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Upcoming Dates

We are hosting hybrid meetings this year - In-person and virtual.

November 18, 2021 - VRF – what is VRF, types of VRF, why VRF in a building

February 4, 2021 - TBD

March 23, 2021 - WV EXPO - Benchmarking and Energy related topics

April 28, 2021 - Day of Learning/Trade Show

President's Message

The ASHRAE WV Chapter events are now full swing and off to a great start this season! We look forward to seeing familiar faces and new attendees at our chapter meetings. Our next chapter meeting is November 18th and we would like to welcome Vipul Chandra, BE, MBA, LEED AP, who will present VRF – What is VRF, types of VRF, why VRF in a building. Chapter meetings are a great opportunity to learn

industry trends and network with peers, and connect with friends. We encourage members and non-and non-members to sign up and attend either in person or virtually. Give ASHRAE membership a try and see how we can help each other to improve the HVAC industry and the built environment! I'm looking forward to seeing everyone as we end 2021 collectively supporting ASHRAE WV chapter into next year!

David A Cotton, PE, LEED AP BD+C
ASHRAE West Virginia, President, GAC Chair

Registration is Now Open!
Please join us November 18, 2021
for a Presentation by Vipul Chandra
on VRF Systems

Meeting Details:

Attendance: We will have an in-person meeting and will be providing webinar access to the live presentation for those that are registered (see details below)

Times: 10:30 AM - 1:15 PM, including a lunch for in-person attendees (10:30 - 11:30: Chapter/BOG meeting, 11:30 - 12:00: break/lunch/setup, 12:00 - 1:00: Presentation, 1:00 - 1:15; closing)

Location: FIRESIDE GRILLE, Hurricane, WV.

PDH certificate for **1.0 hours** will be provided to attendees of the seminar.

Presentation Description:

VRF – what is VRF, types of VRF, why VRF in a building: This presentation is geared toward a tutorial style on Variable Refrigerant Flow (VRF) systems and will include discussion on the following topics:

- How VRF works and typical equipment in a system
- Water source VRF systems – why water source
- Difference - multi zone split unit & VRF
- VRF Project Concept & Design discussions
- ASHRAE 15 code requirements
- Market segments where VRF can be used
- VRF for LEED projects

Featured Presenter



Vipul Chandra, BE, MBA, LEED AP: Vipul Chandra is a Regional Account Manager with Johnson Controls Hitachi and has worked with Johnson Controls for 14 years. He is a mechanical engineer with an MBA in marketing and is a LEED accredited professional. He is currently based in Toronto, Canada.

Registration details:

In-Person ASHRAE Member and guests: \$25 (includes lunch)

In-Person ASHRAE Student Member: \$15 (includes lunch)

Webinar/Virtual Attendee: FREE

Please use the registration button below for either in-person or webinar registration. The link to the webinar will be sent to those that are registered on November 17.

[Attendee Registration](#)

Location Details:

Fireside Grille, [439 State Route 34, Hurricane, WV 25526](#). Take exit 39 off of I-64, and we are located right behind Go-Mart.

Information is available on the wvashrae.org website.

Thank you to our October Guest Presenter Ray Wohlfarth

We had great attendance for Ray's presentation and a lot of positive feedback on the information that Ray provided. Ray is very knowledgeable in boiler technology, operations and maintenance and if you ever get the chance to attend one of his presentations, we highly recommend you do so!



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