

ACE RESOURCES

A newsletter for the Association

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2022 President's Message

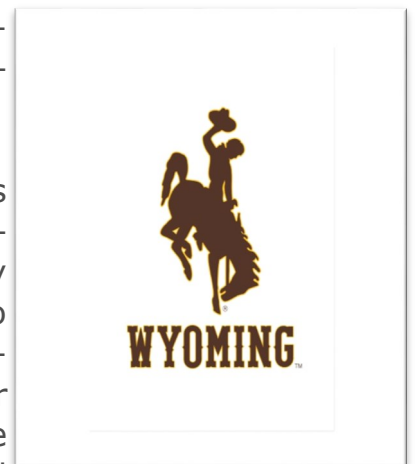
The time has come to officially invite all of our members to the 61st Annual ACE Conference to be held at the Little America Hotel and Resort in Cheyenne, Wyoming. This year the Wyoming Game and Fish Department will be the hosts and the dates for this year's conference will be October 10-12. In addition, we will host a welcome reception on October 9, and intend for an offsite fieldtrip on Thursday, October 13. I very much look forward to seeing you all again and showing off some of what southeast Wyoming has to offer. Part of the "charm" of the high plains is the unpredictable weather. Therefore, it is recommended to bring your flip flops and parkas, as you may need both before noon.



I want to recommend all of our membership to look at the projects you have been working on and consider submission for the ACE Carl V. Anderson conservation Project Award (<https://conservationengineers.org/awards/>). This year's awards committee chairman is Jacob Novak (Missouri). Drop him a line if you are interested in submitting for the awards.

As always, we need membership help to spread the word about the memorial scholarship we offer. Matt Prenger is the scholarship committee chairman this year. Let him know if you have any candidates in mind. Further updates about the scholarship can be found later in this newsletter, so keep on reading.

We are working hard to bring you a dynamic line up of field trips and presentations for this year's conference. Visits to the renewable energy program at our local community college, the high bay research facility at the University of Wyoming, as well as a trip to the beautiful Snowy Range are all planned for this year. In addition, Cheyenne is the State Capitol and has many opportunities for some western heritage experiences. If you are able to schedule some extra time, be sure to check out the Depot Plaza, the Old West Museum, the State Capitol Building, or the Quebec I Missile site. There are also plenty of downtown dining opportunities and a number of local breweries and distilleries to visit. I look forward to seeing you all in Cheyenne in October!!



2022 ACE President, Loren Woodin - Wyoming

REMEMBER TO BRING YOUR SILENT AUCTION ITEMS—PROCEEDS GO TO OUR SCHOLARSHIP FUND!

PRELIMINARY CONFERENCE AGENDA
Association of Conservation Engineers (ACE)
October 9-13, 2022, Cheyenne, WY

Sunday October 9th

Executive Committee Meeting: 2:30pm—4:30pm

Conference Registration: 5:00pm—9:00pm

Welcome Reception: 6:00pm—9:00pm

Monday, October 10th

8:00am—5:00pm

Conference Registration: 8:00am—8:30am

Welcome and Presentations: 8:30am—12:00pm

8:30 —9:10am Welcome, WGFD Director Brian Nesvik

9:10—9:30am ACE Roll Call & Introductions

9:30—10:15am Florida Fish & Wildlife Presentation by Taylor Kroll

10:15—10:30am Introduction of Exhibitors & Sponsors

10:30—10:45am Break

10:45—11:45am Presentations TBD (opens spots, contact Loren if interested)

11:45am—12:00pm Group Picture

12:00—1:00pm Plated Lunch

1:15—2:15pm Exhibitor Presentations

2:15—3:00pm Wyoming Game & Fish Dept Senior Land Surveyor, Darby Schock

3:00—3:15pm Break

3:15—4:00pm Presentation TBD

4:00—4:45pm ACE Business Meeting

5:30pm Meet in Lobby for carpool

6:00—8:00pm Dinner on your own

8:00—10:00pm Hospitality Room

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Tuesday, October 11

8:00am—8:30pm

8:10am—9:00am Cheyenne Board of Public Utilities Presentation, Bryce Door

9:10am—10:00am Short Span Steel Bridge Alliance—Michael Barker, PE

10:15am—12:00pm Field Trip, Laramie County Community College

12:10pm—12:30pm Box Lunch, Provided on Bus

12:10— 5:00pm Field Trip & Presentations, University of Wyoming

1:00—1:50pm Rebecca Watanabe—High Bay Research Facility

2:00—2:50pm Science Initiative Building

3:15—4:00pm Tyler Kerr - EERB122—MakerSpace

4:10—4:55pm Tawfik Elshehabi—EERB233—Drill Simulator

5:00—7:00pm Dinner in Laramie, provided by ACE

7:00—8:30pm Travel to Cheyenne

8:30—10:00pm Hospitality Room

Wednesday, October 12th

8:00am—5:00pm

Conference Registration: 8:00am—8:30am, **Presentations:** 8:30am—12:00pm

8:30 —9:30am Infiltronics Environmental, LLC presentation, Kathleen M. & Virginia G Trauth

9:30—10:15am Interstate Streams in Wyoming, Jeff Cowley—Wyoming State Engineer's Office

10:15—10:45am Break

10:45—11:15am Presentation TBD (opens spots, contact Loren if interested)

11:15am—12:00pm Engineering Ethics, Jacob Novak

12:00—1:00pm Plated Lunch

1:15—2:00pm Wyoming Game & Fish Dept. Presentation—Wildlife Crossings, Dan

McGillivray 2:00—2:45pm Fisheries Engineering in Wyoming—Justin Terfehr, WWC
Engineering

2:45—3:15pm Break

3:15—4:00pm Illinois Dept. of Natural Resources Presentation—ACE President-Elect Dale Brockamp

4:00—5:00pm ACE Business Meeting

5:00—6:00pm Break

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6:00—9:00pm **Semi-Formal Dinner**

6:00—7:00pm Cocktail Hour

7:00—8:00pm Plated Dinner

8:00—8:20pm Banquet Keynote Speaker, Brandon Gebhart, Wyoming State Engineer

8:20—8:40pm ACE Awards Presentation

8:40—8:50pm Closing thoughts/Passing of the Gavel

8:50—9:00pm 2023 Preview

9:00—10:00pm Hospitality

Thursday, October 13

7:30am—3:30pm—Field Trip

7:30—11:00am Field Trip, Snowy Range

11:00am—1:00pm Field Trip, Territorial Prison, Laramie, WY

1:00—3:00pm Field Trip, Quebec 01 Missile Alert Facility-State Park

3:00—3:30pm Travel to Cheyenne

SPONSOR LEVELS

PLATINUM	GOLD	SILVER	BRONZE	EXHIBITOR	CONTRIBUTOR
\$5,000	\$3,000	\$2,000	\$1,000	\$600	\$500
2 Exhibitor Spaces	2 Exhibitor Spaces	1 Exhibitor Spaces	X	1 Exhibitor Spaces	X
4 Full Conference Registrations	2 Full Conference Registrations	2 Full Conference Registrations	1 Full Conference Registrations	1 Full Conference Registrations	X
Full Page Ad in Conference Agenda	1/2 Page Ad in Conference Agenda	1/3 Page Ad in Conference Agenda	1/3 Page Ad in Conference Agenda	Recognition in Conference Agenda	Recognition in Conference Agenda
Recognition in Post Conference Newsletters	Recognition in Post Conference Newsletters	Recognition in Post Conference Newsletters	Recognition in Post Conference Newsletters	X	Recognition in Post Conference Newsletters
Logo and link on ACE website	Logo and link on ACE website	Logo and link on ACE website	Logo and link on ACE website	Name and link on ACE website	Name and link on ACE website



If you know of a contractor, consultant or supplier that would be interested in being a Sponsor, let a board member know, or email their information to loren.woodin1@wyo.gov

ONLINE REGISTRATION IS OPEN!!

Registration for the October 2022 ACE conference is open on the ACE website <https://conservationengineers.org/conference-2022/>

Also on the website you can find lodging information at the Little America Hotel and Resort

Contact admin@meetingsnorthwest.com if you have questions or need assistance.

MEMBER CONFERENCE REGISTRATION RATES

CONFERENCE DURATION	REGISTRATION PRICE	EARLY BIRD PRICE
Full Conference	\$500	\$450
Two Days	\$450	\$400
One Day	\$250	\$200

STUDENT CONFERENCE REGISTRATION RATES

CONFERENCE DURATION	REGISTRATION PRICE	EARLY BIRD PRICE
Full Conference	\$300	\$250
Two Days	\$270	\$230
One Day	\$150	\$125

OTHER CONFERENCE REGISTRATION RATES

Guest Full Conference	\$250
Guest One Day	\$75
Exhibitor	\$600

EARLY REGISTRATION CLOSSES SEPTEMBER 9, 2022

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**61st ANNUAL
ACE CONFERENCE
OCT. 10-12, 2022
Cheyenne, WY**



AMES MONUMENT—i-80, Wyoming

SPREAD THE WORD!!! The ACE Conference is an excellent way to network with people from the Forest Service, National Park Service, State Departments of Natural Resources, State Parks, State Game & Fish Departments along with contractors, and vendors involved in the conservation industry.



North Platte River—Treasure Island Public Access Area



EVYLYN AND JAMES SCHALK'S LEGACY

Evelyn (Evy) Schalk, wife of James (Jim) Schalk, died peacefully June 2, 2022, three months shy of her 97th birthday. She established the James Schalk Scholarship after Jim died in 2000.

Evy enjoyed accompanying Jim to the ACE conferences. She looked forward to meeting old friends, and participating in the activities; the conference was truly one of the year's highlights for her. Although Evy outlived most of her close, personal friends, reminiscence about her travels with my father was a pleasure she shared with her new "young" friends, and grandchildren who enjoyed the energetic, and good-natured tales.

Evy and Jim were both ardent supporters of conservation, they passed their appreciation of nature, and responsibility for stewardship of natural resources to their children, and grandchildren. As she aged, Evy's concern for the well-being of the earth was as strong as ever. In recognition of her personal commitment to the environment, and the close bond she shared with Jim we children have asked that her name be added to the scholarship, and we are asking friends, and family to make donations to it, in her name. The Schalk children, and grandchildren are very proud that our parents will be remembered in this way, and we send our congratulations to all past, and future scholarship winners.

HEY!! LET'S SNIFF OUT A TRIP TO WYOMING IN OCTOBER



ACE OBJECTIVES

- 1) *To encourage and broaden the educational, social and economic interest of engineering practices.*
- 2) *To promote the recognition of the importance of sound engineering practices in fish, wildlife and recreation development.*
- 3) *To enable each member to utilize the experiences of other members.*
- 4) *To generally take all such proper action that may be necessary to further the cause of fish, wildlife and recreational developments.*

