

WELCOME ABOARD!



Please join us in welcoming all of the new faces to the Kansas State Board of Technical Professions this past year. Our newest member to the team is Jessica Pierce.

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Professional Licensure Recognition Ceremony



The next semi-annual licensure recognition ceremony will be held on February 17, 2017 at 3:00 p.m. The ceremony is a partnership between the Board, the Kansas Society of Professional Engineers, the Kansas Society of Land Surveyors, the Association of Environmental and Engineering Geologists, the American Institute of Architects in Kansas, and the Prairie Gateway Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects. The ceremony is to honor those individuals who have recently passed their licensing exams. The ceremony will be held in the Kansas Capitol, 2nd Floor Rotunda.

New licensees will receive an invitation by mail. Family members, supervisors, mentors and members of their firms are invited to attend to help celebrate this very important step in their career.

The Keynote Speaker for the program will be Tom Mulinazzi, Ph.D., P.E., L.S.

Dr. Tom Mulinazzi is a Professor Emeritus of Civil Engineering at the University of Kansas. He taught transportation courses at KU between 1979 and 2014, when he retired. Dr. Mulinazzi served on the Kansas State Board of Technical Professions from 2000 to 2012. He is a licensed engineer in Kansas. He also received his BSCE from the University of Notre Dame and his MS and PhD from Purdue University.

NCEES Seeks Licensed Fire Protection Engineers to Participate in Survey

NCEES is currently seeking licensed fire protection engineers to participate in a professional activities and knowledge study, or PAKS, for the PE Fire Protection exam. The results of this online survey will be used to update specifications for the exam, which is used throughout the United States for licensing purposes.

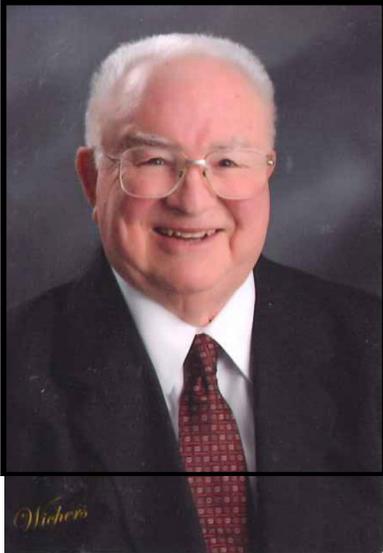
NCEES requires a cross section of licensed professional engineers practicing fire protection engineering—including those working in industry, consulting, the public sector, and academia—to complete an online survey about the tasks and knowledge required of a licensed fire protection engineer with 4 to 6 years of experience to practice in a manner that safeguards the health, safety, and welfare of the public. The survey can be completed in 15 to 25 minutes.

“These studies help NCEES ensure its licensing exams remain relevant to current professional practice,” explained Director of Exam Services Tim Miller, P.E. “The value of this PAKS depends on the number of people who participate, so NCEES is eager to get a large response from professional engineers across all areas of fire protection engineering.”

For access to the online survey, visit ncees.org/FPPE.

Disciplinary Action Taken by the Board

IN THE MATTER OF H & S SURVEYING, UNLICENSED LAND SURVEYING



Board Attorney

Summary: In November of 2015, the Kansas State Board of Technical Professions received a Report of Alleged Violation in which it was indicated that H & S Surveying was offering to practice, practicing and/or holding itself out as authorized to practice land surveying in the State of Kansas without being licensed to do so and/or without holding a Certificate of Authorization allowing it to do so.

Board Action: The Board and H & S Surveying resolved the matter by way of a Settlement Agreement & Consent Order which contained the following terms of settlement:

1. H & S Surveying, Inc. will forthwith cease and desist from practicing, offering to practice, or holding itself out as authorized to practice land surveying in the State of Kansas until such time as it has become licensed to do so or has obtained a Certificate of Authorization authorizing it to do so.
2. H & S Surveying will immediately cease and desist from the use of any letterhead, business cards, phone book advertisements or any other document which advises potential customers or the general public that it is engaged in the surveying profession in the State of Kansas.
3. H & S Surveying shall pay a fine in the amount of \$500 plus one-third of the Board's investigative costs in the amount of \$300 for a total fine and costs of \$800.

Status: The fine and costs required by the Settlement Agreement and Consent Order have been paid in full and the case file has been closed

IN THE MATTER OF D. MIKE DOSSEY, LAND SURVEYOR

Summary: D. Mike Dossey is licensed to practice land surveying in the State of Kansas. In the course of his practice, he performed a survey of a proposed lease site in Wilson County, Kansas, for a business located in the State of Oklahoma. However, Mr. Dossey failed and neglected to place his signature across the seal which he placed on said survey as required by the provisions of K.A.R. 66-6-1, minimum standard detail requirements for ALTA/ACSM land title surveys and the Kansas minimum standards for boundary surveys and mortgage title inspection standards of practice as referred to in K.A.R. 66-12-1. Additionally, Mr. Dossey failed to comply with the requirement relating to Monumentation as required by Article 66-12-1 of the minimum standards for land surveyors when he failed to insure that there were caps placed on the corner monuments which were noted on the survey and sealed by him.

Disclaimer: Every effort has been made to ensure that the following enforcement information is correct; however, this information should not be relied upon without verification from the Kansas board office. It should be noted that the names of companies and individuals listed may be similar to the names of parties who have not had enforcement actions taken against them. Disciplinary orders are public information and copies may be obtained by

Disciplinary Action Taken by the Board Continued

IN THE MATTER OF D. MIKE DOSSEY, LAND SURVEYOR Continued

Board Action: The Board and Mr. Dossey resolved this matter by way of a Settlement Agreement and Consent Order which provided:

1. That Mr. Dossey did not contest the allegations that he had failed and neglected to comply with the requirement set out in K.A.R. 66-6-1 which requires the placement of the licensee's handwritten signature and date across the seal which was placed on said survey.
2. That Mr. Dossey will forthwith correct said deficiency in the survey and in the future shall conform his land surveying practices in Kansas to the provision of K.S.A. 74-7001 et seq and K.A.R. 66-6-1 et seq.
3. That Mr. Dossey shall pay a fine in the amount of \$1,000 and one-third of the Board's investigative costs incurred in this matter for a total fine and costs of \$1,300 to be paid within thirty (30) days.

Status: Mr. Dossey has complied with all of the terms of the Settlement Agreement and Consent Order in this matter, and the case file has been closed.

IN THE MATTER OF VIRGIL C. VAUGHN, LAND SURVEYOR

Summary: In November of 2015, the Kansas State Board of Technical Professions received a Report of Alleged Violation which indicated that Mr. Vaughn had been involved as an employee of H & S Surveying in a survey that was conducted in the State of Kansas, and that he had sealed a 2007 FAA1A Survey Certification for a survey performed in the State of Kansas with his Oklahoma land surveying seal and did not sign his name across the face of the seal as required with regard to surveys conducted in Kansas.

Board Action: The Board and Mr. Vaughn resolved this matter by way of a Settlement Agreement and Consent Order which contained the following settlement terms:

1. Mr. Vaughn shall forthwith cease and desist from practicing, offering to practice or holding himself out as authorized to practice land surveying in the State of Kansas until such time as he is licensed to do so.
2. That Mr. Vaughn shall pay a fine of \$1,000 and one-third of the Board's investigative costs incurred in this matter for a total fine and costs of \$1,300 to be paid within (30) days of the signing of the Agreement.

Status: Mr. Vaughn has complied with all of the terms of the Settlement Agreement and Consent Order, and the case file has been closed.

To file a complaint, please see the Alleged Violation Form on our website:

<http://ksbtp.ks.gov/contact-us/complaint>

KSBTP - By the Numbers

License Type	1/31/2016	1/31/2017
<u>Individuals</u>		
	<u># of Licenses</u>	<u># of Licenses</u>
Architect	2,691	2,833
Engineer	11,876	12,314
Landscape Architect	379	386
Surveyor	666	680
Geologist	612	627
TOTAL	16,224	16,840
<u>Business Entities</u>		
	<u># of Licenses</u>	<u># of Licenses</u>
Architect	651	687
Engineer	1,641	1,740
Landscape Architect	70	75
Surveyor	173	184
Geologist	95	101
TOTAL	2,630	2,780
<u>License Type</u>	<u>Resident</u>	<u>Non-resident</u>
Architect	30%	70%
Engineer	33%	67%
Landscape Architect	37%	63%
Surveyor	54%	46%
Geologist	56%	44%

Architect and Landscape Architect Seals

The Mission of the Kansas State Board of Technical Professions is to provide maximum protection of the health, safety, property and welfare of the people of Kansas by assuring that the practice of architecture, engineering, geology, landscape architecture and surveying in the state is carried out only by those persons who are proven to be qualified as prescribed by the statutes and rules and regulations of the Board.

The use of “Professional Architect” and “Professional Landscape Architect” on seals will no longer be approved by the Board moving forward. Please use the title “Architect” or “Landscape Architect” on new seals from this date forward.

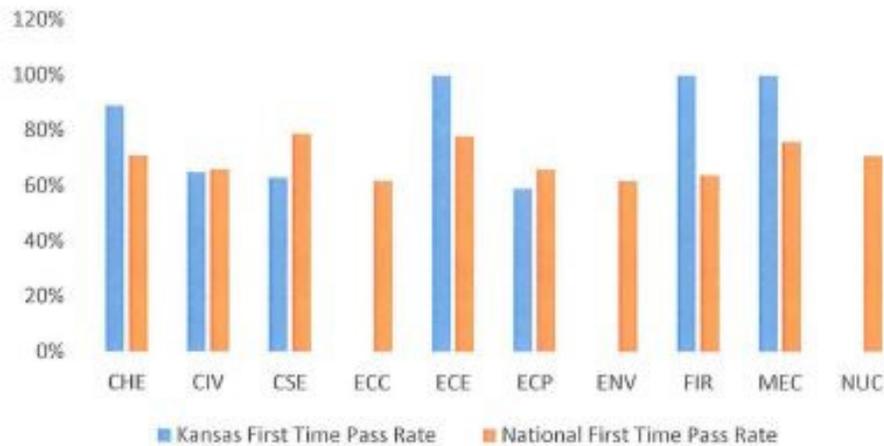


OCTOBER PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER EXAM RESULTS

First Time Test Takers

	Total Kansas First Time Takers	Kansas First Time Pass	Kansas First Time Pass Rate	Total National First Time Takers	National First Time Pass	National First Time Pass Rate
CHE	9	8	89%	296	210	71%
CIV	37	24	65%	5445	3590	66%
CSE	8	5	63%	229	180	79%
ECC	0	0		21	13	62%
ECE	2	2	100%	104	81	78%
ECP	17	10	59%	1003	666	66%
ENV	1	0	0%	242	151	62%
FIR	1	1	100%	148	95	64%
MEC	17	17	100%	1691	1287	76%
NUC	1	0	0%	24	17	71%
TOTAL	93	67		9203	6290	

First Time Test Takers Pass Rate

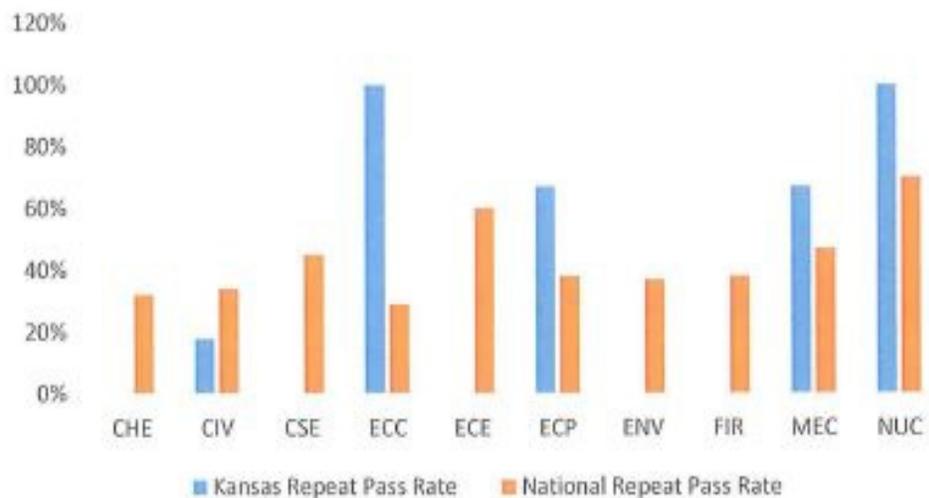


OCTOBER PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER EXAM RESULTS

Repeat Test Takers

	Total Kansas Repeat Takers	Kansas Repeat Pass	Kansas Repeat Pass Rate	Total National Repeat Takers	National Repeat Pass	National Repeat Pass Rate
CHE	0	0		66	21	32%
CIV	11	2	18%	3021	1026	34%
CSE	1	0	0%	49	22	45%
ECC	1	1	100%	7	2	29%
ECE	0	0		43	26	60%
ECP	3	2	67%	509	192	38%
ENV	1	0	0%	114	42	37%
FIR	0	0		72	27	38%
MEC	3	2	67%	505	229	47%
NUC	1	1	100%	10	7	70%
TOTAL	21	8		4396	1604	

Repeat Test Takers Pass Rate



Upcoming Deadlines

Renewal Dates	
Landscape Architect Renewals Due Last name beginning with A - L	March 1, 2017
Business Entity Renewals Due Businesses beginning with A - L	March 1, 2017
Professional Surveyors Due Last name beginning with M-Z	March 31, 2017

EXAM UPDATES

- Please note the April 2017 NCEES Chemical Portion of the PE exam is the last offering of that discipline in paper and pencil. **It will not be offered as a paper exam in October 2017.** The first available CBT test times will be January 2018.
- An official release from ASBOG states that the Fundamentals of Geology Exam fee will increase to \$200 March of 2018.

EXAM DATES/DEADLINES

ADMINISTRATION	EXAM	EXAM DATE	DEADLINE
NCEES	PE	10/27/2017	6/15/2017
ASBOG	FG	10/06/2017	7/01/2017
ASBOG	PG	10/06/2017	7/01/2017
*KSS	PT I&II	4/17/2017	3/17/2017
*KSS	PT I&II	7/17/2017	6/16/2017
*KSS	PT I&II	10/16/2017	9/18/2017

*The KSS (Kansas State-Specific) is a required exam for all Surveyors; it is administered in Topeka by the Kansas Board of Technical Professions.

CONGRATULATIONS!

The Kansas State Board of Technical Professions is pleased to announce the following individuals have successfully passed the required examinations and are now licensed.

Architect Registration Examination

Marissa E Carroll	Merriam KS
Ashlee B Deck	Lawrence KS
Gary D Gensch	Wichita KS
Jennifer Hannon	Topeka KS
Sonia Jarboe	Alexandria VA
Matthew Johnston	Lawrence KS
Whitney Jones	Basehor KS
Maria Kutina	Topeka KS
Andrew Oliver	Kansas City MO
Megan Olson	Overland Park KS
Andrea Pardo-Spalding	Kansas City KS
Adam Pfeifer	Lenexa KS
Kyle Rogler	Roeland Park KS
Logan Steiner	Manhattan KS
Zachary Sumada	Merriam KS
Kyle White	Kansas City MO
Dana Williamson	Dodge City KS
Anthony Winkelmann	Shawnee KS

Landscape Architect Registration Examination

Lee Skabelund	Manhattan KS
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Prin & Prac of Surveying Examination

Joanne Swanland	Wichita KS
Michael Bogina	Olathe KS

Prin & Prac of Engineering Examination

Weston Arbogast	Wichita KS
Michael Armour	Wichita KS
Matthew Arnold	Topeka KS
Maurice Bass	Kansas City KS
Dustin Bergstrom	Shawnee KS
Clayton Betts	Kansas City MO
Kari Bigham	Topeka KS
Ethan Bogner	Overland Park KS
Matthew Bowar	Lenexa KS
Benjamin Brooks	Saint Louis MO
Logan Chamberlin	Wichita KS
Douglas Chritton	Lenexa KS

Kristine Clark	Centennial CO
William Collins	Lawrence KS
Bradley Coover	Overland Park KS
Joseph Dieker	Overland Park KS
Jacob Dull	Shawnee KS
Kristofer Finger	Lawrence KS
Alexander Finn	Overland Park KS
Alejandro Galvis	Lawrence KS
Bailey Gee	Overland Park KS
Brent Gerard	Winter Springs FL
Lauren Gies	Kansas City MO
Kyle Haberberger	Lees Summit MO
Vincent Hall	Olathe KS
Aaron Halstrom	Marietta GA
Justin Hansen	Shawnee KS
Rebecca Hesse	Wichita KS
Steven Houser	Baldwin City KS
Marco Jaime	Olathe KS
Nathan Jeffries	Lawrence KS
Cory Johnson	Olathe KS
Sean Kane	Kansas City MO
Amanda Kauer	Overland Park KS
Aaron Kilstofte	Overland Park KS
Ryan Kinney	Overland Park KS
Mervin Lare	Lincolnville KS
Michael Lothyan	Overland Park KS
Robert Lunsford	Mission KS
Ryan Maestri	Van Buren AR
Katherine Mansker	Overland Park KS
Daniel McMullen	Prairie Village KS
Ronald Mihordin	Overland Park KS
Brett Miles	Tonganoxie KS
Nicholas Moats	St. Mary's KS
Jess Moran	Springfield MO
Coty Nichols	Overland Park KS
Michael Noguera	Olathe KS
James Otterby	Kansas City MO
Vincent Pianalto	Kansas City MO
Cory Rawlings	Lenexa KS
John Reitingier	Kansas City MO
Daniel Rollins	Kansas City KS
Ryan Rossell	Merriam KS
Jacob Roth	Olathe KS
Wayne Scritchfield	Ellsworth KS
Bethany Shearrer	Shawnee KS
Kayla Smith	Overland Park KS
Rachel Spicer	Topeka KS
Zachary Stephan	Fort Scott KS
Terrence Sullivan	Overland Park KS
Aaron Svitak	Warrensburg MO
Darin Taylor	Wichita KS
Zachary Taylor	Overland Park KS

Steven Thomas	Shawnee KS
Jessica Tran	Olathe KS
Stephanie Villarreal	Prairie Village KS
Brigitta Wade	Lenexa KS
Matthew Washburn	Wichita KS
Matthew Watkins	Goff KS
Kyle Whittaker	Overland Park KS
Laura Whittaker	Overland Park KS
Curtis Whittit	Wichita KS
Jonathan Williams	Lenexa KS
Brent Winter	Overland Park KS

**KSBTP Certificates of Authorization
for Business Entities
March 3, 2016 - August 22, 2016**

ENGINEERS

EXP Engineering International, LLC	E-2751
Langon Engineering and Environmental Services Inc.	E-2750
Hutton Construction Corporation	E-2752
Callaway Detailing Co	E-2753
SoCore Engineering LLC	E-2754
Nederveld, Inc.	E-2755
Katahdin Engineering, LLC	E-2756
Wenck Associates, Inc.	E-2757
Fisher and Arnold, Inc.	E-2769
Reyling Design and Consulting LLC	E-2758
M&H Enterprises, Inc.	E-2759
TGB Group, LLC	E-2760
Enertech Resources, LLC	E-2766
Infrastructure Associates, Inc.	E-2761
BPC International Inc.	E-2767
Conn Engineering Consultants, Inc.	E-2762
Environmental Corporation of America	E-2763
Foresite Group, Inc.	E-2765
Structural Design, Inc.	E-2770
American Fire Sprinkler Corporation	E-2768
Consentini Associates, Inc.	E-2771
Jax Apex Technology Inc	E-2773
Nyang Engineering LLC	E-2774
Merge Midwest Engineering LLC	E-2775
Blew & Associates P.A.	E-2776
Providence Infrastructure Consultants, Inc.	E-2777

ARCHITECTURE

Spur Design LLC	A-1139
Baystate Services, Inc	A-1140
United Excel Design, PC	A-1142
Romanyk Consulting Corp	A-1141
Kephart Architect Inc.	A-1143
Selserschaefer Architects, P.C.	A-1146

SURVEYING

Hutton Construction Corporation	LS-319
AAB Engineering, LLC	LS-320
Blew & Associates P.A.	LS-321

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE

Premier Civil Engineering	LA-117
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GEOLOGY

Kleinfelder, Inc.	G-145
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NAME CHANGES

Crowley, Wade, Milstead, Inc. TO: Powell CWM, Inc.	LS-36
Crowley, Wade, Milstead, Inc. TO: Powell CWM, Inc.	A-73
Crowley, Wade, Milstead, Inc. TO: Powell CWM, Inc.	E-841
Estudio PC TO: Estudio LLC	A-985

REINSTATEMENTS

ERM-WEST Inc.	G-62
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