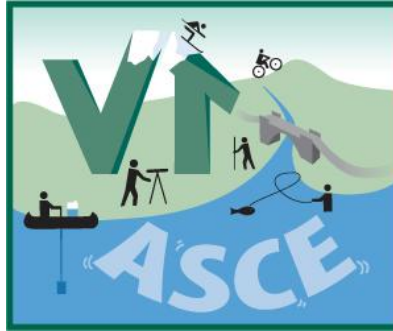


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VTASCE Monthly News and Updates

Good Afternoon members of Vermont Section of ASCE. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, all in person events will be suspended until further notice. We will keep you informed as things change as we hope to reschedule our annual meeting to late summer or early fall. I hope everyone is staying safe and keeping busy.

Urgent: We've recently just been informed that there is a plan to close the Randolph Center campus of VTC, a campus that has provided Architecture and Engineering education to the Southern half of the state for decades. There will be an informational session on Monday and potentially a vote in the near future to finalized this decision. Please take the opportunity to show your support by reaching out to the president and trustee in your locale as soon as possible. [Click here for a sample response to President Moulton and a list of trustees with contact info](#) .

While most of you are working from home, this is a great opportunity to take advantage of ASCE's online resources. Please visit the following website to take advantage of the 10+ free on-demand pdh's members can utilize each year: [10 FREE PDH's](#)

If you have any ideas to make our chapter better for our members, please provide your input using the comment button below. Also, please follow us on facebook using the icon on the top right. Join our facebook group to have conversations between our members about COVID-19 and other topics. [Join VTASCE Facebook Group](#)

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Government Relations

Branden Martin and Jessica Louisos have been advocating for infrastructure funding and support for resilience projects to our National Delegates. The ASCE Flyin, the annual event to connect engineers from each state with their Legislators on the Hill in DC was cancelled, but they were able to connect with the Hill offices through video conferencing. There was a consistent Thank You to the ASCE Vermont section for all the hard work on the 2019 Vermont Infrastructure Report Card, which they routinely use when working on legislation.

New Vermont Dam Safety Rules are in a public comment period until April 24, 2020. Information is available: <https://dec.vermont.gov/water-investment/dam-safety>.

ASCE provided comments on VT S.220, which has now be changed to eliminate requiring 2 hours of education on energy goals and now includes the Office of Professional Regulation reporting on engineer's continuing education, its inclusion of climate change or energy goals, and a description the profession's role in mitigating the effects of climate change and furthering the State's energy goals.

Upcoming Events

April-May

Ballots for our open Board of Directors Postions will be distributed thru online polling.

October 2nd or 3rd - Norwich National Civil Engineering Landmark Plaque Unveiling

Norwich University has been recognized as a National Civil Engineering Landmark for 200 years of Civil Engineering education. The plaque unveiling will be in the vicinity of Chi Epsilon and Tau Beta Pi bents, north of the north entrance to the Engineering, Math and Science buildings. Since the event has been postponed, more details to follow

Section of ASCE Annual Meeting

This event has been postponed due to COVID-19 pandemic. Due to the fluidity of this crisis, we aren't able to pick a date but will keep you informed as things start to improve.

Job Postings

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