



January 2018 Newsletter

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Dear ,

Happy New Year!

Vermont ASCE held the Annual Vermont Section Ski Day on January 26th at Sugarbush Resort. The weather cooperated and provided bluebirds skies with great views of the Champlain Valley and Green Mountains. Over 50 student and professional members attended the event, breaking last years record attendance. This event continues to grow in numbers, with many professionals attending from out of state. We hope to see everyone again next year on January 25, 2019.

Upcoming events include the Engineers Banquet on February 23rd and the VT Section Annual Meeting on May 9th. We are pleased to announce that the 2018 ASCE President-Elect, Robin Kemper, will be attending our annual meeting this year. We are working to fill up the remaining 2018 spring schedule. Stay tuned for more news and updates as they become available.

In this month's newsletter you'll find:

- [Annual Vermont Section Ski Day](#)
- [Engineers Week Banquet](#)
- [Annual Meeting - SAVE THE DATE](#)
- [VT INFRASTRUCTURE REPORT CARD](#)
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If you have any questions or ideas for the Section please do not hesitate to contact me. Hope to see you all at upcoming meetings.

Sincerely,
Nathan A. Pion, P.E., M.ASCE

Save the Date VT Section Annual Ski Day

We had bluebird skies at our annual VT Section Ski Day on Friday January 26th at Sugarbush.

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We Won!



The event was well attended by both students and professionals. Over 25 students from UVM attended the event to network with professionals and hear about the benefits of their ASCE memberships.



Engineers Week Banquet

The Engineers Week Banquet will be held on Friday, February 23, 2018 at Trader Duke's Hotel (Same location, New name). The event will begin with a cocktail hour at 5PM, followed by dinner, awards and presentations. Dr.

Greg Warrington, Associate Chair of Mathematics and Statistics at the University of Vermont, will be giving the Keynote Presentation on "The Mathematics of Juggling".



The Vermont Section won the Outstanding Section & Branch Award for Small Sections in 2012 & 2013. This means that we were the BEST small ASCE section in the nation!



Save the Date VT ASCE Annual Meeting

Our annual meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 9, 2018 in Burlington. We are pleased to announce that 2018 ASCE President Elect, Robin Kemper, will be attending. The meeting will include a site visit, dinner, presentation, annual inductions and awards. We hope that you will attend. More information to follow.

Calling All Infrastructure Experts

Lend your expertise in helping to assess the condition of Vermont's Infrastructure. We are looking for volunteers to help updated our Infrastructure Report Card. This short-term volunteer opportunity is a great way to both expand your knowledge, contacts, and give back. Without engineers assessments and recommendations, our critical infrastructure can be overlooked. Vermont legislators have used the 2014 report card extensively and included recommendations in new bills and budgeting. We will kickoff the report card planning in February and are open to all levels of help and knowledge.

Help us update information on:

- Bridges

- Roads
- Dams
- Solid Waste
- Drinking Water
- Wastewater

With your help we could include many other categories:

- Aviation
- Energy
- Parks and Recreation
- Rail
- Schools
- Transit

Please contact [Jessica Louisos](#) with interest or additional information.



Helpful Links:

<https://www.infrastructurereportcard.org/>

<https://www.infrastructurereportcard.org/state-item/vermont/>

Student Chapter Update New England Regional Conference

The New England Regional Conference is set for April 27th-29th. We're excited to see you there!



If you are interested in becoming a [sponsor for the conference](#) or judging mead paper competition, please contact either [Andrea Ameden](#) or [Luis Vaz](#).

You are welcome to contact me at [Vermont ASCE Newsletter](#) if you have something to contribute to the newsletter. Let us know if you have suggestions on how we may serve you better.

Sincerely,



Nathan A. Pion, P.E., M.ASCE
ASCE Vermont Section President
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