

CIBSE Group/Society Annual Report for activities during 2018

CIBSE Groups - Annual Report for 2018

Note: Please comment under any categories that apply to your particular Group/Society, inserting n/a in any other spaces. Groups are not expected to have an entry under every heading.

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ASHRAE																															
Introduction																															
<p>Formed in 1995 the CIBSE ASHRAE Group represents members who have an interest in the Building Services industry worldwide. Whilst a Group within CIBSE, membership is additionally open at no cost to members of ASHRAE, and also to interested individuals who are neither a member of CIBSE nor ASHRAE. The group is unique within CIBSE in that it is not associated with a particular sub-discipline of building services and aims to focus primarily on issues with a transatlantic emphasis and inter-institutional activity</p>																															
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<p>Ken Goodman is standing down from his position of Vice Chairman, Emeka Efe Osaji has already offered to step into the role for next year.</p>																															
Highlights of 2018 for the Group																															
<p>The appointment of David Green as Chairman was the first time that an ASHRAE Group chair is a non-UK resident.</p> <p>The Group held its first joint event (with the local ASHRAE Chapter) outside of the UK in Toronto, Ontario, Canada when Andrew Bowerbank of Ellis Don Construction delivered both a live presentation to an audience of approx. 15 plus a webinar to another 50+ attendees.</p>																															

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Group events (i.e. events organised by the Group committee and publicised to the Group membership)

February 6th, 2018 - Employing alternative fuels for Combined Heat and Power Paul Martin and John Hyde from Centrica

March 22nd, 2018 - The future of the construction industry in a low-carbon world presented by Andrew Bowerbank from Ellis Don Construction of Toronto, Ontario, Canada

May 10th, 2018 - Restraining building services systems against explosive blasts and seismic incidents presented by Jim Tauby

October 11th, 2018 - CIBSE/ASHRAE Graduate of The Year Presentation

The winner of this year's award was Reanna Evans from NG Bailey and Leeds Beckett University.

November 14th, 2018 - Enhancing building energy and environmental assessment certification presented by Emeka Efe Osaji, Fellow, Leeds Sustainability Institute

December 4th, 2018 - Microgrids- A new market opportunity? Presented by Duncan Child

Events held in conjunction with other Groups or Societies or with a CIBSE Regional Committee

Joint presentation event with the local ASHRAE Chapter held in Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Annual event (evening presentation) held in conjunction with CIBSE FM Group, YEN (CIBSE Young Engineers Network) collaboration with CIBSE ASHRAE Graduate of the Year Rumford Club provided bursaries for runners up in the Graduate of the Year competition

Joint webinar held with the Energy Institute on Microgrids

Events held in conjunction with any external bodies

IMechE CBSD collaborated once again with the Graduate of the Year and ASHRAE residential Lecture. The IMechE CEO was also one of the judges. The annual joint event was held on the 11th October, After the award ceremony a panel consisting of ASHRAE President Sheila Hayter, CIBSE President Stephen Lisk and the IMechE President Tony Roche as well as the 2017 graduate of the year Raphael Amajuoyi facilitated a discussion on the following'Recent events have raised questions about how the industry manages and monitors professional competence and upholds technical standards. What does this mean to you as an engineer and where does the engineer's responsibility begin and end?

Energy Institute/DeMontfort University – Microgrids webinar

CIBSE Knowledge – any involvement in the development of CIBSE knowledge or guidance during 2018?

NONE

Any Research activities of the Group

N/A

Any Group involvement in consultations and policy development

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NONE
Summary of any communications circulated during the year – e-newsletters, newsletters, website, forum etc
<p>The group website is currently split between an independent of CIBSE, (www.cibseashrae.org) site and the main CIBSE.org site. Regular emails keep contact with a large proportion of the membership—the majority of group members have an email address. Both sites maintain the updated programme, the back catalogue of webinars has been migrated from the CIBSE ASHRAE Group website to the main CIBSE site.</p> <p>The group continues to benefit from coverage in the CIBSE Journal – the Journal continues to be keen to take articles covering CIBSE and ASHRAE activities</p>
Any Education/Careers activities
None
Any Awards or Competitions organised by the Group
CIBSE ASHRAE Group Graduate of the Year
Collaboration with other bodies and development of wider knowledge networks
Joint events with ASHRAE, IoR
Any sponsorship received this year, in kind or monetary? Are any future activities involving sponsorship planned? Please identify sponsors.
<p>CDML, Ellis Don & Stantec (all from Canada) supported the Future of Building in a low carbon environment presentation by Andrew Bowerbank in Toronto, ON, Canada. Andrews Water Heaters; Kingspan Industrial Insulation, Swegon Group and the CIBSE Patrons CIBSE Patrons supported the Graduate of the Year.</p> <p>DeMontfort University – Microgrids webinar</p>
Any activities of the Group (relating to the original aims and objectives) that have not been covered above.
<p>Including the AGM 5 committee meetings were conducted on the following dates:</p> <p>February 14th, 2018 – AGM</p> <p>March 20th, 2018 - Committee Meeting No.1</p> <p>May 1st, 2018 - Committee Meeting No.2</p> <p>October 9th, 2018 - Committee Meeting No.3</p> <p>December 4th, 2018 - Committee Meeting No.4</p>

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Group Membership or CIBSE Membership – Are there any specific points of note or interest including potential opportunities to promote membership of the Group or of CIBSE?

NONE

Any other information about the Group that you want to include?

NONE