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Jul 15, 2011
SFO Summit
Atlanta, GA

Jul 16-18, 2011
APPA 2011
Atlanta, GA

Sep 18-23, 2011
**APPA U: The Institute
for Facilities
Management and
Leadership Academy**
Ft. Lauderdale, FL

Oct 3-7, 2011
**ACUHO-I/APPA
Housing Facilities
Conference**
Orlando, FL

Region/Chapter Events

Jun 16-17, 2011
**11th Annual MD/DC
APPA Educational
Program**
Rocky Gap, MD

Aug 7-9, 2011
**Big Ten and Friends
Trainers Conference**
East Lansing, MI

Sep 12-14, 2011
RMA 2011 Conference
Regina, SK, Canada

Sep 23-28, 2011

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HEADLINE NEWS

APPA U

The Next Generation in Professional Development
September 18-23, 2011
Ft. Lauderdale, FL
Register Today!

Historically, each January, April, and September APPA has offered programming for facilities professionals seeking development and training in technical areas such as operations and maintenance; energy and utilities; general administration; and planning, design, and construction. Additionally, participants gathered during these times of the year to learn better management skills and take the next steps to becoming the leader they can be. These premier professional development offerings are known as the **Institute for Facilities Management** and the **Leadership Academy**.

APPA realizes that the career path of facilities professionals is ever-changing. To this end, APPA is proud to announce the first offering of APPA U. **The biannually offered event will bring together the Institute for Facilities Management and Leadership Academy in one location.** The event will also offer programming based on regional need – such as the Supervisor's Toolkit or Drive-In Workshops – that cover hot topics in our field. APPA U will also provide a forum for the foundational credentialing

[CAPPA 2011 Conference](#)
Springfield, MO

[Oct 2-5, 2011 ERAPPA 2011 Conference](#)
Halifax, NS, Canada

[Oct 7-13, 2011 MAPPA 2011 Conference](#)
Cincinnati, OH

[Oct 8-11, 2011 MAPPA Supervisor's Toolkit](#)
Cincinnati, OH

[Oct 16-18, 2011 PCAPPA 2011 Conference](#)
San Francisco, CA

[Oct 16-18, 2011 SRAPPA 2011 Conference](#)
Jackson, MS

Other Events

[Jun 23-24, 2011 2011 ACUPCC Climate Leadership Summit](#)
Washington, DC

[Jun 25-29, 2011 ASHRAE 2011 Annual Conference](#)
Montreal, CA

[Jun 26-29, 2011 IDEA 102nd Annual Conference and Trade Show--Global Perspective](#)
Toronto, Ontario, CA

[Jul 11-15, 2011 UVM Campus Sustainability Leadership Program](#)
Burlington, VT

[Jul 28-29, 2011](#)

programs—Educational Facilities Professional (EFP) and Certified Educational Facilities Professional (CEFP). The goal is to expose facilities professionals to the vast offerings that can be found through APPA. Bringing together the Institute and the Academy in APPA U will provide a networking opportunity like no other.

What will remain the same? The outstanding programming and resources that our members have come to rely on and expect! And, of course, networking, which is a key benefit, and why APPA is the association of choice for educational facilities professionals.

Be part of this new wave of development—[register today](#) for APPA U!

APPA NEWS



Connect With APPA Through LinkedIn, Facebook, and Twitter!

You'll notice a new feature at the top of this issue of *Inside APPA*: icons with links to APPA social networking resources on LinkedIn, Facebook, and Twitter. Consider these as new ways for you to communicate and interact with APPA and gain access to up-to-the-minute information to help you improve your performance as an educational facilities manager. Welcome to a new world in which you can explore and then leverage social networking to get information you need to maintain, protect, and promote the quality and excellence of the educational facilities you serve. Connect with APPA on [LinkedIn](#), [Facebook](#), or [Twitter](#) today!

APPA Honorary Member Dies

APPA Honorary Member [Harry E. Bovay Jr.](#) died on May 24 at age 96. He was past president of Mid-South Telecommunications Company and Bovay Engineers, Inc., based in Houston, TX. He presented the keynote speech at APPA's 1983 annual conference in Louisville, KY, on the topic of Professionalism in Managing and Operating Higher Education Facilities. Among his many accomplishments throughout his career, Bovay promoted the teaching and practice of engineering ethics.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND CREDENTIALING

[PGMS Regional Grounds Management Seminar & Site Visit: Michigan State](#)
East Lansing, MI

Aug 10-12, 2011
[National Conference on Building Commissioning](#)
Cincinnati, OH

Sep 25-27, 2011
[BedBug University: North American Summit 2011](#)
Chicago, IL

Oct 9-12, 2011
[AASHE 2011 Conference & Expo](#)
Pittsburgh, PA

Oct 26-29, 2011
[PGMS 2011 School of Grounds Management & GIE+EXPO](#)
Louisville, KY



APPA 2011: Your Conference – Your Way

APPA Announces Early Bird Extended

Busy doesn't even describe this time of year for you – but we understand. So to ensure that you register for APPA 2011 and save your institution \$100 – we have extended the early bird deadline.

APPA 2011 offers you programming unlike anything else in the facilities arena. Expert speakers like Dr. Mohammad Qayoumi, President, California State University/East Bay; Robert Flanigan, Vice President of Business & Financial Affairs & Treasurer, Spelman College; Steve Kraal, Associate VP of Campus Planning & Facilities Management, University of Texas/Austin; Marcus Newsome, Superintendent, Chesterfield County Schools; Dr. Wright Lassiter, Chancellor, Dallas County Community College District; Jack Colby, Assistant Vice Chancellor Facilities, North Carolina State University; Donald Sundgren, Chief Facilities Officer, University of Virginia; and many more will be with us in Atlanta – just for you!

What else does this one-of-a-kind programming have to offer? Constituency-specific presenters ranging from K-12 through higher educational system offices. And opportunities to meet with our leading business partners who support not only APPA but your institutional teams in meeting their missions and objectives. See why you can't miss this July? [Register today!](#) Take advantage of the early bird extension and/or an Ambassador Scholarship.

For all of the most current updates on APPA 2011 – [visit us today!](#)



Get Ahead of the Pack - Become APPA Certified

July 19, 2011
8:30am - 4:00pm
Atlanta, GA

Competition is a fact of life, and the need for a workforce proficient in the principles and practices of facilities management is critical to your

institution's success. Certification is a mark of excellence. It demonstrates that you have the knowledge it takes to do your job well, and it is an investment in your career and in your institution's future. Register today for APPA's Educational Facilities Professional Prep Course to be held in Atlanta, GA at the conclusion of APPA 2011 on July 19. This one-day course will assist you to successfully prepare yourself to become an APPA EFP. For more information, [visit us today](#) or contact Christina Hills, director of credentialing & benchmarking, at christina@appa.org.

APPA BOOKSTORE

BOK

Body of Knowledge

Improve, Maintain, and Innovate—Access the Essential Information You Need in the APPA Body of Knowledge

The APPA Body of Knowledge (BOK) puts you in touch with the latest information from the experts in educational facilities management--the information that can help your facilities perform at their best. The Body of Knowledge is built on the foundation of the four core competency areas identified by APPA:

- General Administration and Management
- Operations and Maintenance
- Energy, Utilities, and Environmental Stewardship
- Planning, Design, and Construction

Continuously updated, there are 60, peer-reviewed chapters in the BOK addressing everything you need to optimize the knowledge you bring to your educational facilities management responsibilities. View the [BOK Table of Contents](#). If you haven't already subscribed, you're missing out on the most authoritative and up-to-date information on the practice of educational facilities right at your fingertips.... 24 hours, seven days a week...and made available online to you and every staff member at your institution! Access the BOK at www.appa.org/bok.

INDUSTRY NEWS

Canada Launches National Buildings Commissioning Standard

After a lengthy development process and public review, the Canadian Standards Association recently released the first edition of a new national standard on the commissioning of buildings. The CSA Z320 Building Commissioning standard provides a comprehensive, integrated, and coherent process for achieving and documenting the optimal performance of a complete building and its major systems to



meet the basis of design and operational requirements of the owner. Intended users include those who perform technical functions associated with major building systems, and those with an interest in building safety and quality assurance. The standard is also intended to facilitate certification of green building system ratings, such as Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED). The standard, which applies to both new construction and existing buildings, includes electronic checksheets and more than 200 spreadsheet templates. The standard and associated materials are available for sale at <http://shop.csa.ca>.



New Colorado State Facility Wins a 2011 Award of Excellence from the International Parking Institute

The International Parking Institute (IPI) has recognized 12 of the industry's outstanding parking facilities and operations with its 2011 Awards of Excellence, noting common threads of innovation, efficiency, eco- and user-friendliness, cost-savings, and collaboration among its winners. The Award of Excellence winner for Best Design of a Parking Structure with 800 or More Spaces went to the Colorado State University (CSU) Lake Street Parking Garage, Fort Collins, CO.

Increases in enrollment and campus buildings had all but obliterated surface parking at CSU, but its new, 868-space Lake Street parking structure has freed up the campus core for pedestrians and public transit. The open, well-lit, and secure structure houses more than 20,000 square-feet of retail and office space as well as the University's Parking



Services operation. Its sustainable features include reserved parking for low-emitting vehicles, onsite power via a 9,000 photovoltaic array, and onsite water management and treatment. In keeping with CSU's international reputation as a "Green University," the project is seeking LEED Platinum certification and has been added to the Green University Walking Tour, which highlights environmentally friendly elements on campus. [Learn more.](#)

PGMS Lining Up School of Grounds Management for GIE+EXPO

Grounds professionals interested in taking the first steps to earn a certificate in the School of Grounds Management (SGM) are heading to Louisville, KY October 26 through 29 for the Professional Grounds Management Society's (PGMS's) 2011 School of Grounds Management & GIE+EXPO. The PGMS School focuses on four core grounds management competencies. Those who complete the entire program (usually taking two years) are awarded a certificate by PGMS. In addition to the SGM certificate, PGMS offers both Certified Grounds Manager (CGM) and Certified Grounds Technician (CGT) designations. Attendance at the School of Grounds Management qualifies as Continuing Education Units for both the CGM and CGT programs. Find more information on the SGM program at www.pgms.org/SGMProgram.htm. Details and registration information for the PGMS School of Grounds Management are available at www.pgms.org/2011school.htm.



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