

NAWIC



October 2018 Newsletter

Welcome to our new & improved NAWIC Chapter #96 newsletter! We hope you find our monthly information interesting & helpful. For more, you can always visit our website.

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Upcoming Board Meeting

Date: Tuesday, November 6

Time: 4:30 p.m.

Location: Delaware Contractors Assoc., 527 Stanton Christiana Road, Newark, DE



Board meetings are typically held the first Tuesday of every month, unless otherwise specified. Members are welcome to attend.

Upcoming Events

What: Northeast Region Fall Conference

Date: November 9-10

Location: Saratoga Springs, NY

Cost: \$150 Member/\$175 Non-Member + Cost of Hotel Room

Info: nawicnortheast.org



Enjoy this annual event with other chapters in the northeast region including leadership training, professional seminars, receptions, and more.

What: [Networking & Mentoring Match-Up Night](#)

Date: Tuesday, November 13

Time: 5 p.m.

Location: Bancroft Office, 1300 North Grant Avenue, Wilmington, DE

Cost: \$15/person or \$50 to be event sponsor (includes signage and 1 registration)

RSVP: mail@nawicde.org by November 9

An evening dedicated to getting to know our membership and association with a speed networking twist. Registration fee includes lite dinner fare.

Chapter Committee Reports

Emerging Professionals - Leah Curran

NAWIC has a new committee and it's called the *Emerging Professionals!* The purpose of the committee is "to promote, recruit, and empower women entering the construction industry and grow a supportive network for them." Our chapter is excited to be participating in their newly designed mentoring program! Whether you're new to NAWIC or new to the industry, you'll be able to connect and develop personal and career skills, all with the support of an existing NAWIC member. We



are currently looking for Mentees and Mentors to kick off our six-month program in November!

Are you new to NAWIC or the industry? Have you been a NAWIC member for two years or less? [Be a Mentee!](#)

Do you want to share the value of NAWIC? Have you served on our board or as a committee chair? [Be a Mentor!](#)

Fill out your applications and get back to [Leah Curran](#) by November 13.

Professional Development & Education - Leah Curran

PD&E Monthly Webinars are available to all members and scheduled on the **third Tuesday of the month at 1 p.m. EST**. Upcoming topics include time management, risk management, construction documents, legal corporate identity (by our own Regional PD&E Chair Jess Murphy), and finding your voice. If you miss it don't worry, it's on NAWIC's YouTube channel or under the Member Center on www.nawic.org. Check your emails for notifications on upcoming PD&E webinars. All members will receive an email from nawic@nawic.org with webinar info.

Scholarship - Gladys King

Mary-Beth Robbins, a two-time NAWIC Scholarship award winner and student at University of Tennessee, was kind enough to provide our chapter with an update on her education:

"The school year is going well this year!" she wrote in an email. "Going fast, but well. By the end of this semester I will be halfway through architecture school. Please update the NAWIC chapter of how appreciative I am of all your support. It means a lot to me!"

Cheers

- Gladys King of J&G Building Group is celebrating 12 years as a NAWIC member this month
- Leah Curran of Tri-Supply & Equipment is celebrating 6 years as a NAWIC member this month



Local / Industry News

[Workplace Sexual Harassment: Construction Industry Speaks](#) *ENR*
[Construction Backlogs at Record Highs in Q2](#) *EC&M Magazine*
[Female Superheroes Can Help Girls See Themselves as Leaders](#) *Huffington Post*
[Land purchase signals Lidl's plan to build a grocery store in Dover](#) *The News Journal*



Mid-Term Elections are coming up! Please visit the polls on Tuesday, November 6 to vote in this year's mid-term elections. To find your Delaware polling place, [click here](#). For more information on candidates, [click here](#).

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