ACEC Central Ohio Chapter Leadership Profile

Name: Joseph Bolzenius  
Chapter: Central Ohio  
Leadership Role: Vice Chair  
Company: Patrick Engineering, Inc.

Joe is the Ohio Director of Transportation at Patrick Engineering, Inc. He has 31 years of experience in project management, office management and quality control. His role as Ohio Director of Transportation includes the oversight of Patrick’s Ohio transportation operations including business development. As Senior Project Manager, Joe oversees all phases of design projects (including roadway design, structure type studies, drainage, traffic control, traffic signals, lighting, structure design, and right-of-way).

His career has not been focused on one single aspect of civil engineering, but on almost every facet of the profession. From site civil design, surveying, environmental and almost all of the areas of transportation engineering. “I think it helps me to be a better Project Manager if I can ‘talk the talk’ of the engineers I manage and truly understand the details of each group’s concerns.” states Joe.

Joe graduated from The Ohio State University with his BSCE. He is the father of 6 kids that have brought him and his wife, Stacy, great joy. He and his wife enjoy spending time with their 3 grandchildren who live in Columbus. In his free time, he enjoys reading and playing music; mostly guitar but can also play the piano, drums and bass.

Joe has been active in ACEC Ohio since 2012 when he joined Patrick Engineering. He is the Vice Chair of the Central Ohio Chapter after serving as Treasurer. Joe is looking forward to assisting Andrew Schneider (Chapter Chair) in running the chapter and taking responsibility for the annual scholarship program.

“At ACEC we have a united voice to represent and assist our industry. ACEC Ohio leadership has the ear of our largest clients, and our government affairs advocates ensure that public policy moves in the direction that best serves our engineering business as well as the general public. I’m proud to be an engineering consultant with the backing of ACEC local, state and national partners” Joe states.

Joe believes ACEC has provided him the best opportunities for growing his business. He particularly enjoys the luncheons because they feature high profile speakers in a small group setting which is a great opportunity to discuss common concerns, issues and problems, asking questions in a collaborative and problem-solving way to benefit society that other groups cannot provide.