

April 2023



Tour of PPG Coating Innovation Center

APRIL 11, 2023 12:30 – 2:00 PM

CSI Pittsburgh goes on a tour of PPG's Coating Innovation Center. At the innovation center, PPG conducts research and development for coatings that end up on everything from iPhones to airplanes. PPG produces innovative coating solutions for products you use every day. We will see cutting edge equipment for applying and analyzing materials. We will have a chance to see each step of the process of going from raw materials to coatings.



A light lunch will be served before the tour.

PPG 4325 Rosanna Dr, Allison Park, PA 15101

REGISTRATION: http://csipittsburgh.org/

Please register by Thursday, April 6.

Attendees will be required to fill out a visitor request form and be cleared to be on site at the PPG Coatings Innovation Center. A form will be emailed after registering.

Questions: E-mail Brian Trimble at btrimble@imiweb.org or call 703-300-0109.

Member News

April Anniversaries

43rd	Brian Joos	The J3 Group
37th	Martin Thornton II	WTW Architects
27th	Joseph Kostuch	The K Group PGH LLC
24th	Barbara Matejka	HHSDR Architects/Engineers
24th	James Geist	The Sherwin-Williams Co.
12th	John Bliss	R.I. Lampus Company
6th	Jason Hamilton	Tnemec
2nd	Sam Astorino	Avanti Design Build, Inc.
1st	Justin D'Alessandro	Vitro Architectural Glass

New Members

Denise Rector Larson Design Group

Current Membership: 73

"No Winter lasts forever, no Spring skips its turn. April is a promise that May is bound to keep."

- Hal Borland



Highlights from the Board

March 16, 2023 Virtual Meeting

PRESIDENT

Lander not present; Trimble ran the meeting.

TREASURER

Subject of the cost vs. funds received @ Cefalo's is large, we are about \$2k under in receipts vs. cost for Cefalo's.

PROGRAMS

Trimble said we had a great turn out earlier this week (Tuesday, 3/14) @ the UPMC Mercy Pavilion. There was a lot of interior work to see.

APRIL: Tuesday, 4/11 – we will tour PPG Labs in Allison Park. PPG might supply us with a light lunch; if so, then we will not need to find another location for lunch.

MAY: Still open.

Trimble has received many suggestions and will review them to see if we can get one of them scheduled for May.

Bartley has been trying to get into the glass plant but no luck so far.

Discussed possibly visiting Lampus again for a tour – it has proven to be a good turnout. Last tour was approximately 10 years ago.

JUNE: Trimble will schedule Top Golf

After June, we will be done with season.

HOLIDAY GALA

With Geist retiring, we are looking for someone to take this over – Jim said there is some interest.

MEMBERSHIP

Discussed ways to boost membership.

Thornton suggested bringing in an economist to discuss, "where is the economy going". Geist suggested something that promotes networking, being in front of professional members should create interest.

PUBLICITY

Schuster reported that Craig is still working on getting the new logo uploaded to the website.

NEW BUSINESS

Brown asked if everyone on the call was open to doing their same positions for next year. Everyone said, "yes".

Board of Directors members up for reelection are Schuster & Henze.

Golf Outing

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COME ONE, COME ALL! NO NEED TO BE A MEMBER!

WHERE:

QUICKSILVER GOLF CLUB

2000 Quicksilver Rd McDonald, PA 15057

WHEN:

THURSDAY MAY 18TH 2023

Shotgun Start at 9:00 am Registration starts at 8AM



COST: \$480 A FOURSOME, \$120 FOR A SINGLE

Includes: Skill Prizes, 50/50 Raffle. Mulligans \$5 Each max 2 per player. (No mulligans on putts from the green. Fringe ok.)

HOLE SPONSOR: \$50.00: Announced at dinner. Door Prizes accepted!

CONTACT DAN BARRA TO REGISTER: Dbarra@Dsstristate.net If you have questions please call 724-249-9866

Chapter Meetings

Tour of Vision Institute at UPMC Mercy - March 14, 2023





Speed Dating at Cefalo's - February 21, 2023









AIA Pittsburgh

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AIA PITTSBURGH'S CONTINUING EDUCATION CONFERENCE

APRIL 26, 2023

April 26, 2023 | 8 AM - 7 PM

Build Pittsburgh, AIA Pittsburgh's annual continuing education conference, brings together a community of architects and built industry professionals to engage in learning and networking. It's the largest, best attended continuing education event in the region.

KEYNOTE SPEAKER: ILLYA AZAROFF, FAIA

Founding Principal, +Lab architect



Illya Azaroff is an architect, geographer and internationally recognized leader in regenerative design, resilient planning strategies, and disaster mitigation. He is a key advisor to cities and

states on resilient building strategies and was a COP22 presenter.

REGISTER FOR THE ENTIRE DAY OR SELECT INDIVIDUAL COURSES

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- Etna: World's First Eco-district
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BUILD PITTSBURGH SCHEDULE

7:30 AM	Registration opens
8:00-9:00 AM	Keynote
9:00-5:00 AM	Sessions
1:00-2:00 PM	Lunch & Learns
5:00-7:00 PM	Reception

Questions? Call AIA Pittsburgh at 412-471-9548.

Choose courses and register at: aiapgh.org

Registration closes April 19 | Register today!











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Build Pittsburgh 2023 Wednesday, April 26 – David L. Lawrence Convention Center, Pittsburgh

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- Networking reception

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