



## ASCE PA Legislative Relations Training/Infrastructure Policy

**April 18, 2011 6-8 p.m.**

**931 Benedum Hall, 3700 O'Hara St  
Pittsburgh, PA 15213 AND Online**

**The goal of this event is to provide a forum to educate ASCE members (both practicing engineers and university students) on how to communicate and build a mutually beneficial relationship with their elected officials and to provide an update on Pennsylvania's Infrastructure policies.**

**The focus will be on Transportation and Environmental (drinking water and wastewater) issues.**

### **Our Speakers**

**Representative Rick Geist** is Chairman of the House Transportation Committee and a PSU graduate. His district is the Altoona area. He will address the current status of transportation funding in PA, what challenges lay ahead and what Civil Engineers can do help the State adequately fund Transportation Infrastructure.

**Alan Janesch** is Director of the Grassroots Network, Penn State Alumni Association. He will present on proper etiquette in communicating with elected officials and how volunteers can best utilize both their, and their elected officials', time for constructive dialogue.

**Jennifer Cloonan** is Government Affairs Director for the REALTORS® Association of Metropolitan Pittsburgh. She will present on understanding the time demands on elected officials and how best to develop a mutually beneficial relationship with your elected leaders.

**Moderator: Gregory F. Scott, P.E, ASCE Region 2 Governor**

Two members of ASCE will present some information on the current needs of PA's Infrastructure on both the Transportation and Environmental topics.

*This seminar will be broadcast via the internet to several other PA Universities where ASCE members and students will gather to watch. The session will be interactive so remote locations will be able to ask questions of the moderator.*

**R.S.V.P. by April 13**

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