

## EVENT CALENDAR:

### November

17th -Management Group Meeting

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## November Meeting

November 2011

### The Management Group Presents:

*Managing the Missouri*

Thursday, November 17th

**Presenter:** Jody S. Farhat, P.E., Chief, Missouri River Basin Water Management

The meeting will also feature a presentation of the Professional Practice Ethics and Leadership Award to Mayor James H. "Jim" Suttle, P.E., M.ASCE

**Location:** Granite City Food and Brewery  
1001 N. 102nd Street  
Omaha, NE

**Times:** Social Hour 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.  
Dinner 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.  
Award Presentation 7:30 p.m.  
Program 7:35 p.m.

**Price:** Dinner and Program: \$15 per person  
Program only: \$10  
ASCE Student Members: Free  
Speaker: Free

**Menu:** Grilled Garlic Butter Sirloin  
Grilled BBQ Boneless Pork Chops  
Mediterranean Chicken  
Island Tuna  
Tortellini with Chicken in Creamy Tomato Pesto

Please pay at the door by check or cash only. A receipt will be given upon request.

Sign-up at: [www.neasce.org/meal\\_signup/](http://www.neasce.org/meal_signup/)

RSVP by 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, November 16th

Deadline for articles to be published in the January newsletter will be January 2nd. Email articles to Greg Seib at [editor@neasce.org](mailto:editor@neasce.org)

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Thanks to all of those who attended the tour of the new TD Ameritrade Headquarters. The building is really beginning to take shape. Look for the opportunity to tour some time again in 2012.

How did you spend your extra hour as we switched from daylight savings time to standard time? At our construction meeting the challenge was placed to volunteer your time for the extra hour. When attending this months meeting when you sing in please note your volunteer contribution to be shared with the group. The most unique contribution qualifies for a small thank you gift.

This months meeting presented by Jody S. Farhat, P.E., Chief, Missouri River Basin Water Management will be on Managing the Missouri. We will also be recognizing Mayor Jim Suttle, P.E. M.A.S.C.E for receipt of the Professional Practice Ethics & Leadership Award.

Our next meeting will be in Lincoln on January 19, 2012 (the first meeting in 2012) hosted by the Water Resources Group.

The Younger Member group is coordinating a booth at the Benson High School College and Career Fair on Thursday, March 15, 2012. Anyone interested to participate is welcome to volunteer by contacting Andres Torres, P.E. at andres.torres@valmont.com. It can really be a fun time interacting with students and sharing what we do as Civil Engineers.

Watch for upcoming industry tours over the next couple of months. Tentative tour locations are Griffin Pipe, in Council Bluffs and TD Ameritrade Ball Park, in Omaha.

As a benefit to all members the Board has voted to keep dinner meals at \$15.00 for the remainder of the year.

Enjoy the Thanksgiving Holiday with family and friends.

Sincerely,

-Daren Konda, P.E., M.ASCE

# September Structural Group Meeting

Thanks to the Structural Group for hosting the September meeting. The list below may be considered official documentation of attendance at the September 15th, 2011 meeting worth 1 PDH credit.

John Hill  
Sean Bergstedt  
Kip Squire  
Joshua Storm  
Scott Gilliland  
Loras Klostermann  
Edward Fink  
Jeff Kopocis

Mike Baumert  
Jeremy Steenhoek  
Dick Netley  
David Klostermeyer  
Rich Kotan  
Ed Prost  
Thomas Strauss  
Daren Konda

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Tom Jizba  
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 Doug Kellner  
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 Jeremy Steenhoek  
 John Smith  
 Loras Klostermann  
 Mike Smith  
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 Ed Prost  
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 Daren Konda  
 Ed Thiele  
 Jason Lanoha  
 Joe Franco  
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 Mike Naccarato  
 Patricia Rohan  
 Sean Bergstedt

Alexa Bledsoe  
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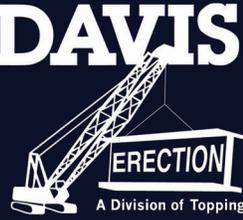
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# ASCE Region 7 Continuing Education Seminars and Workshops

ASCE Geographic Services is pleased to provide you with a list of upcoming Continuing Education seminars and workshops scheduled in your geographic area. These in-depth, practice-oriented programs are produced by ASCE's Continuing Education Department.

The Region 7 schedule, and the complete Winter 2011 – Spring 2012 Continuing Education schedule (as well as the Summer – Fall 2011 schedule) have been placed under the “Links” tab on the ASCE Region 7 website.

TECHNICAL DIVISION	DATE	LOCATION	SEMINAR/WORKSHOP
Hydraulics & Water Resources	October 12-14, 2011	Denver, CO	GIS for Hydraulic and Hydrologic Modeling Using ArcGIS Desktop
Hydraulics & Water Resources	October 27-28, 2011	St. Louis, MO	Introduction to Detention Pond Design – Parking Lots and Urban Drainage
Structural	October 27-28, 2011	Denver, CO	Seismic Loads for Buildings and Other Structures
Structural	November 3-4, 2011	St. Louis, MO	Wind Loads for Buildings and Other Structures
Structural	November 3-4, 2011	Kansas City, MO	Design of Cold Formed Steel Structures The New 2007 Specification
Hydraulics & Water Resources	November 16-18, 2011	St. Louis, MO	HEC-RAS Computer Workshop
Structural	December 14-16, 2011	Denver, CO	Design of Foundations for Dynamic Loads
Structural	January 19-20, 2012	St. Louis, MO	Structural Condition Assessment of Existing Structures
Structural	March 15-16, 2012	Denver, CO	Design of Lateral Force Resisting Systems Using the 2009 International Building Code
Transportation/Highways	March 21-23, 2012	St. Louis, MO	Techniques for Pavement Rehabilitation
Geotechnical	March 29-30, 2012	Denver, CO	Design and Installation of Buried Pipes

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