

## 2025 KAPPA CONFERENCE AGENDA

April 10, 2025		
Time	Event	Location
12:00pm	Luncheon	
12:30pm – 1:00pm	Welcome – KAPPA & DVAPPA Presidents, Mark & Brett 2024 Host College – Millersville KAPPA/DVAPPA Business Meeting	Courtyard
1:00pm – 1:10pm	Break	
1:10pm – 1:20pm	Introduce Keynote – SPONSOR TBD	Courtyard
1:20pm – 2:50pm	<i>Keynote- TBD</i>	Courtyard
2:50pm – 3:00pm	Break	
3:00pm – 3:50pm	<b>Roundtable Discussion</b> <b><i>Understanding ADA &amp; Code Compliance Requirements for Existing Buildings</i></b> Moderator: Michael Snyder, Gannett Fleming & Michael Rupert, PSU <i>P/D/P</i>	Regency I
	<b>Roundtable Discussion</b> <b><i>Maintaining &amp; Optimizing Modern Facilities in the Digital Age</i></b> Moderator: Darin Porter, FMX <i>O&amp;M</i>	Regency II
	<b>Roundtable Discussion</b> <b><i>Higher Education Acoustics: Creating Vibrant Acoustic Environments for Learning, Research, Recreation, Sports, and Residential Life</i></b> Moderator: Greg Coudriet, Auxia Design, LLC <i>P/D/P</i>	Courtyard
3:50pm – 4:00pm	Break	
4:00pm – 4:50pm	<b>Roundtable Discussion</b> <b><i>Unique Projects: How do we handle them on campuses?</i></b> Moderator: Paul Politza, Gannett Fleming, Ron Perttu, PSU <i>P/D/P</i>	Regency I
	<b>Roundtable Discussion</b> <b><i>Understanding the Complexity of Exterior Maintenance</i></b> Moderator: Mark Howell, Building Envelope Consultants & Scientists <i>O&amp;M</i>	Regency II
	<b>Roundtable Discussion</b> <b><i>Measurement is Not Enough – How AI/ML Models will change the practice of Facilities and Energy Management</i></b> Moderator: Herb Crawford & Pat Buchanan, Operations Hero <i>O&amp;M</i>	Courtyard
4:50pm – 5:00pm	Break	
5:00pm - 7:00pm	Business Partner Networking Reception	Crystal Ballroom
7:00pm - 8:30pm	Networking Dinner & Raffle Drawings	Courtyard
7:00pm - 9:30pm	Exhibitor Break-Down	Crystal Ballroom

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6:45am – 7:50am	Breakfast	Regency Ballroom
7:00am – 7:50am	<b>Business Partner Engagement Committee - Open Meeting</b> <i>Grab breakfast and find out about opportunities for business partners to get involved with Engagement Committee activities</i>	Crystal I
8:00am – 9:00am	<b>Operations and Maintenance</b> <b>Team Collaboration, Strategic Innovation, &amp; Swift Execution: The Keys to Renewing a Building's Piping Systems on a Tight Schedule</b> Presenter: Kenji Matthew, Intech Construction & Alex Olsen, Progressive Pipeline Management	Crystal I
	<b>Planning, Design, Project</b> <b>Discover the Benefits of Early Team Integration with Messiah University, Naugle Hall</b> Presenter: Kathie Shafer, Messiah & Simon Knox, JEM Group	Crystal II
	<b>General Management</b> <b>The Benefits of Moving the Plan Room to the Cloud – Carnegie Mellon Case Study</b> Presenter: Vivica Williams, archSCAN, LLC & Nolan Grimes, Carnegie Mellon University	Crystal III
	<b>Energy, Utilities, Sustainability</b> <b>Innovative, Effective Methods for Subsurface &amp; Substrate Remediation</b> Presenter: William Friedah, Utility Service Group, Inc.	Presidential
9:00am – 9:15am	Break	
9:15am – 10:15am	<b>Operations and Maintenance</b> <b>A2L Refrigeration Transition for VRF &amp; Mini Splits (ASHRAE 15 Refrigerant Code Compliance Updates)</b> Presenter: Dave Heckler, Comfort Supply, Inc. & Andrew Tesoriero, Mitsubishi Electric Trane HVAC US LLC	Crystal I
	<b>Planning, Design, Project</b> <b>Welcome! A Tour of Franklin &amp; Marshall's Recently Opened Welcome Center</b> Presenter: Carson Parr, RLPS Architects	Crystal II
	<b>General Management</b> <b>Hands-On Leadership</b> Presenter: Patrick Wilson – Millersville University	Crystal III
	<b>Energy, Utilities, Sustainability</b> <b>AHU Coil &amp; Tube Restoration: Driving Energy Savings Through Innovation</b> Presenter: Mike Bodon, AQUIS Solutions	Presidential
10:15am – 10:30am	Break	
10:30am – 11:30am	<b>Planning, Design, Project</b> <b>Amos Hall: Exterior Transformations</b> Presenter: Pamela Zimmerman, Zimmerman Studio, LLC	Crystal I
	<b>Planning, Design, Project</b> <b>Repositioning Indiana University of Pennsylvania: Planning Strategies for Turbulent Times</b> Presenter: Douglas Kozma, Smith Group & Stephen Markiewicz, Indiana University of Pennsylvania	Crystal II
	<b>Energy, Utilities, Sustainability</b> <b>Leveraging AI for HVAC Energy Efficiency: AHU Optimization through Continuous Coil Monitoring</b> Presenter: Mike Bodon, AQUIS Solutions	Crystal III
	<b>Energy, Utilities, Sustainability</b> <b>Overcoming Systemic Bureaucracy Through the Power of Collaboration: Penn State University's Approach to Sustainable Materials Management</b>	Presidential

	Presenter: Ayodeji Oluwalana, Penn State University	
11:30am	Lunch – Grab a Box Lunch to Go	