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ASHRAE 2015-2016

April Twin Tiers Chapter Meeting

April 19, 2016

Spring Engineering Symposium!
Owego Treadway Inn 8:00–5:00
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Dear Twin Tiers Chapter Members,

This month we’re heading back to where Twin Tiers began, almost 40 years ago, for our Spring Symposium at the Owego Treadway Inn. I recently spoke with the guys at LaBella (formerly DPC Engineering) in Elmira Heights who used to participate and volunteer with Twin Tiers long ago. They remembered how Twin Tiers used to hold chapter meetings at the Treadway and Blue Dolphin, in Elmira. I only remember having one meeting there about 10-15 years ago, but this does remind me that we have quite an expanse between Corning, Alfred, Ithaca, Binghamton, and a few further areas East. The Owego Treadway Inn was the ideal location for most of our chapter meetings since it is 45 min's from the offices discussed above. I hope that in future meetings we try to circle back to a monthly meeting in Owego and Elmira in an effort to serve all of the engineering community within Twin Tiers.

I’d like to take a moment to give everyone a heads up. If you haven’t heard, NY State will be issuing amendments to the 2015 IBC Codes as indicated in the 2016 Uniform Code Supplement. Important dates to remember here are (Relative to the date for which a building permit is obtained):

• All codes (Energy Code and Building Codes) will be in full effect by Oct 3, 2016.
• Fire Protection and Building Codes (Uniform Fire Prevention and Building Code (Uniform Code) – This includes all codes with the exception of the Energy Code: You have the choice between using new or previous codes from April 6, 2016 through October 3, 2016 in the transitional period.

As stated on the NY Building Codes website, “This rule will incorporate the 2015 IECC, ASHRAE 90.1-2013, and the 2015 Energy Code Supplement, as well as certain other referenced standards, by reference into 19 NYCRR Part 1240.” More can be found here: http://www.dos.ny.gov/DCEA/noticerule_dev.html#Energy

Warm regards,
Doug Breese
Twin Tiers Chapter President
American Society of Heating, Refrigerating, and Air-Conditioning Engineers, Inc.

Twin Tiers Chapter

Presidential Award of Excellence (PAOE)

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Scholarship Committee Message

Twin Tiers Scholarship Committee

Rick Sanguinito

The Twin Tiers Chapter want to offer a special THANK YOU to Mr. & Mrs. David Stipanuk for their donation to the H. O. Ward Scholarship. This donation will enhance the 2016 Scholarship Awards to be announced at the 2016 Symposium.

Rick Sanguinito
Twin Tiers Scholarship Committee Chair
# Twin Tiers Chapter—Monthly Meeting Information

**2015-2016 Meeting Dates:**

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<td>Casey Bernhard, PE, LEED AP (Labella Associates)</td>
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**ASHRAE TWIN TIERS CHAPTER**
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**Annual Spring Symposium and Professional Development Seminar**
Tuesday, April 19, 2016, 8:30 A.M. – 5:00 P.M.
Owego Treadway Inn, 1100 State Route 17C, Owego, New York

**EARN UP TO 7.5 FREE Professional DEVELOPMENT HOURS!**

The ASHRAE Twin Tiers Chapter 2016 Spring Symposium provides a local opportunity to bring together practicing professionals, engineers, academics, contractors, owners and others to discuss with respected experts issues and challenges that our industry faces. This year's symposium offers attendees opportunities to review some of the industries latest energy efficient technology as well as techniques/methods that could employ them.

**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

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Please Note: The ASHRAE Twin Tiers Chapter reserves the right to change the schedule, speakers and presentations without notice.

See our website for online registration! [http://twintiers.ashraechapters.org/](http://twintiers.ashraechapters.org/)
Annual Golf Tournament and Clambake
The date for the annual golf tournament and clambake is **Tuesday, June 21**. For the second year in a row, the two events are being held at different locations. The golf portion of the day will be held at **Vestal Hills Country Club**. The day will begin with a 10:00 am shotgun start. As in past years, the round will include lunch at the turn and keg beer all day. We will have prizes for the winning foursome, closest to pin and drive closest to the line. With its great success the past few years, the putting contest will also be returning.

The clambake will be held at nearby **Mountain Top Grove**, running from 4 pm to 8 pm. The menu will include clam chowder, raw and steamed hard shell clams, steak sandwiches, BBQ sandwiches, sausage, potatoes, corn, fresh salad, soft drinks, wine, and beer. There will be door prizes. Our hope is to see lots of non-golfers join all the golfers from earlier in the day.

Formal flyers and pricing are to follow. As always, the golf committee is looking for donations for door prizes and giveaways. Please contact Mike McGinnis, Matt Hawley, or Jason Gilbert with any questions. Thank you.

**Note:** Denim shorts, skirts, jackets, and jeans are prohibited throughout the club’s facilities. Parties found in violation of dress code will be asked to change into acceptable clothing or purchase such from Pro Shop. If you are a team captain, please pass this along to your team members.
MEETING MINUTES

The meeting was called to order at:

1. **Call to Order and Attendance:** 4:02 pm
   a) Attendance: Doug, Devin, Andy, Chris, Rob, Jason

2. **General Announcements – Doug Breese**
   a) Approval of February’s Meeting minutes: **Motion by: Mike**
      **Second by: Chris**

3. **Treasurer’s Report – Jacob Schatz**
   a) Treasurer’s Report – accounts in good standing. **See attached Report**
      • Annual budgets. **See attached 11x17.**

4. **PAOE Responsibility – Doug (#2 in the rankings Grassroots and History within our Region)**

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Trovis – **keep a running chapter speaker database and update the CTTC-RVC regularly during the year.**

Chair Updates:

a) Chapter Operations: CIQ on the horizon.

b) Chapter Technology Transfer:
   - Speaker database update to RVC monthly – have not seen this yet. CC Doug

c) Grassroots Government Activities: nothing to report

d) Historical Criteria: nothing to report

e) Refrigeration: nothing to report

f) Membership Promotion:
   - MP Night – May-16 (Joint mtg – SFPE)
   - MBO Goal #1: Retain and increase membership by 2%, current membership is at 112.
   - MBO Goal #2: Reduce delinquency to 5% or less. Currently 19% are past 6 weeks overdue on renewing their annual chapter memberships. Currently 2 delinquents.
Twin Tiers Chapter—March BOG Meeting Minutes

5. Committees:
   a) Meeting Reception (D. Breese): Nametags & Sign-in sheet
   b) Student Committee (I. Gilbert):
      □ Alfred (Jason to contact Dr. Joe C) and Cornell (Travis to take lead) contacts to be notified of end of Student Branch and if they’d like to renew they need to fill out forms from ASHRAE.
      □ Jason to establish BU Student Branch.
      1. (3) Students are required to maintain a student branch and (10) are required to start a branch.
   c) Young Engineers (Travis and Devin Shapely):
      □ April/May? - Water St Brewery? Jeopardy? Darts?
   d) Newsletter (A. Nice): Looking good
   e) Publicity (A. Nice): NEW LinkedIn Group https://www.linkedin.com/groups/8482932
   f) Webmaster (M. Colwell): Symposium Info and Paypal buttons are up and running.
   g) Symposium (P. Papathomopoulos): updates? PDH’s?
   h) Golf & Clambake (Mike McGinnis): June 21st Vestal Hill's and Mountain Top
   i) Honors and Awards (D. Breese): Chapter Service awards, due May 1

6. Old Business
   a) ASHRAE TT to receive a $50 per person credit for each person that attended the CRC from the region.

7. New Business
   a) None

Meeting adjourned at 4:45 PM Motion by: Andy       Second by: Rob
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Welcome to Rochester, NY

We are honored to be hosting the 2016 Region I Chapter Regional Conference. The city of Rochester has a lot to offer and we are excited to show it off.

Our CRC planning committee is hard at work pulling all the details together; we have a good venue in place that should be fun for all. Our goal is to have a top notch event and great food at an affordable price.

The main event will take place at the Hyatt Regency downtown which is in close proximity to all off site CRC events and many other activities the city has to offer. The hotel has wonderful views of the Genesee River or the city skyline.

Companion activities will be fun for both guests and kids alike. The companion tour will consist of a half day tour of the historic George Eastman Museum & Artisan Works with lunch at the Gate House. The family tour will be at the world renowned Strong Museum of Play. You will receive an all day pass with lunch provided. You will have to pry the kids away when it’s time to leave! Your inner child could spend hours in the museum’s classic video game exhibit.

Please make sure you tell all of the members in your chapter and we look forward to seeing you all in Rochester on August 18th.

Jim Bruce, CRC Chairman

Conference Registration Fees

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Hyatt Regency Room Rate: $115 + taxes & fees

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New Course on Variable Refrigerant Flow Offered in ASHRAE Spring Online Courses

ATLANTA – A new course, “Variable Refrigerant Flow System Design & Application,” is one of 11 offerings in ASHRAE’s Spring Online Course series.

Variable refrigerant flow (VRF) systems are now being applied in a range of building types across North America. Benefits of VRF include zoning applications, variable capacity, distributed control, low operating sound, simultaneous heating and cooling, effective energy usage, quick installation, low ambient operation and low maintenance costs.

The course, which takes place May 16, provides non-manufacturer specific concepts of how to apply VRF systems to buildings. It will supplement the fundamental technology introduction presented in the 2012 ASHRAE Handbook, HVAC Systems and Equipment, offering the consulting engineers who already have a basic knowledge of VRF technology.

Eleven online professional development seminars focused on commissioning, environmental quality, energy efficiency, HVAC applications, and standards and guidelines are being offered this fall by the ASHRAE Learning Institute (ALI).

Participants can access these instructor-led courses from anywhere with an Internet connection, and earn continuing education units/professional development hours for each course completed.

ALI courses provide professional development through in-depth information that is timely, practical and advanced beyond a fundamental level. Online courses are offered every spring and fall.

For pricing or to register, visit www.ashrae.org/onlinecourses. The courses offered this fall cover a variety of topics relevant to today’s built environment, including:

- Commissioning Process & Standard 202, March 30
- IT Equipment Design Evolution & Data Center Operation Optimization, April 6
- Air-to-Air Energy Recovery Applications: Best Practices. April 27
- Laboratory Design: The Basics and Beyond, April 18
- Operation & Maintenance of High-Performance Buildings, May 17 and 18
- Variable Refrigerant Flow System Design & Applications, May 16
- ASHRAE Standard 188-2015 – Successfully Managing the Risk of Legionellosis, April 25
- Complying with Standard 90.1-2013: HVAC/Mechanical, April 13
- Exceeding Standard 90.1-2013 to Meet LEED®, April 11 and 20
- Fundamental Requirements of Standard 62.1-2013, May 2
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Governor Cuomo Announces $20 Million for Binghamton University to Establish New York Node of Nationwide Advanced Manufacturing Initiative

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Binghamton University and NYS Industry Partners – including GE Global Research, Corning, Inc., Lockheed Martin, and i3 Electronics, Inc. – will lead New York node in the Department of Defense’s national “NextFlex” $75 million, five-year initiative to advance flexible hybrid electronics manufacturing

Consortium was part of region’s successful Upstate Revitalization Initiative submission – “Southern Tier Soaring” – and today’s state funding marks the first allocation from that award

Governor Andrew M. Cuomo today announced $20 million to support Binghamton University in its leading role as home to the New York node in the new NextFlex Flexible Hybrid Electronics Manufacturing Innovation Institute. The Institute is part of the National Network for Manufacturing Innovation program, which is an initiative of the Obama Administration to support advanced manufacturing in the U.S.

The state’s $20 million commitment, which is the first allocation from the Southern Tier’s $500 million Upstate Revitalization Initiative award and matches a federal National Manufacturing Innovation Institute award announced last year by the U.S. Department of Defense, will support the retrofitting of space in the former IBM facility in Endicott, as well as specific projects and new businesses that will be utilizing the space. The first year of the program is expected to create up to 200 academic and private sector jobs, with the potential for the creation of up to 1,000 new jobs over the five years of the Flex Tech Alliance Program.

“Southern Tier Soaring is the roadmap toward a stronger economy, and the state’s $500 million award is proof that we believe in the potential of the region’s future,” said Governor Cuomo. "By leading the New York node of this national initiative, Binghamton University and its private sector partners are leveraging their collective strengths and raising New York’s profile as a global leader in innovation and technology. This is a shining example of how the Upstate economy is turning around, and I look forward to seeing what it can be and will be in the years to come."
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Including the $20 million award announced last year by the Department of Defense, the total federal award is $75 million over five-years, which has already attracted nearly $100 million in matching funds and additional support from non-federal sources, private companies, academia, not-for-profit organizations, and several states. Flexible electronics uses both traditional chips as well as printed electronics on plastic, thin glass, paper and fabric materials that can bend. The technology has a range of applications, including health-monitoring patches, medical devices, sensors, imaging systems, prosthetic devices, energy storage and energy harvesting devices.

The Department of Defense chose the FlexTech Alliance, of which Binghamton University is a founding proposal partner, to establish “NextFlex” as America’s first Flexible Hybrid Electronics Manufacturing Innovation Institute. New York State played a critical role in the successful proposal, pledging up to $20 million in matching funds to support and strengthen the FlexTech proposal. The funding will help Binghamton University retrofit space at the Huron Campus in Endicott, enabling the University to attract companies like GE Global Research, Corning, Lockheed Martin and i3 Electronics to conduct research and development and create jobs in the Southern Tier, instead of outside New York State. The $20 million will be disbursed over the five-year period of the NextFlex program and will support specific Flexible Hybrid Electronics Manufacturing Innovation Institute projects as they come to fruition.

Binghamton University President Harvey Stenger, who also serves as Co-Chair of the Southern Tier Regional Economic Development Council, said: “The Flex Tech Alliance and Binghamton University have been leaders in the advancement of flexible electronics manufacturing for nearly a decade. This latest news is an extraordinary affirmation of the work being done by the Alliance and of the work being done by our own researchers here on campus. We want to thank our federal representatives, Senator Schumer, Senator Gillibrand and Congressman Hanna for their support on this federal initiative. We also want to thank Gov. Cuomo and our state officials for supporting the $20 million New York State matching funds that were crucial to making the FlexTech application stronger and more competitive.”

“Our region’s URI plan emphasizes revitalizing Endicott by building on our focus on advanced manufacturing,” said Assemblywoman Donna Lupardo (D-Endwell). “As a result of this investment, companies that use flexible technology will be attracted to locate their businesses here to take advantage of the research being conducted at the Huron campus.”

Empire State Development President, CEO & Commissioner Howard Zemsky said: “This administration recognizes the importance of bolstering our state’s burgeoning advanced manufacturing industry, especially in Upstate New York. By matching the federal funding for this initiative, we are supporting creative tech-based projects and increasing the amount of well-paying, innovation economy jobs in the Southern Tier and New York State.”

Binghamton University and its industry partners, including General Electric Global Research, Corning Incorporated, Lockheed Martin and i3 Electronics Incorporated were uniquely positioned to have a leadership role in this National Manufacturing Innovation Institute through the establishment of a cohesive New York State node, as each partner has a strong history of developing economically relevant technologies. Additionally, additional academic partners, including Cornell University and SUNY research campuses, are expected to participate.
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Together, Binghamton University and its consortium partners will work to develop and then transfer advancements in the field of flexible electronics from the lab to the commercial market. Binghamton and its industry cohorts have already experienced manufacturing successes and expect many more to result from this significant investment. Some of the successes thus far include:

- electronic packaging and reliability;
- thermal interface materials;
- thin chip-on-flex electronic systems-in-package technology;
- power conversion electronics packaging;
- biomedical and diagnostic electronics;
- human performance monitors; sensory systems;
- thin flexible glass for use in flexible electronics and displays;
- 2.5D electronic interposers and functional glass surfaces such as arrays of transparent antennas;
- touch sensitive surfaces; and
- energy storage and conversion.

As part of the Obama administration’s National Network for Manufacturing Innovation, the NextFlex Flexible Hybrid Electronics Manufacturing Innovation Institute is part of a growing network dedicated to securing U.S. leadership in the emerging technologies required to win the next generation of advanced manufacturing. In the coming months, the New York node will work closely with the NextFlex Institute to develop roadmaps and project plans; the consortium expects to begin selecting projects in Q2 2016.

Accelerating Southern Tier Soaring

Today’s announcement accelerates “Southern Tier Soaring,” the region’s comprehensive blueprint to generate robust economic growth and community development. The State has already invested more than $3.1 billion in the region since 2012 to support the plan – attracting a talented workforce, growing business and driving innovation. Today, unemployment is down to the lowest levels since before the Great Recession; personal and corporate income taxes are down; and businesses are choosing places like Binghamton, Johnson City and Corning as a destination in which to grow and invest.

Now, the region is accelerating Southern Tier Soaring with a $500 million State investment through the Upstate Revitalization Initiative, announced by Governor Cuomo in December 2015. The State’s $500 million investment will incentivize private business to invest well over $2.5 billion – and the region’s plan, as submitted, projects up to 10,200 new jobs.

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MECHANICAL ENGINEER (Cont.)

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