

October 2025



October President's Column

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ASCE Seattle Section President

Hello Seattle Section,

It is hard to believe it is finally October!

Please join us for our ASCE Convention Happy Hour on October 9, 2025, and network with local members and those visiting from around the world in town for ASCE Convention.

Join us on October 22 for our first Dinner of the year with the YMF where presenter David Peden PE, SE, LEED AP board member of BRPELS gives an overview of BRPELS, update members on new items and take questions from members.

Lastly, we are looking to build up our legislative committee. If this is something you are interested in learning more about, please contact our new chair Grace.

If you are looking to get more involved with ASCE, please contact me at president@seattleasce.org.

Stay updated on our latest events, please check out our Section Website, subscribe to the newsletter and give us a follow on LinkedIn.

We have many events to attend/volunteer coming up, so please read to the end and we hope to see you there!

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**ASCE 2025 Convention Happy Hour -
October 9, 2025**

Save the Date!

SIP & SOCIALIZE

STOUP BREWING - CAPITOL HILL



ASCE 2025 CONVENTION SOCIAL

October 9, 2025

1158 Broadway, Seattle, WA 98122

7:00PM – 10:00PM

FREE EVENT!



Please join us for a social hosted by the ASCE Seattle YMF!

This will be a casual, free event open to all, with a focus on 21+. We'd love to see you there!

Huge Thank You to Keller for Sponsoring this Event!

Please visit Keller at <https://www.keller.com/> for more information and opportunities!

Please contact Nicki at ymf@seattleasce.org with any questions or comments.

RSVP Here: [Sip & Socialize - ASCE 2025 Convention Social Hosted by ASCE Seattle YMF](#)

First Dinner of the Year! Seattle Section & YMF: BRPELS Talk

ASCE SEATTLE SECTION & YMF BRPELS TALK RSVP

WEDNESDAY, OCT 22 | 5:30PM - 9PM

UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON (SEATTLE) OR
SEATTLE UNIVERSITY CAMPUS



Our first presenter of the year will be David Peden, PE, SE, LEED AP.

David is a Principal Structural Engineer with Coffman Engineers with nearly 40 years of experience and a current board member on the Board of Registration for Professional Engineers & Land Surveyors (BRPELS). He will present an overview of BRPELS, PE licensure pathway and recent exam changes, and engineering ethics. This will be a joint event hosted by ASCE Seattle Section, YMF, and BRPELS. Dinner will be provided.

Both practicing engineers and students are highly encouraged to attend!

Come with questions for BRPELS as Board members and staff will be in attendance.

Please RSVP, and hope to see you at our first dinner of the year!

[Click here to RSVP](#)

Legislative Committee Recruiting



I'm Grace Amundsen Barnkow, chair of the Legislative Committee. I hold a BS in Civil Engineering and Business from the University of Alaska Fairbanks and an MPA from the University of Colorado Denver. Over the years I've worked with the Alaska and Washington State DOTs, the City of SeaTac, Pacific County, and in private practice.

Our committee keeps an eye on legislation that matters to engineers, gathers input from members on priority issues, and helps make sure our profession's voice is heard. We're looking for new members to join us—whether you're interested in tracking bills, sharing your perspective, or just learning more about how policy affects engineering.

If you'd like to be involved, we'd love to have you! Those who are interested can email president@seattlasce.org.

**SEAW 75th Anniversary Celebration -
October 21, 2025**



Engineering Resume Review Night - October 8, 2025

Date: Wednesday, October 8, 2025

Time: 5:00–7:00 p.m. PT
4:45–5:00 p.m. | Arrival,
Check-in, Light Snacks
5:00–5:15 p.m. |
Professionals-Only
Program Review &
Resume Support Tips
5:20–7:00 p.m. | Resume
Review Roundtables

Location: Seattle University,
Oberto Commons

Registration Deadline:

This fall, Seattle University is hosting our annual Engineering Resume Review Night on Wednesday, October 8, 2025.

This event is an opportunity for SU alumni and engineering professionals to give back to the Redhawk community while helping students prepare for internships and full-time opportunities during a particularly competitive hiring season.

The evening will begin with a short professionals-only session where our team will walk through the program structure, provide tips for supporting students in this setting, and offer light snacks.

Thursday, September 25, 2025,
at 5:00 p.m.

[RSVP Here](#)

From there, we'll transition into speed-round resume reviews. Each professional will be paired with small groups of 1–5 students from their discipline to review resumes, answer questions, and offer advice. After each round, you'll rotate to a new group of students.

ASCE 2025 Convention - October 8-11, 2025

REGISTRATION IS OPEN



Join civil engineers from around the world in Seattle Oct. 8-11 for 3 days dedicated to inspiring innovative infrastructure!

[Register today for ASCE 2025.](#)

ASCE Seattle Job Board

[Click here to view open positions](#)

Clark Regional Wastewater District Development Program Manager

Posted 9/30/2025

Clark Regional Wastewater District is seeking an experienced Engineer to serve as the Development

Program Manager and manage the development review program, and provide leadership to the team. Great opportunity to join a professional, community-oriented and growing utility located in the beautiful Pacific Northwest in Clark County, Washington.

Puget Sound Energy Civil Engineer III

Posted 9/11/2025

As a member of the substation engineering design team at Puget Sound Energy, you'll contribute to vital projects that power our communities and support the escalating demand for green energy across Western Washington, all while growing your expertise and advancing your career as a Civil Engineer III. This position requires considerable experience with developing civil permit and construction drawings for land development associated with new and existing substations. Experienced at grading plans, storm drainage, erosion control and other civil related elements required.

Puget Sound Energy Senior Civil Engineer

Posted 9/11/2025

As a member of the substation engineering design team at Puget Sound Energy, you'll contribute to vital projects that power our communities and support the escalating demand for green energy across Western Washington, all while growing your expertise and advancing your career as a Senior Civil Engineer. This position requires substantial experience with developing civil permit and construction drawings for land development associated with new and existing substations. Experienced at grading plans, storm drainage, erosion control and other civil related elements required. Working understanding of state and local storm water regulations, building codes and industry standards is essential.

Advertise your current open positions to ASCE Seattle members today for only \$75 for the first month and \$50 for each subsequent month of the same content.

[Email communications@seattleasce.org](mailto:Emailcommunications@seattleasce.org) to learn more.

Upcoming Committee Meetings

Younger Member Forum (YMF)

Interested in networking events and opportunities with ASCE Seattle's Younger Members? Be sure to [subscribe to the YMF Newsletter here](#) to stay up to date.

ASCE History and Heritage Committee

Our next ASCE History and Heritage Committee meeting is on 10/25 at 8:30 am on Zoom.



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