

Quad City Engineering and Science Council (QCESC)



October 21, 2009 QCESC Meeting Minutes
 Introductions and Confirm Agenda – Pat Barnes (5 minutes)

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Guests/Others:				
	O	Grace Johnson	QC Grad Center	
X	X	Roy Porter	Achieve Quad Cities	
12	12	Total Expected		

- Red text indicates changes or new participants. Names with ~~strikeout~~ text indicate people who ahead of the meeting indicated they could not attend.

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1. **Introduction of members/guests:** Pat Barnes asked attendees to introduce themselves and provided all with hard copies of meeting agenda. NOTE: Some of these minutes are provided in outline form. For details, please visit www.qcesc.com.
2. **Minutes of previous meeting.** The minutes of the previous meeting were approved without change. http://www.qcesc.org/Meetings/Minutes-2009-09-16_B.pdf
3. **Treasurer's Report.** Chris Hebel reported that total QCESC assets in all accounts is \$6,050.22.
4. **Achieve Quad Cities Presentation -** Pat introduced Ray Porter of Achieve Quad Cities who provided an orientation of his organization's vision, mission, goals to achieve purpose, and a listing of volunteer opportunities for any person or organization who would like to work with Achieve Quad Cities. Ray discussed some additional sub-goals such as: improve graduation rates in the Quad Cities, get students to stay in school longer, set up career networks (job shadows, internships, tours, committed volunteers and partners), and help students achieve a "Lifetime of Employability." Ray would like to tap the QCESC for volunteers. He provided hand-outs with appropriate information
5. **New QCESC Member Societies – Discussed and agreed to add the following societies to QCESC. John Johnson to provide the names of the contacts for each group from IEEE.**
 - a. IEEE Student Branch
 - b. IEEE Computer Chapter
 - c. IEEE Power Society
 - d. Other Society Branches
 - e. Note: Also discussed sending an invitation to have the [Project Management Institute \(PMI\) – Quad City Chapter](#) join.
6. **Status and Plans for October 30 President's Reception / Hockey Night -** Barry Murchie reminded attendees of the joint QCESC/ASM Hockey Night on October 30 at Johnnies Steak House in Moline. As of meeting time, Barry said 25 people had signed up. He was concerned about the low number and would like the Council to push to get more attendees/participants. The featured speaker will be from Mid American Energy and the topic will be "Climate Change." The Council voted to donate \$100 to offset expenses at the Pres Rec/HN.
7. **Society Updates:**
 - a. ASM plans to tour the IPSCO plant.
 - b. IEEE - John Johnson recommended that the Council leverage the Google calendar. Pat B. agreed and added that we need time to do it.
8. **Calendar of Events.** Pat B. showed a schedule of events/potential events that the Council could be/should be involved in during the months of October, November, and early December. Of note is the NAWIC event on November 6, when they will conduct both silent and live auctions of donated items. NAWIC raises significant money and distributes it in scholarship grants among other causes. Pat noted that November 17 is a busy day with at least four events.
9. **Student/STEM Update.** Steve Mapley briefed attendees on STEM initiatives.
 - a. Jason Franzenberg, West High School STEM coordinator, needs volunteers (ME/EE) on Wednesday, November 14 from 1:30-3:30.
 - b. Tech Teachers Night Event is being held on November 18 at Bettendorf High School for local vocational/technical high school teachers from both Iowa and Illinois. Discussed and got approval to spend up to \$200 for pizza, pop, and drinks.
10. **Next Meeting.** The next gathering of the QCESC will be at Johnny's Steakhouse on Friday, October 30, at 5:00 PM to celebrate the Presidents' Reception/Hockey Night.