

Ohio Engineers Legislative Day

When

Wednesday, May 8, 2019 from
8:00 AM to 2:45 PM EDT

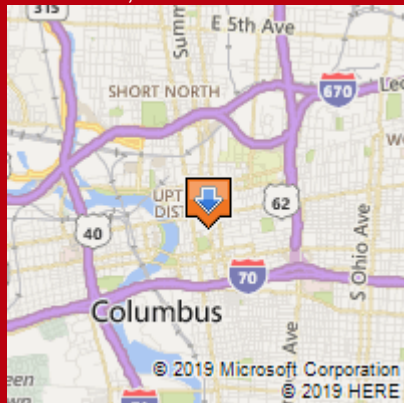
Check-in begins at 8:00 AM.

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Where

Sheraton Columbus at Capitol Square

75 East State Street
Columbus, OH 43215



[Driving Directions](#)

IEEE is proud to partner on Ohio Engineers Legislative Day.

IEEE is pleased to announce we are new partners in Ohio Engineers Legislative Day, sponsored by Ohio Society of Professional Engineers (OSPE). IEEE joins OSPE and long-time partner, ASCE, for the May 8th educational program at the Sheraton Capitol Square in downtown Columbus.

IEEE members will enjoy a 30% member discount on the registration fee. All IEEE members are encouraged to attend. PEs can earn up to 5 hours of Continuing Professional Development. Non-licensed engineers should attend to keep current with information that could impact their work.

"Save the Date" and watch for more details including registration instructions.

IEEE members may register for \$69 and non-members may register for \$99. A light breakfast and a box lunch are included in the registration fee. Attendees will have the opportunity to visit their State Representative or State Senator following the program. OSPE will set the appointment, provide support materials and escort you to your destination.



IEEE Columbus Section Vice Chair Helen Winfrey (far right); IEEE Columbus Secretary Howard Jones (second from left); OSPE Legislative Agent Holly Ross (far left) and OSPE Legislative Day Manager Pam McClure (second from right) discuss strategies for bringing legislative education to IEEE members.

Event Schedule

8:00 am **Registration**
Coffee & light breakfast provided

- 8:55 am **Welcome**
Steve Day, PE, President, OSPE
Joe Warino, PE, PS, FNSPE,
VP of OSPE L&GA
- 9:00 am **Welcome ODOT Director / Plans for ODOT**
Jack Marchbanks, PhD,
Executive Director, ODOT
- 9:45 am **Insights on the Legislature from a
Professional Engineer's Perspective**
Representative Louis W. Blessing, III, PE,
Ohio House District 29
- 10:15 am 10-Minute Break
- 10:25 am **A Detailed Analysis of Bills that Affect
Engineering Practice (with Advocacy Training)**
Matt Whitehead, Director of Legislative Affairs,
Governmental Policy Group, Inc.
- 11:25 am 5-Minute Break
- 11:30 am **Lunch & Speaker**
**Why Should Engineers Be Involved in
Public Policy?**
Aaron Castelo, CAE, Director,
State Government Relations,
American Society of Civil Engineers
- 1:00 pm **Deconstructing an Engineering College's
Place in a Research University**
Dennis Irwin, PhD, PE, Dean, Ohio University
Coal-Fired Power Plant Basic & Overview
Paul Jackson, PE, Asset Manager,
Buckeye Power
**Power Generation in 2019: How the
Transmission Grid & Energy Markets are
Adapting to Changing Technology**
Ben Wilson, PE, Manager of Power Delivery,
Buckeye Power
- 2:45 pm Legislative Visits Begin

*Questions? Call OSPE at **614-223-1144** (Columbus area) or **1-800-654-9481** (Ohio only).*

I hope you will take advantage of this new opportunity!

Sincerely,

Helen Winfrey

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