



Welcome to Your Community!

APPA is pleased to provide to our members a new opportunity that will replace the APPA listserve. The community is open to all APPA members.

The APPA Community is an opportunity for our members to network with one another by region, chapter or affinity group. You are able to post discussion items, resources, reference videos and helpful links for your peers.

Good news, if you have an online myAPPA account, then you already have a profile set up in the APPA Community. From the main page, access ongoing discussions, see announcements and view upcoming events.

Are you ready to update your profile?

By selecting your initials in the upper right-hand corner, select **My Profile** from the drop down menu.

APPA

Groups ▾ Resources People Knowledge Center

Create + MT

APPA Community

Discover relevant content and start collaborating now!

Click here to post a discussion...

Happening now!

Announcements

Welcome to the NEW APPA online community!! Take a minute to set up your profile, add a photo and your areas of focus. Be sure to join one of

Posts

Siemens



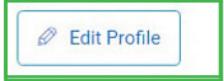
Jane Doe

Facilities Manager

Followers

Following

Online



Add a headshot by clicking on the 'Edit Profile' box. Be sure to also update your communication preferences so you can receive your digest of topics from the day, week or month.

Profile

- Drafts
- Coauthor
- Discussions
- Articles
- Videos
- Documents
- Resources
- Groups
- Statistics
- Badges
- Followed content

Bio

Edit Bio Upload CV

CONTACT INFO

(123) 456-7891

LOCATION

City, State 12345

SKILLS

Enter Jane's skills

WORK EXPERIENCE

Name companies Jane worked in.

EDUCATION

What schools has Jane attended?

Spend a few minutes updating your Skills, Work Experience and Education. Other members will be able to find you in a search based on key words in your profile.



By selecting the **+Create** button, you can chose from several options. Add a discussion, article or video. Your item will need to be categorized into one of the groups; most items will be linked to the APPA Online Community.

Discussion

Article

Import article

Video

My Drafts

Join A Group!

Once your profile is set up, it's time to join your groups. To access, use the menu at the top of the page to select.

There are a variety of groups available to you from regions, chapters, topic specific/affinity, etc. All general discussions will be found and affiliated with the APPA Online Community.

Once you select “**Go To Page**,” click on the **+ Join** button at the top to add the group. You must join a group to receive all messaging/posts within that group. Additionally, be sure to review the APPA Online Community Guidelines and Etiquette.

Create a Discussion Topic

Do you have a question to ask? Looking for best practices? Looking to ask other members within your region about something specific? Then use the discussion field to do so! Enter a title such as "Sustainable building materials" then type your question.

The screenshot shows the APPA Community homepage with a large orange header. Below it, a green box highlights the discussion creation area. Inside this box, there is a text input field labeled "Enter a title...", a toolbar with various formatting options (Format, Style, B, I, U, S, Lists, Image, Video, File, Table, Link, Line), a main text area with placeholder text "Start typing here...", a dropdown menu for "Select a Group" with an arrow pointing to it, and a blue "Post" button. A green arrow points from the top right towards the "Post" button.

Once you are done, select your group (ex. APPA Online Community) and click **POST**.

Knowledge Center

Looking for a specific discussion? Document? Topic area? Then search no further than by selecting **Knowledge Center** from the top menu. Utilize the search options on the right to select/ search. You may also sort by most recent, viewed, rated and commented.

The screenshot shows the Knowledge Center page with an orange header. Below it, a green box highlights the search and filter sidebar. The sidebar includes a "Search..." input field, dropdown menus for "All Post Types" and "All Groups", and a "Topic" section with a list of terms: AYP, ERAPPA, ERA, Erie PA, 2019 Annual, Authority having jurisdiction (AHJ), awards, Facilities management, Lighting consumption, and more. A green arrow points from the bottom left towards the "Topic" section. Another green arrow points from the bottom right towards the text "Click on a Topic to see all items related to the specific term.".

Most Recent Most Viewed Most Rated Most Commented

Click here to post a discussion...

Kristin Witters in APPA Online Community Document - 2 months ago 0 comments 3 likes 43 views 43 stars

APPAPPA_Online_Community_Guidelines

Paul Rasmussen in APPA Online Community Discussion - 5 days ago 3 comments 2 likes 14 views

Fire Alarm for hearing Impaired

Should you have additional questions, please contact APPA member & community engagement at membership@appa.org or (703) 543.3823.