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Upcoming YP Events

Mentorship Program 2019/2020

Registration is open for the 2019/2020 Mentorship Program! Don't miss out, sign up now!

The ACEC-MB Mentorship Program pairs University of Manitoba engineering students with industry professionals, giving students an opportunity to better understand the consulting engineering industry. It is a great opportunity to give back, gain volunteer (or continuing development) hours, and have an impact on a future engineer's career.

Mentor recruitment is underway for the upcoming year and we invite you to visit the ACEC-MB [website](#) for more information or to access the [mentor application form](#). The program is open to any employee of an ACEC member firm, regardless of background or discipline. All mentor applications must be received by October 11, 2019. For additional information, please contact us at mentorship@acec-mb.ca.

[Click here to sign up!](#)

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11th Annual YP Networking Dinner

Date: Tuesday, November 5, 2019

Time: 5:30 PM

Location: Trans Canada Brewing Co.
1-1290 Kenaston Blvd, Winnipeg, MB

Ticket Cost:

- ACEC-MB Members Earlybird Pricing:
\$65.00 plus GST
- Non-Members & Regular Pricing:
\$75.00 plus GST

The ACEC-MB YPC is hosting its 11th Annual Networking Dinner at the Trans Canada Brewing Co. This event will bring approximately 100 young professionals and managers together from across the consulting engineering industry. We are excited to announce a rebranding of the event to a more casual networking event with the opportunity for those in attendance to network with a wide variety of guests and enjoy a brewery tour before dinner.

All attendees will enjoy a beer tasting and tour of Trans Canada Brewing Co. followed by a served sit down dinner. There will be plenty of time for mixing and networking.

[Click here to register online!](#)



Other ACEC Events

ACEC National Leadership Conference

Date: October 27-29, 2019

Location: Ottawa, ON

Organized for the consulting engineering sector by the consulting engineering sector, the ACEC National Leadership Conference is tailored to the task of driving business for future success and shaping policy to create a positive environment for the sector. The program will give fresh insights into our industry and new ways to grow your business.

This two-day event provides current and emerging leaders the opportunity to:

- Network with peers and leaders from client and stakeholder organizations
- Discover new business partnerships and rekindle past ones
- Explore emerging challenges and opportunities with experts, industry CEOs, and thought leaders
- Celebrate engineering excellence at the Canadian Consulting Engineering Awards Gala

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YPC Member Spotlight

Message from the Chair

As incoming Chair of the Young Professionals Committee (YPC), I'm excited to introduce myself and the YPC. All credit for the success of the YPC goes to the fantastic volunteers who make up our committee, and I would like to thank each of them for their dedication. Our current members include Tyson Ehnes, Ashley Morrissey, Kelsey Rutherford, Josée Rémillard, Jennifer Pieniuta, Nathan Boenders, Sofia Faraz, Leah Daniel, Charlie Pogue, and Katie Whyte. Special thanks goes out to Kerri Hiebert, Executive Director of ACEC-MB, who keeps us all on track.

For those who don't know me, my name is Samantha Whettell (née Symons) and I've been working in the consulting industry for four years. I first joined the YPC because I wanted to connect with people in a similar role to me – people who understood the nuances of consulting and how it feels trying to figure everything out early in your career. I've since met some amazing people through the YPC and have

developed a community and network of people that I can count on to help me navigate my career in consulting.

I believe that supporting young professionals is essential for ACEC-MB and consulting firms in general – young professionals are the future leaders of these firms and this industry. The YPC provides young professionals with networking, educational, and social events dedicated to them. Our annual Young Professionals Networking Dinner is a great example of this. Through this, we are able to bring together 100 young professionals and executives from multiple firms for networking and thoughtful discussion.

I look forward to embarking on this journey as the YPC Chair. A top goal of mine is to increase our outreach to the young professionals working at our member firms. My hope is that all young professionals will know they have a community waiting for them in the YPC. I encourage everyone to visit the [ACEC-MB website](#) to learn more about the YPC or contact me directly at yp@acec-mb.ca.

Samantha Whettell (née Symons), EIT
ACEC-MB Young Professionals Committee Chair



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