



2019
ENGINEERING
EXCELLENCE
AWARDS

The 2019 ACEC Illinois

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Engineering Excellence Awards

Friday, March 1, 2019

SCHEDULE

- 5:00 PM **Cocktail Hour**
- 6:00 PM **Awards**
- 7:00 PM **Dinner**
- 8:00 PM **Awards**
- 9:00 PM **After Party**

SPEAKERS

Dave Bender

ACEC Illinois President and CEO

Anthony Standish

ACEC Illinois Engineering Excellence
Committee Chair / 2019 EEA Emcee
Strand Associates, Inc., Senior Associate

John Nelson

ACEC Board Chair
Hanson Professional Services

MERIT AWARDS

WATER RESOURCES

2018 WATER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENT

Fehr Graham

City of Rockford Water Division

WASTE AND STORM WATER

7TH WARD SEWER REHABILITATION PROJECT

Chastain & Associates, LLC.

City of Decatur

WASTE AND STORM WATER

BENTON WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY

HMG Engineers, Inc.

City of Benton

PROJECT PARTNERS:

Holcomb Foundation Engineering Co.

BUILDING/TECHNOLOGY SYSTEMS

CNG IMPROVEMENTS

Clark Dietz, Inc.

PACE

PROJECT PARTNERS:

EN Engineering

Gas Technology Institute

Public Design Architects

Rubinos and Mesia Engineers

Crawford Consulting Service

SMALL PROJECTS

COUNTY FARM ROAD RESURFACING IMPROVEMENTS

OMEGA

DuPage County Division of Transportation

PROJECT PARTNERS:

Galaxy Underground, Inc.
Kreative Scape, Inc.
Martin Landscaping
Smith Maintenance Company
Thorne Electric, Inc.
Quality Saw & Seal
Alliance Contractors, Inc.
Precision Pavement Markings

TRANSPORTATION

COUNTY HIGHWAY #35 (135TH STREET) ROAD CONSTRUCTION NEW AVENUE TO SMITH ROAD

OMEGA

Will County Division of Transportation

PROJECT PARTNERS:

Material Solutions Laboratory

MERIT AWARDS

TRANSPORTATION

DAMEN, ELSTON, FULLERTON INTERSECTION REROUTE

Benesch & Civiltech

Chicago Department of Transportation

PROJECT PARTNERS:

GeoServices

Huff & Huff

Terra Engineering

2IM Group

GSG Consultants, Inc.

APEX Consulting Engineers, LLC.

Cheri K. Lewis Engineers, LLC.

SPECIAL PROJECTS

HARRISON/DEVER CRIB COMPLEX STRUCTURAL RENOVATIONS

Globetrotters Engineering Corporation

City of Chicago, Department of Water
Management

TRANSPORTATION

I-55 & LAKE SHORE DRIVE INTERCHANGE

AECOM, RME, & Ardmore Roderick

Illinois Department of Transportation

TRANSPORTATION

IL 19 (IRVING PARK RD) AT YORK RD (CREATE GS16)

HDR, Inc.

Illinois Department of Transportation

PROJECT PARTNERS:

Lin Engineering

Singh and Associates

GeoServices, Inc.

**STUDIES, RESEARCH AND
CONSULTING**

**IL RT-132 DRY LAND BRIDGE
REPLACEMENT STUDY**

Globetrotters Engineering Corporation
Illinois Department of Transportation

SMALL PROJECTS

**ILLINOIS STATEWIDE CONGESTION
ANALYSIS STUDY**

Dama Consultants, Inc.
Illinois Department of Transportation

TRANSPORTATION

**ILLINOIS TOLLWAY CONSTRUCTION
MANAGEMENT SERVICES UPON
REQUEST - ILLINOIS ROUTE 390
TOLLWAY**

Infrastructure Engineering Inc.
Illinois Tollway

SPECIAL PROJECTS

**ILLINOIS TOLLWAY M-7 ROCKFORD
MAINTENANCE FACILITY
RECONSTRUCTION**

Ardmore Roderick
Illinois Tollway

MERIT AWARDS

SMALL PROJECTS

JACKSON STREET CORRIDOR

Crawford Murphy & Tilly and Massie Massie
& Associates

City of Springfield

PROJECT PARTNERS:

American Environmental Corporation

SPECIAL PROJECTS

LAGRANGE ROAD CORRIDOR IMPROVEMENTS

V3 Companies Ltd.

Village of Orland Park

STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS

LINCOLNWOOD VALLEY LINE PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE

Stanley Consultants

Village of Lincolnwood

PROJECT PARTNERS:

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Interra

WASTE AND STORM WATER

MCHENRY WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANTS CONSOLIDATION PROJECT

HR Green, Inc.

City of McHenry

SPECIAL PROJECTS

OAK PARK AVENUE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

Chastain & Associates, LLC.
City of Chicago

STUDIES, RESEARCH AND CONSULTING

SOLAR FEASIBILITY STUDY

Primera Engineers, Ltd.
ComEd

WASTE AND STORM WATER

SOUTH SIDE PARK LIFT STATION AND RELIEF SEWERS

Thouvenot, Wade & Moerchen, Inc.
City of Belleville

WASTE AND STORM WATER

TERTIARY FILTER UPGRADES

Clark Dietz, Inc.
City of West Chicago

TRANSPORTATION

US 20 AT MCLEAN BLVD EXP

Illinois Department of Transportation

SPECIAL PROJECTS

WHEATON DOWNTOWN STREETScape

Primera Engineers, Ltd.
City of Wheaton

PROJECT PARTNERS:

Design Workshop
Gandhi and Associates
Landmark Engineering
Rubino Engineering

SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS

BRIDGING THE DIVIDE IN GALESBURG

Hanson Professional Services, Inc.

City of Galesburg

PROJECT PARTNERS:

Bruner, Cooper & Zuck, Inc.

Fehr Graham

Fever River Research, Inc.

JJ Stoecker Illustrations

Kaskaskia Engineering Group, LLC.

Lunda Construction Co.

Quigg Engineering, Inc.

TERRA Engineering, Ltd.

United Contractors Midwest, Inc.

Gunther Construction

Wang Engineering, Inc.

Whitney & Associates, Inc.

STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS

DALE GARDNER VETERANS MEMORIAL BRIDGE

Parsons

Illinois Department of Transportation

PROJECT PARTNERS:

Wang Engineering, Inc.

Snyder & Associates, Inc.

Dan Brown and Associates

Michael Baker International

Images, Inc.

TRANSPORTATION

I-57/70 REHABILITATION

Lochmueller Group, Inc.

Illinois Department of Transportation

PROJECT PARTNERS:

Lin Engineering, Ltd.

Goodpaster-Jamison, Inc.

RJN Group, Inc.

TRANSPORTATION

IL 19 AT WOOD DALE ROAD INTERSECTION RECONSTRUCTION

HR Green

City of Wood Dale

PROJECT PARTNERS:

Ames Engineering, Inc.

TRANSPORTATION

ILLINOIS ROUTE 104 OVER THE ILLINOIS RIVER

EXP

Illinois Department of Transportation

PROJECT PARTNERS:

Garza

Karhoff Engineering LLC. Lin

Engineering

Milhouse

RWDI

Wang Engineering, Inc.

Benesch

SPECIAL PROJECTS

MIDDLEFORK SAVANNA TRAIL CONNECTION

Civiltech Engineering, Inc.

Lake County Forest Preserve District

WASTE AND STORM WATER

MOLINE NORTH SLOPE WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT IMPROVEMENTS

Strand Associates, Inc.

City of Moline

SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

WASTE AND STORM WATER

PEORIA ENHANCED BIOLOGICAL PHOSPHORUS REMOVAL IMPROVEMENTS

Greely and Hansen

Greater Peoria Sanitary District

PROJECT PARTNERS:

Burns Engineering

Peoria Metro Construction

INDUSTRIAL AND

MANUFACTURING PROCESSES

SEABOARD TRIUMPH FOODS PORK PROCESSING FACILITY

Epstein

Seaboard Triumph Foods

WASTE AND STORM WATER

SANITARY SEWER REPLACEMENT PROJECT & ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS

Gewalt Hamilton Associates, Inc.

Village of Barrington

STUDIES, RESEARCH AND CONSULTING

TRI-STATE TOLLWAY MASTER PLAN SETS THE FUTURE IN MOTION

Jacobs Engineering Group Inc.

EFK Moen LLC.

Hanson Professional Services, Inc.,

H.W. Lochner

HDR Engineering, Inc.

Quigg Engineering, Inc.,

Bowman, Barrett & Associates, Inc.

TranSystems Corporation

Exp U.S. Services, Inc.

Illinois Tollway

PROJECT PARTNERS:

CKL Engineers, LLC.

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SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

TRANSPORTATION

WIDE SPAN CRANE EXPANSION - LOGISTICS PARK CHICAGO

TranSystems Corporation

BNSF Railway



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WATER RESOURCES

ALBANY PARK STORMWATER DIVERSION TUNNEL

Stantec & WSP USA, Inc.

Chicago Department of Transportation

PROJECT PARTNERS:

David Mason & Associates of Illinois, Ltd.,
Intelligent Design and Construction Solutions,
LLC.

Rubinos & Mesia Engineers, Inc.

Globetrotters Engineering Company

Cotter Consultants

Leyden Electric, Inc.

TRANSPORTATION

BARRINGTON ROAD AT I-90 INTERCHANGE PARK-N-RIDE

CMT

Village of Hoffman Estates

Illinois Tollway

Illinois Department of Transportation

PACE

PROJECT PARTNERS:

2IM Group, LLC.

Graef USA

GZA

Planning Communities, Inc.

W-T Engineering

Lin Engineering

Geo Services, Inc.

HONOR AWARDS

STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS

CHAPEL HILL ROAD OVER THE FOX RIVER BRIDGE REHABILITATION

RS&H

McHenry County Division of Transportation

PROJECT PARTNERS:

2IM Group, LLC.
Environmental Design International, Inc.
Huff & Huff, Inc.

SPECIAL PROJECTS

CHICAGO-ST. LOUIS HIGH SPEED RAIL PROGRAM

WSP USA, Inc.

Illinois Department of Transportation

WASTE AND STORM WATER

CHICAGO RESILIENT CORRIDORS PROJECT

AECOM

City of Chicago, Department of Planning and Development

PROJECT PARTNERS:

Hey and Associates, Inc.
Green Metro Planning, LLC.
DB Sterlin Consultants, Inc.
Quercus Consulting
GSG Consultants, Inc.
UI Labs
Friedler Construction Co.
Beverly Environmental

TRANSPORTATION

CTA WILSON TRANSFER STATION

HNTB Corporation

Chicago Transit Authority

PROJECT PARTNERS: Kaltsouni

Mehdi, Inc.

Dynasty Group

DB Sterlin Consultants, Inc.

CivCon Services, Inc.

Geo Services, Inc.

Bauer Latoza Studios

Regina Webster & Associates, Inc.

STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS

INBOUND I-55 AT US 41 (LAKE SHORE DRIVE) INTERCHANGE

OMEGA

Illinois Department of Transportation

PROJECT PARTNERS:

Illinois Construction & Environmental Consulting, Inc.

R & G Engineering

Tecma Associates

Atlas Engineering LLC.

CKL Engineers, LLC.

Interra, Inc.

Dynasty Group

Material Solutions Laboratory

STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS

JEREMIAH MORROW BRIDGE

HNTB Corporation

Ohio Department of Transportation

HONOR AWARDS

TRANSPORTATION

MCORE - TRANSFORMING THE CORE OF THE COMMUNITY

Clark Dietz, Inc.

Hanson Professional Services, Inc.

City of Champaign

Champaign-Urbana Mass Transit District

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

City of Urbana

PROJECT PARTNERS:

Hanson Professional Services, Inc.

T.Y. Lin International Group

Site Design Group, Ltd.

Third Coast Design Studio

Engineering & Research International, Inc.

Millenia Professional Services

WASTE AND STORM WATER

SUGAR CREEK WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT

Crawford Murphy & Tilly

Sangamon County Water Reclamation District

PROJECT PARTNERS:

SCADAware, Inc.

Professional Service Industries, Inc.

EMERGING PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR NOMINEES

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Bhonhoff Rebecca Civil Design, Inc.
Boyer Kaskaskia Engineering Group, LLC
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Timothy Kelly Huff & Huff, Inc. (a subsidiary of GZA)
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Daniel Prokop HDR, Inc.
Gavin Risley Klinger & Associates, PC
Kim Sumrak Hanson Professional Services Inc.
Becca Wagner Hanson Professional Services Inc.

* Top Finalist

2019 EMERGING PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR: Mara Kosir, Jacobs

JUDGE'S CHOICE AWARDS

WATER RESOURCES:

Albany Park Stormwater Diversion Tunnel

Chicago Department of Transportation



JUDGE'S CHOICE AWARDS

SPECIAL PROJECTS:

Chicago – St. Louis High Speed Rail Program Management Illinois Department of Transportation



JUDGE'S CHOICE AWARDS

TRANSPORTATION:

CTA Wilson Transfer Station

Chicago Transit Authority (CTA)



HNTB

JUDGE'S CHOICE AWARDS

STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS:

Jeremiah Morrow Bridge

ODOT



HNTB

JUDGE'S CHOICE AWARDS

WASTE AND STORM WATER:

Sugar Creek Wastewater Treatment Plant

Sangamon County Water Reclamation District



JUDGE'S CHOICE AWARDS

BUILDING/TECHNOLOGY SYSTEMS:

Bus Garage Improvements and CNG Fueling System

Pace Suburban Bus Service

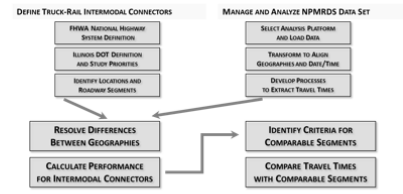
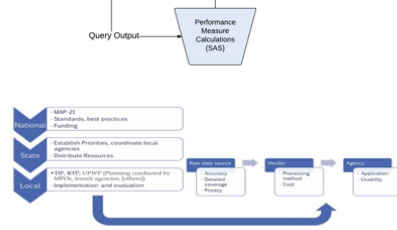
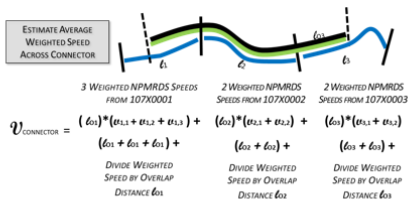
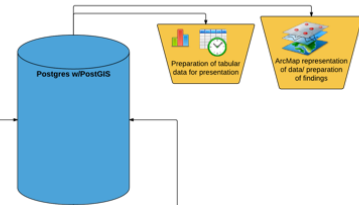


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SMALL PROJECTS:

Illinois Statewide Congestion Analysis Study

Illinois Department of Transportation



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INDUSTRIAL AND MANUFACTURING PROCESSES:

Seaboard Triumph Foods Pork Processing Facility

Seaboard Triumph Foods



JUDGE'S CHOICE AWARDS

STUDIES, RESEARCH AND CONSULTING:

Tri-State Tollway Plan Sets the Future in Motion



OUTSTANDING GRAPHICS AWARD

Wide Span Crane Expansion – Logistics Park Chicago

BNSF Railway



Photo Credit: John Clarke, Senior Hub Manager – BNSF



LINCOLN'S GRAND CONCEPTOR AWARD

Barrington Road at I-90 Interchange & Park-n-Ride Station

Village of Hoffman Estates



JUDGES

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Northwest Suburban Municipal Joint Action Water Agency

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