



Call for Presentations

NJAPPA General Membership Meeting and Board Elections Stockton University Tuesday, June 17, 2025

The future of facilities depends upon you - the body of experts who lead our institutions. Alongside your higher ed peers and industry partners, re-energize your purpose, refresh your connections to people, and renew your processes for your professional development. Through our selected professional speakers, and peer interactions, it is our goal to offer attendees the tools and strategies that they need to help them build their toolkits.

Audience

Attendance at this conference will include approximately 150 educational facilities management, planning, design, and construction professionals and business partners from New Jersey and surrounding areas. Sessions will be 60 minutes, including time for questions. Business Partners are encouraged to team up with institutions from across the region for joint presentations.

Topics

It is our goal to have tangible takeaways that attendees can readily apply back at their institution. We are looking for you to develop and expound upon your ideas clearly and articulately. Tell us how your session offers strategies for our institutional members to help them build their toolkits for success. Sessions should also be engaging and interactive. The Professional Development Committee seeks a balanced program built around the following:

- ***What's New and Exciting?*** – Bring innovative solutions to everyday facilities challenges through effective processes, employee engagement, and how you drive purpose throughout your organization.
- Leadership Strategies – What's different in how you operate in 2024?
- Lessons Learned from Overcoming Challenges
- New technologies, processes, products, and services
- Be creative, interactive, and bold!

Selection Process

Sessions must be non-proprietary (no sales please). Member institutions and business partners are encouraged to create joint presentations that reflect the partnership and implementation of ideas and/or projects. The Professional Development Committee will review submissions and selections based on the following (in no particular order):

- Overall quality and interest in the topic
- Unique and innovative ideas
- Timeliness of the topic and how it relates to facilities, grounds, operations, planning, design, and/or construction
- Tangible takeaway(s) for attendees



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- Qualifications and references of presenter(s)
- NJAPPA membership

Learning Units and Professional Development Credits

Sessions that provide credits should be identified. NJAPPA will assist in obtaining AIA CEUs if the content is applicable.

Submissions

The [“Call for Content”](#) is **NOW OPEN** and can be accessed through our website through the link provided. Access to the portal will be closed as of **Monday, March 31, 2025**. Selected presenters will be notified Monday April 14, 2025, with final presentations due on Friday, June 6, 2025.

Questions

If you have any questions regarding the Call for Content please contact John Argento, Director of Professional Development, at JArgento@Princeton.edu

We look forward to receiving your submissions to help us develop a program that will be informative, engaging, and designed to provide attendees with takeaways that will help them fill their leadership toolkits with a wealth of exceptional knowledge.

We will consider abstracts submitted to other ERAPPA Chapters and/or the ERAPPA Annual Conference in 2025.

Thank you for your participation.

The NJAPPA Professional Development Committee