Why Should You Join the Public Sector Practice Specialty?

Do you work in or support the Public Sector?  
Does your e-mail address have a .gov or .mil or .edu suffix?  
Do you work at the federal, state, province, county, parish, city, town, or village level?  

If you answered yes to any of the above, you’re an ideal candidate to join the American Society of Safety Engineers’ Public Sector Practice Specialty!

What’s in it for you? Membership in the Public Sector Practice Specialty (PSPS) can help you get more out of the organization by networking with other people in similar roles and taking advantage of our many volunteers and leadership opportunities. At the Chapter and Regional level, networking helps us to grow as EH&S professionals, while networking at the National and Practice levels helps us to look beyond our own areas and learn how other people are doing things.

Why should someone in ASSE join the PSPS? Our “official” reason for being is to foster information sharing, learning, networking and communication among EH&S professionals working for governmental agencies and facilities at federal, state, county, municipal and institutional levels in urban, suburban and rural communities. Joining PSPS gives you the opportunity to network with top public sector professionals through LinkedIn, Facebook, conference calls and annual face-to-face meetings. We have Perspectives, our triannual electronic technical publication, which is very informative and also gives members the opportunity to get published and earn recertification points. You can reach out for advisory committee guidance and advice and get discounts on Public Sector Practice Specialty group-sponsored webinars. Public Sector Practice Specialty members also have the opportunity for Practice Specialty sponsorship on conference speaking proposals, since PSPS helps develop technical sessions for ASSE’s annual Professional Development Conference.

Who is eligible to join the PSPS? Any ASSE member who has an interest in Public Sector O/EH&S is welcome to join. While most members do work for or with governmental agencies at all levels, you don’t have to be working in the public sector to participate; just having an interest is what it really takes.

Can you join more than one Practice Specialty at a time? Yes. There is no limit to the number of Practice Specialties an ASSE member can join. These are niche groups that help ASSE members develop a relationship with others having common interests.

Our website has a variety of resources, including access to over 150 interviews with top industry professionals.

Respectfully,

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