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Call for Volunteers: YP Committee

The ACEC-MB Young Professionals Committee (YPC) is looking for new volunteers in the following roles:

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Communications & Promotions:

- Developing and preparing publications, news releases, emails, feedback surveys for events, and promotional materials for the YPC.
 - Primary role as editor of the YPC Newsletter
- Developing YP specific website information and coordinate with the ACEC website coordinator
- Attend monthly committee meetings and assist with other committee activities as required

Student Outreach and Mentorship:

- Assist with implementing the ACEC-MB student mentorship program at the University of Manitoba
 - Recruiting students and mentors
 - Organizing mentorship program events (3 annually)



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- Collecting and managing feedback
- Attend monthly committee meetings and assist with other committee activities as required

Interested persons are invited to contact Tyson Ehnes at tyson.ehnes@aecom.com for more information.



Upcoming Events

ACEC-MB YP Curling

When: Tuesday, April 4, 2017

Location: Pembina Curling Club - 1341 Pembina Hwy

Registration: 5:00 - 5:30pm

Curling (Bingo Format): 5:30 - 7:30pm

Food and Prizes: 7:30pm

Cost: \$30 / Person

Cash bar available during curling as well as after in the lounge.

Curling shoes or clean indoor shoes are Mandatory.

The curling club has a small supply of community brooms that we may use; if possible, please bring your own broom or share with a friend on your team.

Players may register as an individual or as a team of up to four. Groups of less than 4 will be put together.

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ACEC-MB: 640

640 = ACEC Manitoba Celebrates National Engineering Month

This is ACEC Manitoba's 4th annual 640 event celebrating National Engineering Month in our province. Engineering Month is all about celebrating our industry with the general public, and telling others why we do what we do as professionals employed in engineering companies.

640 event is a night of thought-provoking presentations but with a twist on the presentation style. The format is 20 slides lasting 20 seconds each, which equals 6 minutes and 40 seconds. The presenter does not control the slides, which makes for a very interesting presentation and a challenge for even the avid public speaker. The format was originally developed by architects in Japan as a way to speed up presentations and over the past few years has been used by architects and other creative types in Winnipeg at numerous events.

Event Details

Date: Thursday, March 23, 2017

Time: Doors open at 6:00, program to start at 6:30

Location: King's Head Pub, 120 King Street

Cost: FREE

Open to all, no RSVP necessary. Appetizers provided. Come and celebrate with us!

Bring your spouse. Bring your friends. Bring those people who don't know what being an engineer means. Enjoy a refreshment and the exciting presentations and spread the word!

We hope to see you there.

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ACEC-MB Awards Dinner

ACEC-MB Members -

Please join us for a memorable **18th anniversary celebration** of engineering achievements by Manitoba's Consulting Engineering industry. Master of Ceremonies Peter Jordan hosts this spectacular evening where a number of projects contend for Manitoba's most coveted Awards of Excellence in Engineering along with individual recipient awards. Order your tickets for the April 18 event by completing the on-line registration and Pay Pal payment:

[**Register Now!**](#)

Tickets are available at \$200.00 each with corporate tables of 10 @ \$1,700.00.

Location: The Metropolitan Entertainment Centre,
281 Donald Street, Winnipeg

Parking: City Place Parkade, Library
Parkade, Impark lot next to the MET.

Reception and project showcase: 5:30 pm

Dinner: 6:30 pm

Awards: 8:00 pm

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Spotlight on YP Committee

Kate O'Neill, Environmental Scientist

Role: Membership Engagement Lead

Employed by: Dillon Consulting as an
Environmental Scientist

Studied at: University of Guelph

And left with a degree in: Environmental Science,
Honours in Environmental Biology

Years in Consulting: Two

Why I love my job: I really like being able to travel and spend time in the field, learning a variety of field techniques. I've been to some really interesting places in Canada that I would not have had the chance to go to otherwise.

What I do in my free time: I love anything to do with the outdoors! In the summer I spend many

weekends camping, hiking, kayaking and swimming. In the winter I love downhill skiing (in Northern Ontario or BC), snowshoeing and skating on the Red River Mutual Trail.

Song that best describes my life: Can't think of just one, but any songs that talk about traveling, exploring and adventuring. Those really speak to me and inspire me!

Mac, Windows or Linux? PC

What is the strangest thing you believed as a child? That the tooth fairy made crystal balls and wands out of the teeth she collected. I used to write her a letter with every tooth I put under my pillow asking for a wand....unfortunately never got one (I know, what a surprise!).





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Wednesday, March 22, 2017

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If you'd like more information on the YPC, please contact our Chair, Mike Mackay, at yp@acec-mb.ca
For additional information on ACEC Manitoba and the ACEC Manitoba YPC, please visit our website at www.acec-mb.ca

Find old copies of the ACEC-MB YPC Newsletter at <https://acec-mb.ca/yp-newsletter/>

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