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VIRTUAL OPEN FORUM DISCUSSION

April 20, 2022



Date: Wednesday, April 20, 2022

Time: 8:30AM – 9:30 AM

Location: Zoom

Click [Here](#) to Register

Topic: Share Your Thoughts and Ideas – Member Driven Discussion

Join the Chesapeake Chapter conversation to share your thoughts and suggestions. Exchange to focus on the 11 Core FM Skillsets.

View Skillsets [Here](#)

Submit your questions for discussion during registration.

The platform allows for breakout rooms for smaller conversations. Would you be willing to moderate? Contact Mike Antill at Mike.Antill@CORT.com to participate.

Bring your ideas, questions and suggestions and learn how fellow Chapter FMs and Associates can help each other to attain a higher level of well-being and knowledge in these new and unprecedented times.

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April JHSPH Virtual Discussion— All Gender Restrooms

April 28, 2022



Topic: Designing All-Gender Restrooms – JHSPH Case Study

JHSPH and Grid Architects will discuss the recently completed All-Gender Restrooms at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health- highlighting the process of facilitating administrative approval, leveraging existing conditions, responding to evolving code requirements, and strategies for futureproofing, among other aspects.

Discussion and Q&A to follow presentation.

Presenters:



Shannon Ryan, AIA

Assistant Director of Planning, Design and Construction
Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health



Justin Obringer, Partner, Grid Architects



Alick Dearie, Co-Founder, Grid Architects

Click [Here](#) for more details and to register

MEMBERSHIP

Welcome to the newest members of Chesapeake Chapter!

Patrick Austin	Raintree Services	Jacobus
Kameron Jones	T. Rowe Price	Owings Mills
Frederick Johnson	Blakehurst	Towson
Gregory Bentzel	Reynolds Restoration Services	Harrisburg

Calling all volunteers to serve on the IFMA Chesapeake Chapter Membership Committee!

Our committee is looking for additional Chapter Member volunteers to assist with retaining our existing membership through outreach efforts as well as helping to grow our chapter membership through fun and engaging networking events. If you enjoy communicating with your fellow FM colleagues and have 1-2 hours a month to assist, please contact Bill Sell at william.sell@troweprice.com or 410.916.3098.

SAVE THE DATE

May 11, 2022

World FM Day!
Celebrate Your FM!

May 19, 2022

Annual Chapter Cup-Pong Tournament & Celebrate FMs!
Fish Head Cantina
Details & Registration coming soon to the website
5:00PM – 8:00PM

June 16, 2022

Webinar: Ionization
12:00PM – 1:00PM

June 23, 2022

Chapter Annual Awards Banquet
Location to be confirmed
5:00PM – 8:00PM



Celebrate World FM Day on May 11

IFMA is capturing content and event details to recognize and celebrate the profession for World FM Day, May 11, 2022. As a valued IFMA partner, you are invited to submit content, resources and links to celebrate facility managers and the profession By April 25, 2022. IFMA has created a submission form so you can share items for reposting or making available to the global audience.

Additionally, World FM Day organizers have created digital graphic assets for the 2022 celebration. Please feel free to use and/or share the links to the graphic assets and submission form with anyone interested in celebrating the FM profession on World FM Day. [View the Submission Form→](#)

COMMITTEE OPPORTUNITIES

Education & Credentialing

- Committee is looking for volunteers to help in the following areas:
 - Mentoring Programs
 - High School Outreach Programs
 - Corporate Outreach Programs
- IFMA Chesapeake Chapter is partnering with ACE in 2022 to mentor students from various Maryland high schools. Mentorship is focused around Architectural, Construction, Engineering and Facilities.

Contact Don Boos at Donald.Boos@troweprice.com for more details.

Sponsor of the Month

The Sponsor of the month is our long time Platinum Sponsor for 11 years.

Unlimited Restoration Inc. (URI) with the leadership of Rodney O'Neal and Rene Carter continue to be an outstanding dedicated outfit that are very reliable and responsible and the best restoration company. They are very active in helping and training their clients and the IFMA chapter organization and its members in the safety approach in their operation.

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COMMON INTEREST GROUPS



Do you have a passion or hobby that you enjoy and would like to share with other chapter members? We would like to connect like-minded members and have them form informal groups that meet on a regular basis (Details to be determined by the group).

How it works: Respond to the email that you will receive with the passions, hobbies, or interests that you would like to share with others, or that you are interested in exploring. Example of activities: golfing, brewery tours, pickle ball, hiking, billiards, bowling, riding motorcycles, etc. We will collect them and send back out to the Chapter and see who has an interest in each activity. We will connect the people with the common interests and let you work out details (How often, where, when how, etc.....).

The group leader will let the Chapter Administrator know when and where the group will meet so details may be posted on the chapter website.

This will be a great way to connect with other chapter members in a smaller, more personal way. We look forward to hearing from you!

Contact Chapter Administrator at Elizabeth@cqiassociates.com with an activity you are interested in.



Details of the IFMA Foundation Virtual Sustainable Summit can be seen [here](#)

FM RESOURCE DIRECTORY



IFMA Chesapeake can help you find top notch, reliable vendors for services needed at your facility, such as mechanical services, emergency services, fire protection, janitorial, and so much more! Click here to access the on-line Resource Directory. [IFMA - Chesapeake Business Directory](#)

Please consider our associate members when you need an excellent service provider at your facility. Count on our annual chapter sponsors to provide you with the best service and pricing!



Looking for a great candidate to fill an open position at your facility? Send your job postings to Ron Sauter relsauter@outlook.com and we will post them here, and on the website.

View Current Job openings on the website [here](#).

Upcoming Events

Educate | Engage | Encourage

The latest news in the FM world and the Chapter's upcoming events are at your fingertips!

Click [here](#) to view calendar of events and register