







PRESIDENT'S REPORT September 2020

Dear IES Members.

Welcome to the 2020-21 program year!

While the pandemic continues to pose challenges to holding in-person meetings, we will still strive to provide educational resources for your use. You, our members, are at the forefront of our minds.

We are happy to announce that we will be kicking off this program year with a Virtual Seminar on GUV lighting — a very hot subject right now! This program is hosted by IES national and is FREE to our section.

We will be looking into other virtual seminars that we can promote for our community this year, as our goal, and the goal of IES National is to help keep our members safe. This is the first in a series of CEU presentations that our Regional Team will be hosting through the end of the program year. IES Midwest Regional funds will be utilized to cover the cost of producing this series.

Our web designer, Chris Woodman, has enhanced our website. Up until now, the website was only optimized for viewing on desktop computers. Chris has migrated our website over to a new hosting platform.

Now the IES Cleveland Section website is designed and optimized for mobile devices, so it looks amazing on phones and tablets. This update is going to make for a better user experience for all of us. Thank you, Chris.



To keep everyone engaged and provide programming that is relevant, we are asking for you to email your ideas for topics and speakers for October, November, and December meetings in hopes that face-to-face meetings will convene after the first of the year. We are excited to have this new benefit and resource for our program schedule.

Lastly, our next Board of Managers meeting will be held on Friday, September 11 at noon via conference call. These meetings are open to all members. If you would like to get involved, please contact Henry Barker and he will add you to the meeting invitation.

Please stay safe and be careful.

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Principles of GUV & Its Use as a Germicidal (UVG)

Presenter: Carla Bukalski, Cooper Lighting Solutions Sponsor: IES Midwest Regional Director and District Chairs

The COVID-19 global pandemic is having an enormous impact on almost every aspect of our lives. The rapid and easy spread of this virus has created a substantial amount of interest in the germicidal properties of ultraviolet radiation and the possibility of using this spectrum to disinfect various applications.

This presentation will cover three types of ultraviolet radiation and levels of germicidal properties and capabilities. The history of the use of various lamp sources that can deliver UV will be explored as well as the risks associated with the various types.

UVC will be specifically discussed as a germicidal, how it can be used in various applications such as water and air cleaning.

This will be an accredited CEU program (1 CEU).

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ABOUT THE SPEAKER



Carla Bukalski has over 25 years of experience in the lighting industry. She earned her Bachelor of Science in Architectural Engineering from the University of Kansas and began her career as an electrical engineer with a large MEP firm. After earning her license as a

professional electrical engineer, Ms. Bukalski followed her true passion and moved into lighting design where she worked on many high-profile projects and received several design awards.

Carla then shifted her focus to lighting manufacturing. She has held positions with both luminaire and source manufacturers and is

currently using this variety of experience in her position of Specification Regional Sales Manager for Cooper Lighting Solutions. Ms. Bukalski has a passion for lighting that is apparent in every role she has held, and her strong technical background provides an excellent base for today's lighting and controls technologies.

She speaks internationally and excels at communicating product impact on the marketplace. Carla is a licensed professional engineer, is lighting certified by NCQLP, and is a LEED Accredited professional.

• When: Tuesday, September 15

■ **Program**: 12 p.m.−1 p.m.

• Sponsor: IES Midwest Regional Director and District Chairs

■ Location: Virtual Webinar

Cost: FREE

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