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Greetings all!

It has been an exciting summer. I am pleased to announce that FHEA has received the ASHE Platinum award for 2012. This is the 6th consecutive year we have received this award! I was proud to accept this award for FHEA at the ASHE Annual Conference in Atlanta this July. I was proud

and honored to also receive the ASHE Region 4 Emerging Leader Award at the Conference. This

membership. Lily Salkoff-Piner, with Petroleum Recovery Services will be state chairperson; District 1 membership chair is Vaughn Nichols, Gulf Power Company, District 2 membership chair is Ed Varnes, Sauer, Inc., District 3 membership chair is Linda Hollingsworth, Barton Malow, and District 4 membership chair is Toni Farber, Saltz Michelson Architects. These folks need your help with the program. They will be rolling the program out at upcoming District meetings and with everybody's help I am confident that we will achieve substantial growth in our membership. Please give your support to these folks in the implementation of this program.

The President's Corner

DAVID KOVACS, CHE, PRESIDENT

was my first time attending an ASHE Annual Conference and I was impressed. I saw many of our fellow FHEA members and met many new friends and peers. There was great networking and a fantastic educational program. If you ever have an opportunity to attend an ASHE conference I recommend you do so.

The Board met in Sandestin August 9th for our summer Board meeting and toured the Sandestin Golf and Beach Resort in anticipation of holding our 2014 Spring Meeting there. The resort is fabulous and will provide a great venue for next year's Spring Meeting.

At the board meeting we presented the format for an FHEA state membership committee that I spoke of in the summer edition of the *Whistle* and the board approved the formation of this committee. I am excited about this committee and its program as we have such a great potential to grow our

Our 51st Annual FHEA Annual meeting and Trade Show is scheduled for October 7-9 at the Hilton Orlando. Go to FHEA.org

for more information, and to register, please go to www.ahcaseminar.com. AHCA's seminar addresses the theme "The Future of Healthcare Design & Construction", and FHEA offers a great lineup of presentations adhering to our theme "Coping with the Changes in the Environment of Care." You also will not want to miss our sold out 281 booth trade show. This meeting is again a partnership with the AHCA Office of Plans and Construction and their Annual Seminar. If you have not already, make every effort to attend and receive this important continuing education. It is critical that we keep on top of the changes inherent to our profession.

I want to thank all the supporting members for their support of FHEA and helping to make the Annual Meeting and Trade Show a huge success. I am looking forward to the meeting and I hope to see you there.



Register Today!

The Florida Healthcare Engineering Association's 51st Annual Meeting and Trade Show will be held Monday, October 7, through Wednesday, October 9, 2013, at the Hilton Orlando. For the 18th consecutive year, our annual meeting is being held in cooperation with the Florida's Agency for Health Care Administration (AHCA), the Office of Plans and Construction. By combining the two meetings, we expect to have well over 1,100 attendees at this important event.

AHCA's two days of presentations on Monday and Tuesday, Oct 7-8, will focus on *The Future of Health Care Design & Construction*. The main speaker sessions will be complemented with breakway sessions in Architecture, Mechanical Engineering, and Electrical Engineering, as well as important Healthcare Facility Engineering sessions on both days regarding design, code, and construction requirements for healthcare facilities. As in the past, AHCA architect and engineer reviewers as well as Fire Protection Specialists will be in attendance. This conference presents a great opportunity for you to meet and get to know these individuals who visit your facilities throughout the year, and to learn alongside them.

FHEA's educational session will take place Wednesday, Oct. 9. The theme of this meeting is *Coping with the Changes in the Environment of Care*.

Register for any portion of this joint conference online at www.ahcaseminar.com. You can also make your hotel reservations here. Full programs details for both AHCA and FHEA are posted on this site.

Coping with the Changes in the Environment of Care

MONDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2013 – AHCA SEMINAR & FHEA TRADE SHOW

- A.M.**
 6:30-8:30 Registration - for AHCA Seminar or dual AHCA/FHEA (*Orlando Ballroom Registration Desk*)
 10:00 FHEA Registration/Exhibitor Check-in (*Orlando Ballroom Registration Desk*)
- P.M.**
 12:30 Board of Directors Meeting - Lunch served (*Lake Lucerne*)
 4:30 **OPENING of FHEA 51st TRADE SHOW** - (*Orlando Ballroom*)
 Dutch-Treat Reception
 7:30 Trade Show closes - On Your Own - Visit Hospitality Suites

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2013 – AHCA SEMINAR & FHEA TRADE SHOW

TRADE SHOW HOURS: 7:00AM - 3:00PM

- A.M.**
 7:00 Registration/Check-in
 7:00-9:00 **TRADE SHOW** - Continental Breakfast (*Orlando Ballroom*)
 10:30-11:00 **TRADE SHOW** - Coffee & Cookie Break (*Orlando Ballroom*)
- P.M.**
 1:15 **TRADE SHOW DOOR PRIZES**
 3:00 Closing of Trade Show
 4:00 District 3 Meeting (*Lake Hart A*)
 4:00 District 4 Meeting (*Lake Hart B*)

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2013 – FHEA ANNUAL MEETING

- A.M.**
 7:00 Registration (*Orange B-C Foyer*)
 7:15 CHE Breakfast (*Hosted by Barton Malow, Lake Lucerne*)
 7:30 Continental Breakfast (*Orange B-C Foyer*)
 8:30 **ANNUAL MEETING** (*Orange B-C*)
 Welcome, Introductions, Announcements
 –David Kovacs, CHE, President
 8:45 **"Meeting Today's Healthcare Security Challenges with Integrated Technologies"**
 –Steve Nibbelink, Global Director, Healthcare Security & RTLS Solutions
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 9:30 **"Life Safety Plans – What to look out for and how to maintain TJC acceptable conditions"**
 –Mark L. Smith, AIA, LEED AP BD+C, Vice President, Florida Operations
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 10:15 Coffee Break
 10:45 **"Review of NFPA 25"**
 –Bob Caputo, CFPS, CET, Vice President
 Fire & Life Safety America
 11:30 **"ASHE Update"**
 –Chad Beebe, AIA, SASHE, Director, Codes and Standards
 American Society for Healthcare Engineering (ASHE)
 12:15 Luncheon - (*Orange Ballroom E-F*)
 (*Hosted by Ring Power Corp. and Pantropic Power, Inc.*)
 Luncheon Address
"The Healing Power of Humor"
 –Dr. Stuart Robertshaw
- P.M.**
 1:30 **FHEA Annual Business Meeting** (*Orange B-C*)
 – CHE Requirements Form Prep Session
 – Committee & District Reports – Elections – Awards
 – Final Door Prizes
 3:00 Adjournment

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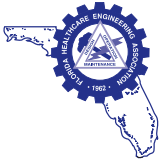
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