# Capital Communiqu 2022 March



# ASHRAE Ottawa Valley Chapter

**DATE:** Tuesday March 15, 2022

16:30 - 21:00 Hrs EST

**LOCATION:** Centurion Conference and Convention Center

PROGRAM: Creating Success with BACnet: City of Ottawa Case Study

**DESCRIPTION:** 

The City of Ottawa used ASHRAE Standard 135 (BACnet<sup>™</sup>, the ASHRAE Building Automation and Control Networking Protocol) as a guideline to create a centralized building automation system to serve the City's needs.

This presentation covers the thought process behind the system, the challenges faced over the 10+ years of its continuous development and the lessons learned along the way.

**SPEAKER: Evans Mutua** 

Evans is a Project Manager at the City of Ottawa's Building Engineering and Energy Management section of the Recreation, Cultural and Facility Services Department. His focus is on using Building Automation to execute Energy Management projects. Evans holds a bachelor's degree in HVACR Engineering Technology and Energy Management from Ferris State University, Michigan.

Early on in his career Evans held various roles in the automation field, such as Building Automation System technician and commissioning agent before joining a consulting firm as a mechanical designer.

His building automation background was a key asset in the sales role where he worked before his current position in energy management. His current responsibility involves determining the financial viability of automating mechanical systems in existing facilities. Viable projects are then executed with the help of local contractors and monitored after installation to quantify actual energy savings and compare them to the forecasted.

Evans has been actively involved with ASHRAE since 2011 and has played different roles leading up to his current role as Secretary of the Ottawa Valley Chapter.

#### **March Meeting Agenda**

4:30PM-5:30PM **Tech Session** 

> Topic: Integrated Building Design

Speaker: Joel Primeau

5:30PM-6:30PM Social Hour

6:30PM-7:30PM Dinner

7:30PM-9:00PM Program

> Topic: Creating Success with BACnet: City of Ottawa Case Study

Speaker Evans Mutua Theme Student Activities

#### Please register online at link below (below prices for VIRTUAL attendance)

ASHRAE Associate/Affiliate/Member: \$5 **ASHRAE Member Guest:** \$10.00 ASHRAE Student: Non-Member: \$10.00

#### Below prices for IN PERSON attendance

ASHRAE Associate/Affiliate/Member: \$48 **ASHRAE Member Guest:** \$48.00 ASHRAE Student: Non-Member: \$65.00 \$35

Meeting 6 - March 15, 2022

**TECH SESSION: Integrated Building Design** 

DATE: Tuesday March 15, 2021

16:30 - 17:30 Hrs EST

LOCATION: **Centurion Conference and Convention Center** 

SPEAKER: Joël Primeau, P.Eng., ing., LEED AP, HBDP



Governor Joël Primeau 2021-2022 OVC Research Promotion Committee

#### **DESCRIPTION:**

Since the oil embargo of the late 1970s, we have been striving to improve the overall energy efficiency of buildings. For decades, we managed to reduce the energy consumption of buildings mostly through innovations in technology in the HVAC equipment. The rate at which equipment's energy performance improves has practically plateaued while the market continues to want evermore efficient buildings. Engineers and architects must now collaborate much better to achieve better energy efficiency. This new approach is known as "Integrated Building Design" or IBD. This tech session will explore what IBD is and how it can be practically implemented.







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# **President's Message**

Thank you to everyone who joined us back in person for the February meeting, always a short and snowy month. We avoided the typical snowstorm that has cancelled many February meetings in the past. We had Mark Fly come in from mid-west US for some Canadian winter and gave a vibrant presentation about vibration and seismic restraints that was a great technical overview. Also remember if you signed up for the meeting everyone gets a video link so if you ever want to go back to any of his information you can always go back to refer to it. Thank you to everyone who came out in person, it has been wonderful to see people again in person and meet friendly and new faces.



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We are excited to get back to in person events even as cold weather has us longing for spring weather that is hopefully right around the corner, so we are planning some spring events, including the June Golf which see later in the communique for our Save the Date for the event, we are excited to bring this back to our community after two years of hiatus. Look for other social events and committee activities coming your way soon!

Our theme for March is Student Activities, led by Noah Goddard, who is well supported by Jayson Bursill on the Board, as well as our own Elizabeth Primeau who is the RVC (Regional Vice Chair) for Student Activities. We have a very strong chapter for students, and I started my ASHRAE volunteering as the Student Activities chair myself doing university career fairs and school presentations. We have active student chapters and support from local faculty which is a great way to promote our industry to students who are figuring out what they want to do and maybe have not considered the construction industry.

As always, a reminder if you are looking at ways to support the chapter and the industry, consider donating to the ASHRAE Research campaign online at any time!

https://ashraeottawa.simplesignup.ca/en/9710/index.php?m=eventSummary

Take care everyone, and I look forward to seeing you all soon, either virtually or in person!







# What You Missed

ASHRAE OVC's second meeting of 2022 was held on February 11th in a hybrid format offering in-person as well as virtual attendance. In-person numbers were significantly higher than virtual, perhaps a positive indicator of the future.

The topic of the tech session was 'HVAC Filtration', delivered by Joel Primeau who took a moment to discuss the definition of filtration and explain that filtration does not clean the air, rather it removes particulates from it. With this understanding, various filtration methods were E-mail: Evans.Mutua@ottawa.ca discussed, exploring pros, cons and common and suitable applications for

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each. For an interesting dive into the science of filtration, particle size, definitions of popular (and perhaps misused) terms such as HEPA & MERV, be sure to watch the entire presentation, available on the OVC YouTube channel.

The Program meeting was delivered by Mark Fly of AAON. Mr. Fly's presentation covered vibration fundamentals and human perception, including the interesting threshold where vibration can be perceived by humans as sound. If you've ever wondered why (or perhaps never noticed) MRI machines in medical facilities are always installed in the basement/lower levels, you will certainly find this presentation interesting. In case you missed it, or want to go back to it, you can also find it on the OVC YouTube channel.

# **Membership Update**

I would like to introduce and welcome the following new members:

- Christopher McKen
- Jeremy Lachaine

At any time, if you have any questions or comments regarding your ASHRAE membership, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you all for the continued support and participation with your local ASHRAE chapter during these times. Wishing everyone a safe and happy holiday season. Looking forward to seeing everyone at the next ASHRAE meeting in February.



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# **Student Activity**

We've had at least one new student member join since our last update. We have welcomed them and will begin inviting them to our events. Chapter meeting reminders went out and we saw some response, including a new student registration.

The virtual career fair took place during the week of February 14. Email blasts went out to our local HVAC companies and our local student groups. The data with respect to regional attendance has not yet been compiled but hopefully in the near future we will learn how many local students attended.



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Our goal had been to get into classrooms for presentations, but this has proven to be difficult. Many classes are still virtual, and the institutions have restrictions in place so that any visitors have to be approved by a board. This may be a lost cause this school year but we will continue to check in with the students and faculty.

# **News Update**

#### Check out ASHRAE's Climate Change Address at UN's COP26:

ASHRAE recognized the outstanding achievements and contributions of members to the Society and the built environment industry during its 2022 Winter Conference in Las Vegas.

"Congratulations to all of ASHRAE's Honors and Awards recipients," said 2021-22 ASHRAE President Mick Schwedler, P.E., Fellow ASHRAE, LEED AP. "Your service to the global built environment and our Society is appreciated."



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Find out the list of the awards and recipients here:

ASHRAE Recognizes Outstanding Achievements of Members at the 2022 Winter Conference

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# **Research Promotion**

#### THANKS TO ALL OUR DONORS TO DATE!

Our fundraising campaign is in full swing, and you can expect calls from our canvassers in March and April as we ramp up our effort to reach our ambitious goal.



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We will continue to update and publish this list each month.

This is always an important contribution to your industry, and it's especially needed now that we are facing a global pandemic where indoor air quality and ventilation play such a critical role in our fight against Covid. Your donation is **truly an investment** because the research will surely create opportunities of innovations for engineers, manufacturers, owners and contractors.

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ASHRAE Research to address COVID-19: https://xp20.ashrae.org/secure/foundation/covid.html

# **Nominations & Awards**

As chairs of the Awards & Nominations Committee, Abbey Saunders and I want to address the members of ASHRAE OVC for the upcoming nominations period. The nomination committee is responsible to build the chapter leadership of tomorrow. We help to shape the direction of the chapter, in that we try to ensure the very best people are in position to advance our local chapter and respond to the needs of its members.



**Committee** Chair Steve Moons 2021-2022 **OVC Nominations** Committee **Total HVAC** 

The time has come when we need to consider the nominations for next year's Executive, **E-mail:** steve.moons@totalhvac.com Board of Governors, Committee Chairs and Committee Members. On behalf of the

Nominating Committee, I'm pleased to announce the following eligible members to hold office as the Chapter Executive for 2022-2023, and the positions for which we are seeking nominations: President: Ryan Dickinson, President-Elect: Celine Baribeau, Treasurer: Evans Mutua, Secretary: Open-nominations invited. Board of Governors: Nominations are also invited for positions on the Board of Governors, although the number of available positions is not yet determined as the committee gauges the interest and availability of the existing Board members to return for another term.

To complete the nominations process, we will also be asking for nominations from the floor at the March Chapter meeting. To be considered for the Board of Governors, nominees must be Chapter members in good standing with Society and must have consented either orally or in writing to have their name put forward. The election to Chapter officers is a distinct honour bestowed on ASHRAE members by their peers, and in anticipation of their dedication to the continued success of the Chapter.

Final recommendations for the available positions on the Executive and the Board of Governors will be made by the Nominating Committee in the coming weeks and will be announced at the April Chapter meeting, with the installation at the May Chapter meeting. Thank you for your participation in this important step in ensuring the future success of the Ottawa Valley Chapter.

# June 2022 Golf Event

Save the Date: **ASHRAE OVC Best Ball Golf Tournament 2022 Tuesday June 21st 2022, The Marshes Golf Course** 

We are looking forward to seeing everyone at our 2022 summer golf tournament at the Marshes Golf course, it may look different than previously but we are excited invite everyone back to the golf course. More information to follow soon.



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# **Technology Awards Program**

Award season is upon us once again! The CTTC is looking for applications for the ASHRAE Technology Awards at the Chapter level. The ASHRAE Technology Awards recognize outstanding achievements by members who have successfully applied innovative building design in the areas of occupant comfort, indoor air quality and energy conservation. Their designs incorporate ASHRAE standards for effective energy management and IAQ. Performance is proven through one year's actual, verifiable operating data.



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There are many benefits to winning a Technology Award:

- Recognition by peers as being innovative and capable
- Winning projects are highlighted in ASHRAE journals (for the Society winners)
- First place awards are honoured at the next Winter Meeting (Atlanta 2023)
- Recognition on ASHRAE's website
- Opportunity to bring additional recognition and prestige to buildings with innovative design
- Ability to share your ideas so others can learn and subsequently improve their designs

The award application should be completed by a current member of ASHRAE who had a significant role in the design or development of the project. This member will need to submit some design information, schematics and brief descriptions of how their buildings met certain criteria such as Energy Efficiency, Indoor Air Quality, and more.

There are six categories in which the chapter can present an award:

- 1) Commercial Buildings (New, Existing, Existing Building Commissioning);
- 2) Institutional Buildings (New, Existing, Existing Building Commissioning)
- 3) Health Care Facilities (New, Existing, Existing Building Commissioning);
- 4) Industrial Facilities or Processes (New, Existing, Existing Building Commissioning);
- 5) Public Assembly (New, Existing, Existing Building Commissioning);
- 6) Residential

The project must have been occupied since at least September 2021 to qualify for this year's awards.

The deadline for submission is Thursday April 21st, 2022.

If you have a project in mind, or would like more information, please see the ASHRAE webpage here: <u>Technology Awards</u> <u>Program</u>

The applications are at the bottom of the page. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to Liz Primeau (<u>elizabeth.primeau@totalhvac.com</u>) or Chris Habets (<u>chris@goodhabets.ca</u>).

# **Government Affairs**

To stay current on ASHRAE COVID-19 Response resources check out <a href="https://www.ashrae.org/technical-resources/resources">https://www.ashrae.org/technical-resources/resources</a> including guidance's on infection aerosols, position documents and more.



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# Edmonton School Board Approves HEPA Filters in Classrooms based on Alberta ASHRAE Chapters' Expert Advice

Thanks to **ASHRAE recommendations and guidance** communicated through the ASHRAE Northern Alberta Chapter and Southern Alberta Chapter, on February 1, the Edmonton Public School Board (EPSB) Board of Trustees recently approved a **motion** to spend \$6 million in reserve money on HEPA air filters to be installed in all classrooms. This decision was based on ASHRAE's Epidemic Task Force's **guidance in schools** which recommends a minimum of MERV-13 filters.

#### **NDCs and Renewable Energy Targets in 2021**

Under the Paris Agreement and COP26, countries enhanced their Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs) and declared ambitious mitigation pledges such as economy-wide net-zero greenhouse gas emissions. In January 2022, the International Renewable Energy Agency published a **report** assessing current climate pledges in comparison with the greenhouse gas targets scientists recommend and explore the opportunity offered by renewable energy that can serve as an important vehicle for delivering emission reductions, as well as multiple Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

Among the report's findings: To date, 193 countries have ratified the Paris Agreement (up from 190 in 2020) and 194 Parties have now submitted an NDC. Current and announced net-zero pledges are projected to further reduce emissions by 2030, with the potential to limit warming to 2.1°C, avoiding a more catastrophic rise of above 2.8°C under the initial NDCs. As of 15 November 2021, 182 Parties had included renewable energy components in their NDCs, of which only 144 had a quantified target. From these targets, 109 focus on power, and 30 explicitly mention heating and cooling or transport. Only 13 Parties have committed to a percentage of renewables in their overall energy mixes. Read more **here**.

# Canada's Bold Policies and Support for Innovation can Underpin a Successful Energy Transition, New IEA Policy Review Says

To meet its ambitious climate targets, the International Energy Agency (IEA) Policy Review released in January states that Canada needs to leverage its clean electricity to undertake steep emissions reductions in the transport, industry, and oil and gas sectors. The IEA also recommends that Canada's federal government promote a comprehensive energy efficiency strategy in consultation with provinces and territories that sets clear targets for energy efficiency in the buildings, industry, and transport sectors. Read more **here**.

# **Table-Top Display**

If you're looking to communicate the value of your product, there is no better way than to invest in a table-top at an upcoming ASHRAE OVC meeting. Highly attended and highly regarded, our monthly meetings can afford you the opportunity to display your new technologies to an eager group of HVAC/R engineers and contractors. If you wish to review the themes of each meeting to find an appropriate topic, please feel free to contact me.



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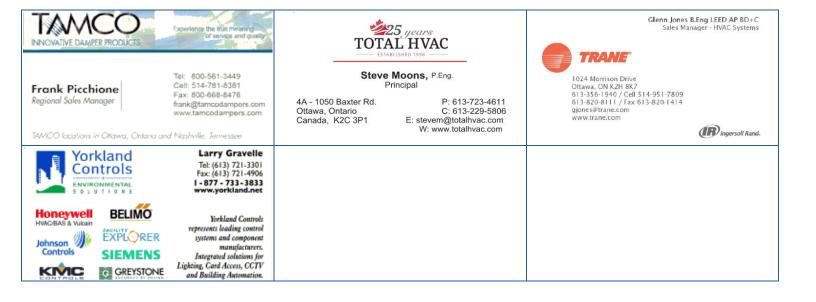
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What better way to display a new product, existing line, or share great ideas than to have a table-top display at our local OVC ASHRAE meetings? The OVC

meetings provide a captive audience in the industry and exposure to 40+ people. We are currently starting to reserve table-top openings for this ASHRAE year.

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#### **Ottawa Engineering Sales**

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#### The successful candidate's responsibilities will include:

The following are the principal duties of the Engineering Salesperson.

Develop and maintain relationships with all industry stakeholders (Engineers, Architects, Contractors, Developers, Owners etc.), to grow sales and expand market share in accordance with company goals and objectives.

Promote the sale of all equipment represented by the Ottawa sales office.

This will include:

Be able to identify, and maximize, opportunity.

Carry out product selections for engineers and design/build contractors.

Be able to interpret schedules, construction drawings, specifications, etc.

Be able to do take-off's, prepare quotations and tenders, prepare and issue submittals.

Negotiate sales.

Project manage the entire sales cycle from initial enquiry through end of warranty period.

Self-educate, and attend manufacturer's factory / training visits, to ensure you are constantly up to date on the latest product developments and software tools. (Some travel will be involved).

Understand, and remain current with, both industry and local codes and regulations, and market trends, to ensure we comply and can exploit opportunities.

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Maintain an understanding of our competitor's product offering.

Carry out Lunch and Learn (or similar) presentations when requested to do so. The goal is to have EH Price represented products specified, or listed as an equal, on all projects. Plan and implement new product introductions to the market.

Visit job sites as and when on-site challenges present themselves.

Plan and accompany customers on factory visits. This needs to be done strategically and consistently.

Be a member of ASHRAE and attend monthly ASHRAE meetings.

Organize and attend trade shows when requested to do so.

Assist in all customer events as required. This could be open houses, sporting events, lunches, etc.

Perform other duties assigned by your manager.

Work as part of a team, with a Customer First approach to business.

#### The ideal candidate for this position will have:

A minimum of 3 years' experience selling HVAC related mechanical equipment, but 5 or more years would be preferred.

Professional Engineering Degree or a Diploma in Engineering Technology.

Working Knowledge of Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook & Internet Explorer. Understanding of how to read & interpret construction drawings.

Positive attitude, exemplary attendance, ethical business practices, and a reliable team member.

Should this excellent opportunity interest you, please submit your resume, including salary expectations.

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#### **HVAC Sales Estimator – Air Distribution Division**

The position of the HVAC Sales Estimator – Air Distribution Division offers dynamic challenges within our Ottawa team. We are looking for an individual who is technically inclined and is interested in learning and growing to develop their skills to meet industry needs.

#### The successful candidate's responsibilities will include:

Creating 'Material Take Off' items from mechanical and architectural drawings. Reading, understanding and confirming job specifications and requirements with Customers.

Cross-referencing products from other manufacturers.

Preparing job bids in a timely manner using Price and other suppliers' software. Scheduling, prioritizing, and managing bid requests from assigned customers with Inside Sales Estimators.

Sending out and delivering quotations by phone, email and in person to our customers.

Following-up on bids, pursuing and securing orders for Price and partnered suppliers. Promoting all Price and other represented suppliers' products.

Receiving and responding to phone calls and pricing requests from customers in a timely manner.

Preparing and verifying submittals drawings based on current drawings and specifications.

Confirming products, sizes and quantities required for completion of project based on current documents, Site Instructions and Construction drawings.

Meeting with customers at the warehouse counter and assist if necessary.

Organizing job files, contract and warehouse orders, and all necessary documentation for assigned customer.

Resolving all account conflicts and project issues in a timely manner.

Participating in job site visits where necessary.

#### The ideal candidate for this position will have:

A Community College Technical Diploma or equivalent number of years of experience in a similar business environment (equivalent to a minimum of 2 years of inside sales estimating experience).

Must be proficient with the use of computers, including Microsoft Office Suite (Word, Excel, and PowerPoint) and internet usage.

Excellent written and communication skills.

The ability to deal with people sensitively, tactfully, diplomatically and professionally at all times.

Excellent internal and external customer service skills.

Excellent organizational, time-management and prioritizing skills.

The ability to maintain a clean and safe driving record and continuously hold a valid drivers license.

Be willing to travel and attend product training at various factories.

Have the appropriate number of COVID-19 vaccinations.

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**Treasurer Celine Baribeau**2021-2022
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Rates for career opportunities ads are as follows:

**Chapter Member:** 

\$50/month \$80/2 months \$100/3 months

Non-member:

\$250/month

Note: Purchase of additional months will only have a discounted rate if purchased up front. Otherwise the standard rate will apply for additional months.

#### Placement of an Ad

We suggest that you complete and submit our advertisement form to speed up the processing of your request. If you have provided your e-mail address, a confirmation receipt e-mail will be sent to you for reference.

Please note that ads require prepayment made to the treasurer. Please register and pay through the online system and contact **Celine Baribeau** (<u>cbaribeau@bpa.ca</u>) with any questions. Follow the link below for payment.

The ads will appear on the website until the end date for publication provided in the submitted form. To extend the ad, please resubmit the form with the new publication dates and the required prepayment amounts.

https://ashraeottawa.simplesignup.ca/en/9709/index.php?m=eventSummary

# **Business Card Ads**

You can support your chapter and promote your business by placing your business card in the Capital Communiqué. It will also appear on the chapter website.

The cost is \$275.00 for the year. Please contact **Rod Lancefield** at *rod.lancefield@hts.com* for more details.

Payment will be made through the online system. Follow the link below for payment.

https://ashraeottawa.simplesignup.ca/en/9711/index.php?m=eventSummary

Ads will **now require prepayment**. All last year's ads will appear in the Communique for the first month of this year to allow time for payment for the upcoming year. Ads will be refreshed accordingly in the second Communique.



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