**October Chapter Meeting**

**Date:** Tuesday, October 9, 2018

**Location:**
- Social: 5:00-5:15
- Presentation: 5:15-5:45
- Plant Tour: 5:45-6:30
- Dinner: 6:30-7:15

Champaign County Water Treatment Facility
560 County Road 1700, Champaign, IL

**Program:** **Illinois American Water**

Superintendent Brian Wiemers discusses the water treatment process for the Champaign County area.

See the eVite for additional information

**Cost:**
- Members: No cost
- Non-Members: $20
- Student Members: No cost

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**Upcoming Chapter Meetings**

**Nov. 13**

Vactor Manufacturing
Streator, IL

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September 2018 Newsletter
Slate of Officers for 2018-2019

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Paul Ronczkowski, CSP
To: Chapter President/Past President

Congratulations on a great chapter year, the Central Illinois Chapter has achieved the Silver level of Chapter Recognition for the 2017-2018 chapter year! This status is based from the information your chapter submitted in the Chapter Operations Management Tool (COMT) of 6/30/2018.

The work that goes into achieving this level of success is impressive and greatly appreciated by ASSP. Your efforts benefit your chapter members and the safety profession as a whole.

The Platinum and Gold chapter winners will be recognized at the Chapter Recognition Luncheon taking place at Safety2019 in New Orleans.

Again, congratulations on your accomplishment, and thank you for your work in providing accessible, face-to-face opportunities for ASSP members to become better safety professionals.

Sincerely,

Arielle Semmel
Sr. Manager Communities

cc: CoRA VP
    Regional Vice President
    Area Director
Upcoming Chapter Events

November 13  Vactor Manufacturing  Streator, IL
December   No Meeting  Happy Holidays!
January 8   OSHA Update  The Lariat Steakhouse; Peoria, IL
February 12  TBD
March 12  TBD
April 9  TBD
May 14  Chapter 2019-2020 Elections

Mark your calendars for these dates!
ASSP Foundation Invites Students and Professionals to Apply for $370,000 in Aid

Aug 30, 2018

PARK RIDGE, Illinois — The American Society of Safety Professionals (ASSP) Foundation will accept scholarship and grant applications from Sept. 1 to Dec. 1 for its annual disbursement of financial awards in 2019. More than $370,000 is available through nearly 100 awards to occupational safety and health students and professionals, thanks to the generosity of corporate donors and the ASSP community.

Scholarships are available to undergraduate and graduate students, including full-time, part-time and international students studying in the United States. Applicants must be enrolled in an occupational safety or related degree program and have a grade point average of 3.0 for undergraduates and 3.5 for graduates. Professional education grants are available to established safety professionals looking to further their careers through certification, college coursework, conference registration or similar learning opportunities.

“Our scholarship and grant program has helped hundreds of students and professionals advance their education and careers in a meaningful way,” said ASSP Foundation Chair Linda M. Tapp, CSP. “Our donors have consistently supported the occupational safety and health profession by contributing awards that range from $500 to $15,000. Their involvement every year demonstrates that safety careers are vital in helping to protect workplaces everywhere.”

Candidates must only complete one online application to be eligible for all available awards. Recipients are matched with the criteria set forth by the fund’s donor, and those selected will be notified in April.

“Your generosity has inspired me to help others, continue to work and study hard, and to eventually be able to help students reach their academic goals in the same way you are helping me,” said Slippery Rock University student Makenzie Herbinko, who previously received a $10,000 Bechtel Corporation Impact Scholarship to study safety management. She expects to graduate in 2019.

Scholarship and grant applicants can get more information on the program by reading frequently asked questions. Additional questions should be directed to the ASSP Foundation at asspfoundation@assp.org or 847.699.2929.

The ASSP Foundation – the charitable arm of the Society that was chartered in 1990 – receives contributions from society members and their families, its chapters, regions, common interest groups and corporations motivated to support the occupational safety and health profession. It has awarded more than $3 million in scholarships and professional education grants, helping more than 1,300 safety students and professionals. The ASSP Foundation provides resources for educational advancement, leadership development and research. For more details on the ASSP Foundation and its many programs, visit foundation.assp.org.
Patrick A Costello, P.E., CSP
819 Belsly Way
Metamora, IL 61548

Patrick,

Please find enclosed the official charter for the Central Illinois Chapter of the American Society of Safety Professionals along with the updated State of IL incorporation report of the name change.

Thank you for your assistance with aiding in the updating of all documents during this important milestone.

As you work to provide accessible, face-to-face opportunities for members during your officer year, if you have any questions please contact Chapter Services at chapterservices@assp.org, visit the Community Leader Resource pages at (https://www.assp.org/community-leader-resources) or use the resources provided by your RVP or Area Director.

Congratulations on this accomplishment!

Sincerely,

Chapter Services

cc: RVP/AD
AMERICAN SOCIETY OF SAFETY PROFESSIONALS

Charter
Granted to
Central Illinois Chapter

to promote the advancement of the Safety Profession, and foster the well-being and
professional development of its members.
Witness the signatures of its duly authorized officers affixed

July 28, 1950

This Charter shall remain in effect so long as the chapter complies with
the by-laws of this organization

Rixio Melina, CSP, ASP, CPP
ASSP 2018-2019 President

Dennis Hudson, J.D.
ASSP Secretary