committee Chair)

1. Call to Order & Housekeeping
 - a. Volunteer for Note Taker – Andrew Heidtke
 - b. Agenda Overview - No comments
 - c. [Conflict of Interest](#) - No Conflict of Interest noted.
 - d. Review and approve July 19, 2023 Minutes – minutes approved as written.

2. Upcoming ACEC WI Events
 - a. Annual Golf Outing
 - i. Golf Outing is sold out but we can still take committee representatives for hole games.
 - ii. Some committees are struggling to find people for hole games rather than golfing.
 - iii. So far, there will be an ACEC WI hole table, Emerging Professionals table, Government Affairs table and a sponsor Baer Insurance table.
 - b. Civil 3D Workshop
 - i. Committee discussed regional locations for Emerging Professionals meetups.
 - ii. Andrew will add a question to the Civil 3D Workshop registration to gauge interest in attending regional events.
 - iii. Regional Hosts (to be confirmed by September meeting).
 1. Ashley – Milwaukee on Wednesday.
 2. Jessica/Nick – Wausau on Wednesday.
 3. Dylan/JT – Madison on Wednesday.
 4. Still looking for volunteers for other locations.
 - iv. After confirming the regional events, ACEC WI will push out information to members and interested workshop attendees with details.
 - c. DFD Collaborative Conference
 - i. Agenda is still being finalized but will be similar to last year's.



- ii. Committee agreed that having an EP happy hour at a place in Madison is a great idea.
 - iii. Will offset the EP happy hour to allow folks to attend conference onsite happy hour as well (EP happy hour to be 5-?).
 - iv. There will be EP tables at lunch as well as a special EP registration rate.
- 3. Committee Representative Updates
 - a. Transportation Steering Committee
 - i. Steering Committee has requested a presentation by EPs at the October 25 Transportation Partnering Meeting.
 - ii. Brian and Jessica will work on the presentation.
 - iii. Also offered a standing five-minute slot on Transportation Partnering Meeting agendas for any updates from EPs.
 - iv. Steering Committee is looking to boost EP engagement at their events so they are open to working with this committee on new ideas.
 - b. Diversity & Inclusion
 - i. no new updates, meets next week.
 - ii. EP Committee will discuss Speaking Up Workshop at the September meeting.
 - c. Marketing & Communications – no new items noted.
 - d. Committee members are encouraged to volunteer as committee liaisons to other committees.
- 4. Next Meeting – 1:00 – 2:00 p.m., September 20, 2023, Teams
- 5. Adjournment