

**MSPE 2018-2019 Committees**

**Annual Convention Committee (82<sup>nd</sup> Year)**

**Objective:**

Plan and provide an annual convention that will benefit the profession, the Society and individual members and motivate members to participate.

**Goals:**

1. Develop an agenda to allow flexibility of attendance and select programs whose interest will generate attendance.
2. Meet/exceed budget projections for excess revenue over expenses.

**CHAIR**

Aaron McVicker, P.E., Northeast Chapter

**MEMBERS**

Breck Washam, P.E., St. Louis Chapter  
 Brandon Parrish, P.E., Ozark Chapter  
 Eric Strack, P.E., Western Chapter  
 Mitch Gibler, E.I., Central Chapter  
 Rachel Goeke, P.E., Ozark Chapter  
 Michael Shearer, P.E., St. Louis Chapter  
 Kelsie Clark, P.E., Western Chapter  
 Bob Becnel, P.E., St. Louis Chapter

**EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS**

Michael Purol, P.E, President  
 Alison Connell, Director of Events

**Awards Committee**

**Objective:**

Recognize deserving members of MSPE at the practice division and state society level.

**Goal:**

1. Work with MSPE's President, Practice Division Chairs and Chapters to develop a full slate of awards to be presented at the Annual Convention.

2. Select the Young Engineer of the Year for MSPE.

**CHAIR**

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**MEMBERS**

**Ex-Officio Member**

**Bylaws Committee**

**Objective:**

Maintain and improve the society's bylaws at the state and chapter level by continual review and study.

**Goals:**

1. Review State and Chapter Bylaws at least once every five years. The purpose of the review is to ensure that the chapter objectives fulfill the requirements of MSPE's Bylaws Article XIV.
2. Chapter initiated revisions to its bylaws shall also be reviewed by the committee for the purpose(s) outlined above. The results and recommendations of the committee's review along with chapter recommendations shall be submitted to MSPE's Board of Directors for Review and approval.

**CHAIR**

Ross Kasman, P.E.

**MEMBERS**

**Government Relations Committee**

**Objective:**

Influence policy, legislation and regulation at the state and local levels, on selected issues in the interest of engineers, the engineering profession and the public welfare.

**Goals:**

1. Work with the Executive Committee and the contract lobbyist

firm to identify priorities for legislative action.

2. Forward a list of members from each chapter that will actively call on the legislators from their geographic area.

3. Draft position papers where necessary.

4. Determine if the Legislative Outlook, in its current format, is the proper vehicle to carry MSPE's legislative message.

**Chair**

Ron Black, P.E.

**Members**

John Briggs, P.E.  
 Anika Careaga, P.E., CPESC  
 Timothy M. Quinn, P.E.  
 Gary Strack, P.E.

**Ex-Officio Members**

Stacey Meyer  
 Travis Lowe  
 Lobbyist Mark Rhoads

**Membership Committee**

**Objective:**

Plan and implement programs to recruit and retain members.

**Goals:**

1. Ensure that membership is being addressed at the chapter & state level. Work directly with MSPE staff & Executive Committee to reach our shared membership goals & to keep membership an active topic. Should include Membership Chairs from each chapter. Investment from July 1, 2016 – June 2017 (2 face-to-face meetings/monthly conference calls)

2. Utilize NSPE programs, the newly registered professional engineer certificate ceremony and other program ideas to recruit and retain members.

3. Provide for appropriate recognition of successful recruitment, retention efforts of the MSPE members at its Annual Convention.

**CHAIR**

Jason Sommerer, P.E.

**MEMBERS**

- Central** – Vacant
- Jefferson City** – Don Jenkins
- Northeast** – Matt Walker
- Northwest** – Tim Klein
- Ozark** – Bethany Forrester
- Rolla** – Vacant
- St. Louis** – Bailey Manula
- Southeast** – Kevin McMeel
- Southwest** – Garrett Wagner
- Western** – Mike Laney

**Ex-Officio Member**

Stacey Meyer

**Nominating & Tellers Committee**

**Objective:**

Submit a slate of nominees for the 2019-2020 Executive Committee officer positions of the society.

**Goals:**

1. Establish committee members as defined in MSPE Bylaws Article X.
2. Conduct the search for a slate of officers in sufficient time to be circulated to the membership not less than sixty days prior to election at MSPE’s Annual Convention.

**CHAIR**

Ron Black, P.E.

**MEMBERS**

(To be announced at the Board of Directors Meeting, June 2019)

**President’s Advisory Council**

**Roles and Responsibilities**

Composed of members who have served as MSPE’s President to support the society’s goals and objectives. This may include being a mentor or resource for officers, board members and committee

chairs. Council members are encouraged to mentor and work with young members as well as new and prospective members.

**Objective**

Serve as a resource for MSPE’s Leadership at the state and chapter levels.

**Goals**

1. Serve as a resource to MSPE’s President-Elect in planning their Presidency.
2. Provide advice and assistance to all new officers as requested.
3. Assist in policy and procedure reviews and updates as asked.
4. Offer aid/assistance to the Immediate Past President in their role as the Chair of the Nominating and Tellers Committee in the development of future officers
5. Assist with the Hall of Fame – including helping the state leadership develop a list of prospective inductees and offering help to coordinate the nomination submission.
6. Assist MSPE with Special Activities and Events as asked.
7. Help make outreach contacts for such items as advertising, convention sponsorships, grassroots lobbying, etc.
8. Assist with the development and coordination of any special activities/observances.

**MEMBER**

- Ron Black, P.E.....(17-18)
- E. Matt Bedinghaus, P.E.....(16-17)
- Breck Washam, P.E..... (15-16)
- Gary Strack, P.E..... (14-15)
- Neil Brady, P.E..... (13-14)
- David Howe, P.E..... (12-13)
- Britt E. Smith, P.E..... (11-12)
- Kurt E. Higgins, P.E..... (10-11)

- Benjamin A. Ross, P.E..... (09-10)
- Charles E. Powell, P.E..... (08-09)
- Ronald F. Kadane, P.E..... (07-08)
- Ronald E. Zitterkopf, P.E.... (06-07)
- Brad R. Parrish, P.E..... (05-06)
- Michael A. Meyers, P.E..... (04-05)
- Marie A. Collins, P.E..... (03-04)
- John V. Huss, P.E..... (02-03)
- Kevin C. Skibiski, P.E..... (01-02)
- Charles E. Owsley, P.E. .... (00-01)
- J. Kensey Russell, P.E..... (99-00)
- William P. Clarke..... (98-99)
- Fred Palmerton, P.E. .... (97-98)
- Lynn E. Bertuglia, P.E. .... (95-96)
- Gerald Reihsen, P.E. .... (94-95)
- Robert C. Flory, P.E..... (93-94)
- Dr. Robert L. Davis, P.E..... (91-92)
- Myron D. Calkins, P.E. .... (81-82)
- James S. Anderson, P.E..... (80-81)
- Thomas A. Herrmann, P.E. . (79-80)
- Thomas C. Baker, Jr., P.E. ... (78-79)
- R.David Plank, P.E. .... (74-75)
- Charles H. Zurheide, P.E..... (73-74)
- Lester C. Webb, Jr., P.E. .... (72-73)
- J. M. Beauchamp, P.E. .... (71-72)
- Paul Q. Olschner, P.E. .... (70-71)
- David H. Lillard, P.E. .... (69-70)
- J. Kent Roberts, P.E. .... (65-66)
- Robert N. Hunter, P.E..... (64-65)

Marshall Bliss, P.E..... (62-63)

John W. Hubler, P.E..... (54-55)

**Publications Committee**

**Objective:**

Attain and maintain high standards in both the content and appearance of MSPE's communication methods.

**Goals:**

1. Meet/exceed budget projections of excess revenue over expenses.
2. Increase Professional Card Listings.
3. Suggest changes as appropriate.

**CHAIR**

Vacant

**MEMBERS**

**Ex-Officio Member**

Vacant

**PDH Task Force**

**Objective:**

Plan the programming for MSPE's two-day continuing competency event - "Fall PDH Days" – held each December.

**Goals:**

1. Meet/exceed budget projections for revenue over expenses.
2. Choose PDH sessions that provide value are incentives for members and non-members to attends.

**CHAIR**

John Riediger, P.E., Southwest Chapter

**MEMBERS**

Kelsie Clark, P.E., Western Chapter  
Anika Careaga, P.E., CPESC, Jefferson City Chapter  
Mitch Gibler, E.I., Central Chapter  
Matt Weber, P.E., Jefferson City

Chapter

**Ex-Officio Members**

Michael Purol, P.E, President  
Alison Connell, Director of Events

**Sustaining Organization Committee**

**Objective:**

Develop and implement a successful plan for recruiting, retaining and satisfying the needs of sustaining members.

**Goals:**

1. Review previous year's results and strengths/weaknesses and establish methods to retain existing Sustaining Members.
2. Identify and send recruitment letter to a list of approximately 20 firms who are not currently sustaining organizations but which have an interest in engineering; employ engineers or make a profit from the work of the engineering profession.
3. Establish methods to recognize all donors at Society events.

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Vacant

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**Ex-Officio Member**

Stacey Meyer

(This is to be worked in association with the Publications Committee so we can streamline the efforts of going to the 'well' too many times for money)