

Save the Date

Chapter Meeting April 13th, 2016



Meeting Location: Casa Rina 886 Commerce Street Thornwood, NY 10592

5:30 - 6:00PM Arrival & Networking 6:00 - 6:30PM Tech Session 6:30 - 7:30PM Buffet Dinner 7:30 - 8:30PM Main Presentation (1 PDH pending)

\$25 Members, \$30 Non-Members Complimentary Admission for Engineering Students Walk-ins and General Public Welcomed

CREATING A WORLD OF ZERO ENERGY BUILDINGS

Presented by Paul Torcellini, Associate Professor of Sustainable Energy Studies at Eastern Connecticut State University and a Principal Engineer for Commercial Buildings Research at the National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL), a DOE national laboratory. This presentation will focus on the requirements for the creation of a Zero Energy Building, metrics used to compute standards, processes that help achieve Zero Energy, and how to achieve aggressive energy targets.

THE BUSINESS OF SOLAR

Don van Rhyn of the Tristate Solar Alliance will discuss the financial and operational impacts of commercial solar projects, including the various state incentives in New York, New Jersey and Connecticut. In the current market, the economic returns of a solar project can vary depending the state, county or even utility of a particular property. This discussion will give you the tools to more confidently communicate to your customers which buildings would be good candidates for solar and how they can achieve both lower operating costs and lower carbon emissions. Don will also review installation options (roof & ground), financing options and the nominal impact of solar on the facility team.

See www.ashraebistate.org for more information or call Jim Dolan @ 914 919-3106 RSVP to ashraebistateRSVP@olace.com