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If you are interested in serving on the Board or would like to volunteer for a committee position, please contact the Section Chair.

Upcoming Meeting Events

**ASHRAE / ASME LOUISVILLE CHAPTERS –
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2007 PROGRAM
5:30 PM AT THE U OF L ALUMNI CLUB
\$20 PRICE FOR ADMISSION WITH BUFFET
\$5 FOR STUDENTS/FACULTY**

“RECREATIONAL REFRIGERATION SYSTEMS”

The February Technical Program will feature a discussion regarding the design and construction details involved with the refrigeration systems in recreational facilities including ice skating rinks, hockey arenas, indoor skiing and snowboarding domes, outdoor skating paths, and curling rinks. Tom Hyde, District Engineer with Cimco Refrigeration Inc. in Mobile, AL will be the presenter. Cimco Refrigeration has installed over 4,500 ice surfaces worldwide, including 80% of the NHL facilities and 100% of the NBA facilities built since 1990. Tom is a licensed P.E. and has a mechanical engineering degree from Auburn University.



ASME/ASHRAE March meeting with U of L students

Date: Monday March 5, 6:00-8:00pm

Location: Vogt 311 at Speed School (the building adjoining Sackett Hall) RSVP to Diane Jenne, djenn01@louisville.edu or 852-6331, NO LATER THAN CLOSE OF BUSINESS MARCH 1 to ensure an adequate number of parking permits are available. Members may arrive as early as 5:30 to pick up parking permits. Dinner (pizza and sodas provided by U of L) will start at 6:00 and student presentations will start between 6:45 and 7:00.

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ASME To Hold Three Industry-Focused Conferences on Biotechnology

Leaders in the science and engineering communities will assess the latest technology in bioprocess engineering, biomechanics and medical devices and instrumentation at three ASME conferences in June 2007.

The ASME Bioprocess Technology Seminars and Exhibits will be held June 4-6, 2007, at the Radisson-Dublin ST. Helens Hotel in Dublin Ireland. The second conference, Frontiers in Biomedical Devices 2007, is scheduled for June 7-8, at the Hyatt Regency Irvine in Irvine, Calif. The 2007 Summer Bioengineering Conference will take place June 20-24, at the Keystone Resort and Conference Center in Keystone, Colo.

The three conferences will examine the progress and future directions in biotechnology research, and provide practitioners with the latest tools and training to advance commercial applications in the field. ASME's objective in presenting the conferences is to provide the fast-growing biopharmaceutical industry with useful resources to solve technology challenges.

For more information, visit:

http://www.asme.org/Communities/Technical/BPE/Bioprocess_Activities.cfm

ASME Wants You To Become An ASME Leader!

ASME is looking for bright, energetic Early Career Engineers interested in volunteering their time for the engineering profession. Selected applicants will be funded* to attend the Leadership Training Conference from March 2-4, 2007 at the Wyndham Greenspoint Hotel in Houston, Texas.

At the conference, gain insight into ASME's organization, activities, and resources, learn what it takes to lead or start an ASME unit, and network with more than 150 other ASME leaders.

To apply, email your application to EarlyCareerEngineers@asme.org with the subject: "Application for EC Delegate to LTC-07." The application deadline is Jan. 19. If selected, you will be notified by Jan. 31.

For more information on the conference, go to <http://www.asmeconferences.org/ltc07/>

*In accordance with ASME's Volunteer Travel Policy, ASME will pay 100% of your travel costs and up to \$100 per day for your hotel and per diem. The Wyndham is \$94 per night plus tax. ASME asks that you pay a \$75 registration fee to cover your meals while at the conference.

Call for Nominations: 2007 Old Guard Early Career Engineer Award

Recognize an outstanding early career engineer actively involved in their profession, their communities, and the work of the Society. Submit Nominations Today! Visit <http://files.asme.org/asmeorg/Communities/EarlyCareer/8026.pdf> for more details. The deadline for all nominations is March 1, 2007.

2007 Johnson & Johnson Consumer Companies, Inc. Medal



The Johnson & Johnson Award, first presented in 2005, recognizes outstanding contribution to the promotion of diversity and inclusiveness within the engineering community. This award is open to ASME members and individuals who are members of a recognized/engineering or professional society.

The deadline for all nominations is Feb. 1, 2007. For additional information and forms, visit

http://www.asme.org/Governance/Honors/SocietyAwards/Johnson_Johnson_Consumer.cfm. or contact ASME staff contact: Mary James Legatski, legatskim@asme.org

Applicants Needed: ECLIPSE

The deadline for submitting applications for the **Early Career Leadership Internship Program Serving Engineering** for internships beginning at the 2007 Summer Annual Meeting is **Jan. 15, 2007**.

ASME members who have served 3-10 years in the workforce and members who have not previously served as an LDI or MLP intern are eligible to apply. Women, non-traditional engineers and engineers in the workforce between three and 10 years are also encouraged to apply.

For additional information and an application, visit http://www.asme.org/Governance/Volunteer/Early_Career_Leadership.cfm. ASME staff contact: Mary James Legatski, legatskim@asme.org



Plan to attend the European Forum, the first ever conference on Sustainable Engineering, on March 19-21, 2007 at the Brussels Expo in Brussels, Belgium.

The conference will examine the role of engineering and science in ensuring sustainable economic growth and quality of life around the world, and explore technologies that represent the best practices in water management, energy production, fuel consumption, recycling, and air pollution control.

More than 30 presentations, panel discussions, and speeches will comprise the program of the ASME European Forum on Sustainable Engineering, which will cover a broad range of topics, from greenhouse gases and alternative fuels to life-cycle assessment and “green manufacturing.”

Registration is ongoing. For more information on the European Forum, visit: www.asme.org/europeanforum



Advancing Your Career

The ASME Professional Practice Curriculum (PPC) is an online resource designed to help you advance in the engineering profession by providing guidance and resources on subjects that complement an engineers technical skills.

The PPC consists of 42 modules on topics ranging from product development and writing cost proposals to team building and negotiation. The PPC also provides information on alternative engineering career paths such as patent law, marketing and sales, and entrepreneurship.

Currently, the 5 modules in the Career Transition Series are free of charge. ASME members additionally have access to the following 4 modules through the [Members Only](#) website:

- Introduction to Intellectual Property (Business & Legal Series)
- Leadership Styles and Attributes (Management & Leadership Series)
- Effective Technical Presentations (Communications Series)
- Product Management (Product Management Series)

To get started, please visit www.professionalpractice.asme.org.

Louisville Section Upcoming Meetings

Summer BATS Baseball Social

DATE: Friday, June 8, 2007

COST: \$6 per person

LOCATION: Louisville Baseball Stadium

RSVP no later than **May 22**

Bring your spouse or significant other or even someone interested in baseball for a time of good fun.

Those interested please send a RSVP to Karen Edberg (karen.edberg@ge.com) so she can plan enough for everyone.

Send your check made out to Karen Edberg at 7208 Tangelo Drive, Louisville, KY 40228 by May 25. Contact Karen Edberg if you have any questions.

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