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# **UPJ AGC Student Chapter - Upcoming Events**



The University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown AGC Student Chapter has two great opportunities to meet and network with UPJ students and potential employee or intern candidates for your organization.

## **EMPLOYER DAY AT UPJ**

Employer Day at the University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown will be held on October 21st. The fee to participate is \$50/company which includes two lunches, a snack table, and access to a resume database from participating students.

## **EMPLOYER DAY AT UPJ FLYER**

**REGISTER** TO PARTICIPATE.

## **UPJ 4th ANNUAL PHEASANT HUNT**

Join the UPJ civil engineering students for the 4th Annual Pheasant Hunt on November 20. Full and half day sponsorship packages are available.

### PHEASANT HUNT FLYER

## CAWP + AGC

In 1939, CAWP was granted a full charter with the Associated General Contractors of America (AGC), the largest and oldest national construction trade association in the United States. Established in 1918, AGC is the most respected voice of the construction industry in the U.S. Congress and has continued to enhance its reputation for being the respected voice of the construction industry in Washington, D.C.



Your membership in CAWP includes membership in AGC. Please watch this section in the CAWP Weekly to stay up-to-date on the news, events, and member benefits from AGC and other AGC chapters.

## **Vaccine Requirements for Federal Contractors**

Updates, AGC Survey, and AGC WebEd

The <u>Safer Federal Workforce Task Force</u> (Task Force) has provided further guidance on vaccination requirements for all federal contractors and subcontractors. Additionally, the FAR Council has issued <u>guidance</u> for federal agencies to implement these requirements in the coming days, which includes a contract clause requiring full compliance with all guidance and FAQs published by the Task Force. Federal agencies have moved rapidly to issue class deviations to immediately implement, including the <u>Department of Defense</u> and the <u>General Services Administration</u>. AGC has retained outside legal counsel to help review its legal options. To further this discussion, AGC needs members who perform direct federal work to:

- Fill out this survey to provide the association with critical information on this subject.
- Sign up for <u>this webinar</u> next Thursday, October 14 which will provide further detailed information to AGC federal contractors and subcontractors.

**Further information** 

## No New News on OSHA Testing Mandate

AGC Continues to Wait for ETS; Reviews Legal Options

AGC continues to wait for more information from OSHA on an emergency temporary standard (ETS) expected to require employers with 100 or more employees to ensure their workers are fully vaccinated against COVID-19 or tested for infection on at least a weekly basis. There is little clarity as to exactly when the agency will formally issue this ETS testing mandate or when it will take effect. AGC has also retained outside legal counsel—and is asking some of the brightest legal minds within the industry—to help it review its legal options. Previously, AGC conveyed its <u>serious reservations</u> about such an ETS. The association and its members have encouraged voluntary COVID-19 vaccination for their

employees since the vaccines became available. The construction industry has proven throughout the pandemic that it can work in a safe and essential manner. OSHA has previously deemed many construction activities as low exposure risks.

# Now Accepting Applications for the 2022 AGC Construction Safety Professional of the Year (CSPY) & Construction Safety Champion of the Year (CSCY) Awards

Construction professionals with excellent leadership skills are critical to the efforts of construction firms across the country to achieve their goals of injury free jobsites. To highlight the successes of these professionals, and to honor their commitment and dedication to ensuring the men and women in the construction industry are afforded a safe and healthy work environment, AGC and Milwaukee Tool have partnered to present the Construction Safety Professional of the Year (CSPY) and Construction Safety Champion of the Year awards (CSCY).

Don't miss this opportunity to recognize the individuals on your team that have shown outstanding leadership in guiding your company's safety and health program.

For more information on the CSPY/CSCY program and to access the applications, click <u>HERE</u>. The deadline for submitting applications is **Friday, November 5, 2021**.

If you have any questions, please contact Nazia Shah at <a href="mailto:nazia.shah@agc.org">nazia.shah@agc.org</a>.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**FULL CALENDAR** 

#### RECENT BULLETINS

#### October 6

CAWP Education Bulletin #5-21 – Certified Concrete Finisher Certification – NRMCA

## October 5

CAWP Education Bulletin #4-21 – ACI Concrete Field Testing Technician Certification

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