

# ASCE

COLORADO SECTION

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Denver Branch

YOUNGER MEMBER GROUP



***Newsletter - March 2018***

## **Upcoming Events:**

### **March Social: CAGE match**

There's no point denying it. We all know you only come to these events for the free food, \*cough\* Emily. That's why we're excited to say there will be free\*\* apps when we meet up with CAGE at Terminal Bar! No RSVP for this event, just show up when you can!

\*\*free apps include crisp high-fives

**When:**

Thursday, March 8, 2018 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM

**Where:**

[Terminal Bar in Denver Union Station](#)

### **Denver Branch Dinner:**

Presentation Topic:

#### **Why is Our Infrastructure Crumbling and What Are We Going To Do About It?**

Aging infrastructure is more than streets and bridges. It also covers the assets buried beneath our streets that deliver our water, energy, communications and remove our storm/sewer. The 'out of sight, out of mind' paradigm has created a reactive, rather than proactive, relationship with infrastructure in our cities. Maintaining reliable infrastructure is the key foundational step towards integrating new resilient/sustainable/green infrastructure and a mandatory step for claiming 'Smart City' status.

**Presenters:** Mark Reiner PE, PhD, Co-Founder of WISRD

**When:**

Thursday, March 15, 2018

5:30 PM - 8:00 PM

**Where:**

Courtyard by Marriott Denver Cherry Creek

1475 S Colorado Blvd, Denver, CO

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### **Study for the PE**

If you're looking for some study buddies for your upcoming PE, look no further! The YMG has partnered with ASCE Tulsa to provide an online PE

Review Course, which starts today!! It's \$200.00 for members and \$250.00 for non-members. --> [Course Schedule](#)  
Reach out to [Hanna Huling](#), Denver Branch Secretary, for more information.

## **Last Month's Events:**

### **ASSE/ASCE Trivia Contest**

During Engineering Week ASCE joined up with ASSE to create the first ever Annual Denver Engineering Trivia Contest. Big thanks to our sponsor: ProLine Radiant Heat Solutions



### **Denver Branch Dinner**

Melyssa Lorenger and Dwight Gilbert from Martin/Martin presented on the Civil/Structural Design of the cool new CSU stadium.



### **Learn a Skill**

Colorado Section kicked off a new series of events starting with Bikes Together. Participants were able to learn basic bicycle maintenance to keep them cruising. Stay tuned for future Learn a Skill events.

### **Announcements:**

#### **Photos wanted**

Do you love taking pictures and catching that perfect moment? And do you love posting those gems to social media? If you answered yes to both, then we'd love to see your photos! Please share any photos taken at ASCE events with our official [YMG Facebook Page](#) and make sure to tag it with #ASCEMileHi and #ASCE5280

## Join the ASCE YMG Ditch Diggers! - April - August

If you love volleyball, engineering, and meeting new people, then the Ditch Diggers want you! This team loves playing volleyball almost as much as they love math! A turnout of between 7 to 11 players is consistent each week, and two tournaments are held throughout the year at Wash Park. For more information, contact: [Brandon McElhiney](#)

### Upcoming Events

## LOOKING AHEAD!

### April Networking/Social Event

**When:**

TBD

**Where:**

TBD

### April Denver Branch Dinner

Student Awards and Outstanding Project Awards will be presented

**When:**

April 19, 2018

5:45-8:00 pm

**Where:**

PPA Event Center

*Keep checking the website for updates or changes.*

*Also, if you have an establishment you would like us to attend for future events, please contact [Andi Barendt](#), the YMG President.*

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### What are they and why should I go?

Have you been getting the monthly networking event invitations and aren't sure what they are? Well, this month is a perfect time for you to come check one out! ASCE YMG sponsors these events to give young engineers throughout Denver a low-pressure opportunity to begin building professional networks. Our events usually last a couple of hours and are a great way to learn what other civil engineers

do, find out about local projects and efforts, other specialties, and ask 'light' technical questions. After all, you never know when you will need to rely on connections in your career. The events are FREE, though you have to pay for your own drinks, and ASCE YMG provides appetizers. For most events, we do not require registration, however, some of our larger, sponsored events do. Be sure to check the newsletter for specific details on each event.

## **Where are they held?**

The monthly networking events rotate throughout different bar & grill locations in the Denver Metro area. We try to provide equal opportunity to all locations, although the downtown events typically have better turnout. Do you work in the outlying suburbs? If you are interested in us hosting an event near your office so you can bring colleagues, please let us know and we will try to schedule one. Also, if you know of a great place to host a networking event, please contact us ([asce.ymg.colorado@gmail.com](mailto:asce.ymg.colorado@gmail.com)). We are always interested in trying new places!

## **Who can attend?**

These events are sponsored by ASCE. Therefore, we encourage all civil engineers in the area to attend: civil engineering students from the local colleges, new professionals, university professors/advisers, and experienced civil engineers. Come attend our events and help grow your network. The more the merrier! Hope to see you at one, or all, of these.

## **Membership**

### **JOIN ASCE**

BUILD YOUR CAREER. ADVANCE YOUR PROFESSION. ENRICH YOUR LIFE.

When you join ASCE, you become part of the largest professional civil engineering network in the world. As a part of our community, you have access to our industry's most comprehensive communication, networking, and learning resources.

As an ASCE member, you have access to a wealth of benefits that serve you throughout your career.

Are you a member of ASCE? If not go to <http://www.asce.org/join/>.

Some benefits include 5 free PDHs per year, technical resources, career development, networking opportunities, and discounts!. If you are already a member, don't forget to renew your membership!

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