

Kansas State Board of Technical Professions

SENATE BILL 54 TO CONTINUE IN 2014 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

- Statute Revision Bill to continue in 2014 Legislative session
- Revised Regulations effective December 27, 2013
- Licensure Recognition Ceremony to be held February 7, 2014

The Kansas Board of Technical Professions and representatives from all professions licensed by the Board will continue work to get SB 54 passed during the 2014 Legislative session. Efforts to get this bill passed during the 2013 session stalled. SB 54 is the first comprehensive revision

to the licensing statutes since 1992.

You can follow the bill through the legislative process by watching updates on the KSBTP website homepage or by tracking the bill on the Legislative website at: www.kslegislature.org.

REVISED REGULATIONS EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 27, 2013

The Board of Technical Professions held a public hearing on proposed revised regulations on November 22, 2013. During their regular meeting later that day, the Board voted to approve revisions to eleven of the twelve regulations which had been considered at the hearing. The Board voted not to revise K.A.R. 66-6-1 at this time. Further discussions on this regulation will occur in the near future.

Revised regulations were published in the Kansas Register on December 12, 2013 and became effective December 27, 2013.

The regulations that were revised and a summary of those revisions are:

K.A.R. 66-8-3: language added to state that an applicant for the PE exam must meet the educational requirements in K.A.R. 66-9-4.

K.A.R. 66-8-6: two phrases were clarified.

K.A.R. 66-9-7: the version of the document adopted by reference was updated.

K.A.R. 66-10-1: the version of the document adopted by reference was updated.

K.A.R. 66-10-3: the version of the document adopted by reference was updated.

K.A.R. 66-10-9: changes were made to require two years of experience to be performed in the United States, explain credit allowed for concurrent experience, and require that references be US licensed engineers.

K.A.R. 66-10-13: language was added to clarify references.

K.A.R. 66-10-14: similar changes to requirements for reciprocity applicants as were made in K.A.R. 66-10-9 and 66-10-13.

K.A.R. 66-11-1: changes were made to the application process for an Intern Engineer Certificate.

K.A.R. 66-11-2 was revoked.

K.A.R. 66-14-1: added the requirement for pre-approval of continuing education activities on the Kansas minimum standards.

The full text of the revised regulations can be found on the Board's website.

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Disciplinary Action Taken by the Board



Mark L. Bennett, Jr.
Board Attorney

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 contacting the board office.

IN THE MATTER OF BUCK DRIGGS, P.E.

Summary:

In December 2012, the Kansas State Board of Technical Professions received a report of alleged violation from Alfred Benesch & Company which is an engineering firm with offices in Manhattan, Kansas. In its report to the board Alfred Benesch & Company indicated that Mr. Driggs had left his employment with them and had gone to work for another Kansas engineering firm. Subsequently, Alfred Benesch & Company learned that Mr. Driggs, unbeknown to his new employer, had continued to access information on the Benesch server. Alfred Benesch & Company conducted an investigation of said access and determined that its server had been accessed on 29 separate occasions by Mr. Driggs commencing in April 2012 and running through November 5, 2012. Upon being confronted with this Mr. Driggs admitted that he did access information on the Benesch server by using the user names and passwords of current Benesch employees without their knowledge or permission.

Board Action:

Following the completion of an investigation and a determination by the Board's investigator it was determined by the Board's complaint committee that the actions that Mr. Driggs engaged in constitute violations of the provisions of KSA 74-7026 which provide in part:

- (a) "The Board shall have the power to limit, condition, reprimand or otherwise discipline, suspend or revoke the license of any person who is engaged in any of the following conduct . . .
- (2) any gross negligence, incompetence, misconduct or wanton disregard for the rights of others in the practice of any technical profession. . ."

Mr. Driggs stipulated and agreed that his

actions in this matter constituted violations of KSA 74-7026 and his actions did constitute gross negligence, incompetency, misconduct and/or the wanton disregard for the rights of others in the practice of the technical profession of engineering.

As a result of the foregoing determinations the Kansas State Board of Technical Professions and Buck Driggs entered into a Settlement Agreement and Consent Order which included the following:

1. Respondent shall pay a fine in the amount of \$2,500.00 and the Board's expenses incurred in the investigation and the prosecution of this matter in the amount of \$2,405.54 for a total fine and cost of \$4,905.54 payable to the Kansas State Board of Technical Professions with said amount to be paid on or before November 1, 2013.
2. Respondent shall abide by and conform his conduct in the practice of engineering to the requirements of the Kansas statutes and rules and regulations governing the practice of engineering in the State of Kansas.
3. Respondent shall complete the basic level of professional development hours in engineering ethics offered by Texas Tech University. Said professional development hours shall be in addition to the annual continuing education hours required by the State of Kansas. Additionally, Mr. Driggs shall enroll and satisfactorily complete the 30 hour course within 60 days of the date upon which the Board accepts the signed Settlement Agreement and Consent Order.

Status:

Mr. Driggs has paid the fine and costs imposed in this matter and is presently in the process of completing the 30 hour course at Texas Tech University.

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IN THE MATTER OF ROBERT A. MORGAN, JR., P.E. AND MORGAN ENGINEERING, INC

Summary:

In May of 2013 the Kansas State Board of Technical Professions received a report of alleged violation from one of its licensed engineers. The reporting party indicated that he was a home owner in Overland Park, Kansas and received a letter from Robert A. Morgan, Jr. who lists himself as a P.E. with the Overland Park based firm offering to perform a "preblast survey" for a resident of the State of Kansas. In that letter Mr. Morgan advised that he and his company, Morgan Engineering, Inc., had been notified by a utility contractor that some controlled blasting work would be necessary to allow for the installation of some sewers in the area of the reporting party's residence. As a result of that controlled blasting work that was to be done Mr. Morgan indicated that the contractor had authorized his company to offer an objective third party "preblast survey" of the nearby structures. A search of the Board records determined that neither Robert A. Morgan, Jr. nor Morgan Engineering Inc. was licensed to practice engineering in the State of Kansas.

Board Action:

Following the completion of an investigation the Board and the respondents resolved the matter by way of a Settlement Agreement and Consent Order. In that agreement the respondents each admitted they were not licensed to practice engineering in the State of Kansas and that during the year 2013 each of them offered to provide engineering services in the State of Kansas without the benefit of licensure and/or a Certificate of Authorization authorizing them to engage in the practice.

Respondents further agreed to the following:

1. The Respondents shall immediately cease and desist from practicing, offering to practice or holding themselves out as authorized to practice the technical profession of engineering in the State of Kansas until such time as Robert A. Morgan, Jr. has been licensed to do so and Morgan Engineering, Inc. has obtained a Certificate of Authorization authorizing it to practice the technical profession of engineering in the State of Kansas.
2. The Respondents shall immediately cease and desist from using any letterheads, business cards, websites, professional listings or any other advertisements or other written representations including telephone book listings which refer to either of them as

providing engineering services.

3. Respondent, Robert A. Morgan, Jr. shall pay a fine of \$2,250.00 in this matter plus one half of the Board's costs and expenses including attorney fees incurred by the Board in the prosecution of this matter in the amount of \$250.00 for a total of \$2,500.00.

4. Respondent, Morgan Engineering, Inc. shall pay a fine of \$2,250.00 plus one half of the expenses of the Board including attorney fees incurred by the Board in the prosecution of this matter in the amount of \$250.00 for a total of \$2,500.00.

5. That said fines and expenses totaling \$5,000.00 shall be received by the Kansas State Board of Technical Professions on or before October 18, 2013.

Status:

The fine and costs required by the Settlement Agreement and Consent Order have been paid in full.

IN THE MATTER OF HAROLD WILLIAMS, L.S.

Summary:

In June 2013 the Kansas State Board of Technical Professions received a report of alleged violation from one of its licensed surveyors. In that report the reporting individual indicated that the respondent had performed a survey which created a new parcel of land and did not file the survey plat with the Register of Deeds and further did not file the "land survey reference reports." Additionally, the complaining party indicated that Mr. William's survey plat did not meet the minimum standards for boundary surveys.

Following receipt of the complaint the matter was referred to one of the Board's licensed land surveyor investigators for investigation. In the course of that investigation the investigator determined Mr. Williams had deviated from generally accepted land surveying practices and the minimum standards for boundary surveys in the following respects:

1. No scale was included on the plat.
2. No basis of bearing was noted on the plat.
3. A notation was missing regarding the south iron pin found.
4. Monuments were not identified as to size and type.
5. Easement lines and right-of-way for road were not included on the plat.
6. Survey corner reports were not filed with the State or the County.
7. The legal description was not certified.
8. The entity that the survey was performed on behalf of was not indicated on the plat.

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9. The section corner to the east was not established for the east-west section line.
10. The survey was not submitted for review as is required by Kearney County.
11. The survey was not filed at the Kearney County Register of Deeds Office.
12. Sufficient data was not included on the survey to clearly indicate the theory of location of section corners.

Board Action:

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

1. The Respondent shall immediately conform his land surveying practices to generally accepted land surveying practices in the State of Kansas and to the minimum standards for boundary surveys as adopted by the Kansas State Board of Technical Professions in K.A.R. 66-12-1.
2. Respondent shall file the required reference reports with the Kansas State Historical Society and the County Surveyor on or before November 1, 2013 and shall provide written proof of said filing to the Kansas State Board of Technical Professions on or before November 1, 2013.
3. Respondent shall perform a resurvey of the property involved and correct the survey to include thereon the information and notations referenced above and said survey shall be brought up to meet minimum standards for boundary surveys.
4. Respondent shall pay all expenses of the Board including attorney and investigation fees incurred in the investigation and prosecution of this matter in the amount of \$2,690.05 and a fine in the amount of \$1,000.00 for a total fine and cost of \$3,690.05. Said fine and costs should be payable to the Kansas State Board of Technical Professions and submitted no later than November 15, 2013.

Status:

Mr. Williams has paid in full the fine and costs required by the Settlement Agreement and Consent Order. He is presently in the process of making corrections to the survey required by the Board.

IN THE MATTER OF CHANDER P. NANGIA, P.E.

Summary:

In April 2013 Chander P. Nangia submitted his application to renew his Kansas engineering license and at that time indicated on his audit report form that he had never been convicted of a felony and or had any disciplinary or administrative action taken against his license in Kansas or in any other jurisdiction since his last renewal. That assertion was believed by the Board staff to be false. An investigation was conducted and it was determined that Mr. Nangia's certification was false since in truth and in fact that administrative action had been taken against his license in other jurisdictions to wit:

A. On November 26, 2012 Mr. Nangia had entered into a Settlement Agreement with the Missouri Board for Architects, Professional Engineers, Professional Land Surveyors and Landscape Architects in which he agreed to surrender his Missouri Professional Engineers license # E-16817 as a result of having failed to comply with the Missouri statutes and/or rules and regulations governing the practice of engineering in the State of Missouri.

B. On September 23, 2011, the Oklahoma State Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors entered its Final Order revoking Mr. Nangia's Oklahoma Engineering license as the result of his falsely certifying that he had not been disciplined by another licensing board in another state or jurisdiction since his last renewal.

C. On March 14, 2011 in case number D32025, Mr. Nangia signed an Agreed Board Order with the Texas State Board of Professional Engineers in which he was disciplined for signing, sealing and dating engineering design documents which were prepared by an individual that was not under Mr. Nangia's direct control and personal supervision. As a result thereof, Mr. Nangia paid an administrative fine of \$2,000 and was placed on probation until May 19, 2012.

D. On March 22, 2011 in case no. C2011-02, Mr. Nangia signed a Consent Order with the West Virginia State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers. In the Consent Order Mr. Nangia was disciplined and paid an administrative fine of \$1,500 for providing misinformation to the Board when he indicated on his West Virginia renewal application that he had not been subject to disciplinary action or investigation by another jurisdiction.

E. On January 30, 2013, Mr. Nangia entered into a Stipulation and Consent Order before the Idaho Board of Licensure and Professional Engineers and Professional Land Surveyors with regard his Idaho license #P-2961, which resulted in disciplinary action being taken against Mr. Nangia's Idaho license.

In addition to the disciplines administered against him in the above enumerated matters it was also determined by the

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Board that Mr. Nangia had had disciplinary action taken with regards to his license to practice engineering in Alaska, Delaware, Illinois, Minnesota, Mississippi, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Wyoming, Wisconsin, Louisiana and Ohio none of which were reported on his Kansas renewal form.

Board Action:

This matter was set for a formal hearing before a two-member panel of the Board of Technical Professions on November 5, 2013. Although Mr. Nangia was advised of the scheduled hearing he chose not to appear and present a defense to any of the allegations of the Complaint but rather requested by letter that his license be "retired."

The hearing panel proceeded with the hearing in the absence of Mr. Nangia following which it entered its Order revoking Mr. Nangia's Kansas engineering license. In doing so, it reached certain "Conclusions Of Law" and found as follows:

1. K.S.A. 74-7026 provides authority for the Board to limit, condition, reprimand or otherwise discipline, suspend or revoke the license of any person who has engaged the practice of any fraud or deceit in obtaining a license or certificate of authorization issued under K.S.A. 74-7036, and amendments thereto.
2. K.S.A. 74-7039 provides authority for the Board to assess civil fines and costs, including attorney fees, after proper notice and an opportunity to be heard, against any person or entity for a violation of the statutes, rules and regulations or orders enforceable by the board.
3. K.A.R. 66-6-4(s) provides, "Conviction of a felony or the revocation or suspension of a professional license by another jurisdiction, if for a cause that in the state of Kansas would constitute a violation of Kansas law or of these regulations, or both, shall constitute unprofessional conduct."
4. Respondent's failure to notify or disclose to the Board the prior disciplinary actions taken by Idaho, New Hampshire, Oklahoma, Texas, and West Virginia subsequent to his last renewal of his license in the State of Kansas. The Presiding Officer finds Respondent's failure to report or notify the Board that he has been disciplined since his last renewal is a willful fraud or deceit. Such failure supports a finding that Respondent violated K.S.A. 74-7026.

5. The Presiding Officer finds Respondent's negative response to the question of whether he has been disciplined since his last renewal is a willful fraud or deceit calculated to obtain a renewal license to practice as a PE. The question is straightforward and is substantially similar to the questions he answered in the negative and for which he was subsequently disciplined for in Idaho (Exhibit 7), New Hampshire (Exhibit 4), Oklahoma (Exhibit 12) and Texas (Exhibit 3). Such willful fraud or deceit supports a finding that Respondent violated K.S.A. 74-7026.

6. The request by Respondent to retire his Kansas PE license is denied because the Board does not have jurisdiction to take such action and because the finding of violations of the Act warrants discipline.

Status:

Mr. Nangia's Kansas Engineering License has been revoked.

IN THE MATTER OF STEVE PETTY AND FOUNDATION KING, LLC (TWO CASES)

Summary:

In late 2012 and early 2013 the Kansas State Board of Technical Professions received two separate reports of alleged violations from two separate complainants regarding Steve Petty and Foundation King, LLC. Each of the reports of alleged violation related to Mr. Petty offering to practice, holding himself out as authorized to practice or practicing engineering in the State of Kansas without benefit of licensure and with Foundation King, LLC offering to practice, holding itself out as authorized to practice or practicing engineering in the State of Kansas without a Certificate of Authorization allowing it to do so. Following an investigation of the allegations the Board's complaint committee determined that there was probable cause to believe that both Mr. Petty and Foundation King, LLC had offered to practice and held themselves as authorized to practice or engaged in the practice of engineering in the State of Kansas without benefit of licensure or a Certificate of Authorization. The two matters were then set for a combined hearing before a hearing panel composed of two members of the Kansas State Board of Technical Professions. Following the hearing the hearing panel met, considered all of the evidence presented by the Board and the respondent and set out its Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.

Board Action:

Following a formal hearing the panel found:

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1. The Kansas Board of Technical Professions has jurisdiction over Respondent Petty and his company Foundation King, LLC pursuant to K.S.A. 74-7001.

2. Civil penalties may be assessed pursuant to K.S.A. 74-7039 upon a finding of a violation of K.S.A. 74-7001.

3. Ms. Boline testified that she checked the registration records and found that Respondent Petty does not show up in the database as ever having had a Kansas license in any of the technical professions.

4. Ms. Boline testified that she checked the registration records and found that Respondent Foundation King, LLC. does not show up in the database as ever having had a Kansas certificate of authorization in any of the technical professions.

5. Ms. Boline testified that she received a complaint from the founder and President of Stabil-Loc, Inc. on July 19, 2012. In his letter of complaint, he provided written documentation that Respondent Steve Petty authored an article entitled, "Foundation Failures - Selecting the Right Repair Company." Respondent claimed to be a "Structural Consulting Engineer" in the byline of the article. This action is the basis of the Complaint filed in Case No. 13-06.

6. Mr. Williams, Investigator for the Board, obtained the same article entitled, "Foundation Failures- Selecting the Right Repair Company" in which Respondent claimed to be a "Structural Consulting Engineer" by accessing the Foundation King website. Respondent Steve Petty is the principal for Foundation King. Mr. Williams testified the same article appeared in the Kansas City Star in the "Grow Section" on May 19, 2011 and on May 3, 2012.

7. Respondent testified that the article was written to provide consumer information on how to evaluate a company when structural or foundational repair to a home is necessary. He testified that the article directs the reader to use a company that is properly insured, that has a contractors' license, and to hire an engineer. He testified that the title, "Structural Consulting Engineer" was the best title he could come up with and he did not realize the implication at the time. He admits he is not a licensed professional engineer but stated he is an engineer.

8. Ms. Boline also testified that she received a complaint from Brad Huxol on January 29, 2013. In his letter of complaint, Mr. Huxol alleged that Respondent Steve Petty used his company named Structural Re-Engineering, Inc., purportedly an "engineering

consulting firm", to sell foundation repairs through his other company Foundation King. His concern was that Respondents' were selling engineering services for which neither Respondents were licensed or authorized to provide in Kansas.

9. Mike Williams, Investigator, interviewed Mr. Huxol. He is a Professional Engineer who was retained to help resolve a matter regarding the initial work done by a contractor other than Respondents.

10. Another customer of Foundation King L.L.C. provided Mr. Williams with a letter, dated April 6, 2012, from Respondent Steve Petty on Structural Re-Engineering, Inc. letterhead, which Respondent signed as a "Structural Engineer."

11. Further, in the body of the letter, Respondent claims to have provided the customers with an Engineering Summary Report for the foundation repairs completed by Respondents.

12. Structural Re-Engineering, Inc. is located at 8108 W. 145th Street, Overland Park, KS 66223. This business is not registered with the Kansas Secretary of State or Johnson County Contractor Licensing.

As a result of these findings the hearing panel concluded:

1. K.S.A. 74-7001 provides, "(a) Except as otherwise provided in this act, it shall be unlawful for any person to practice or to offer to practice in the state of Kansas, any profession included within the term technical professions, as such term is defined in the provisions of this act, unless such person has been duly licensed to practice such profession under this act or holds a certificate of authorization issued under K.S.A. 74-7036. (b) Any person practicing any technical profession in this state, or calling or representing such person as a licensed practitioner of such technical profession, or using the title of a licensed practitioner of such technical profession shall be required to submit evidence that such person is qualified to practice such technical profession and is duly licensed under this act or holds a certificate of authorization issued under K.S.A. 74-7036.

2. K.S.A. 74-7003(h) defines a professional engineer as, "a person who is qualified to practice engineering by reason of special knowledge and use of the mathematical, physical and engineering sciences and the principles and methods of engineering analysis and design, acquired by engineering education and engineering experience, who is qualified as provided in K.S.A. 74-7001 et seq., and amendments thereto, to engage in the practice of engineering and who is licensed by the board."

3. Respondents claim that he is a Structural Consulting Engineer in his byline for the article entitled "Foundation Fail-

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ures - Selecting the Right Repair Company", and that he has expertise in diagnosing and correcting structural and foundation problems, and that Foundation King can provide "permanent engineered solutions" is competent evidence to conclude Respondents represented themselves to the public as licensed or authorized to practice professional engineering.

4. Respondent Petty's signature block claiming to be a structural engineer on his letter dated April 6, 2012 is competent evidence to conclude Respondent represented himself to the public as licensed to practice professional engineering.

5. Respondent Foundation King Foundation Repair Project Report is competent evidence to conclude Respondent represented itself to the public as authorized to practice professional engineering.

Board Action:

As a result of the aforementioned Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law the hearing panel in each case ordered that the respondents immediately cease and desist from the practice of engineering or holding themselves out as authorized to practice the technical profession of engineering in the State of Kansas until licensed or authorized to do so by the Board. Additionally, in Case No. 13-06 the respondent was ordered to pay the fees and expenses incurred in the prosecution and a fine in an amount totaling \$2,500.00. In Case No. 13-27 the panel entered its order directing that respondents immediately cease and desist from the practice of engineering or holding themselves out as authorized to practice the technical profession of engineering in the State of Kansas until licensed or authorized to do so by the Board. Additionally, in that case respondents were directed to pay a fine and the Board's costs incurred in the prosecution of this matter in the total amount of \$2,500.00.

Status:

To date none of the Board's costs or expenses have been paid in either case.

PROFESSIONAL SURVEYORS - DID YOU KNOW?

-Did you know that Kansas Minimum Standards for Boundary Surveys requires that "monuments shall have affixed a cap or other device bearing the registration **number** of the surveyor in direct supervision or the corporate registration **number**..."? That means that **numbers** are required, **names** are optional.

(Monumentation second paragraph Minimum Standards)
<http://ksbtp.ks.gov/professions/surveyors>

-Did you know that Professional Surveyors have the right of entry onto lands that do not belong to their client under specific conditions and circumstances? See KSA 74-7046(<http://ksbtp.ks.gov/statutes-rules/ksbtp-statutes>)

-Did you know that any survey that results in a new or revised description must be filed for record in the Register of Deeds of the appropriate County or possibly in another County office specifically designated for that purpose by the Board of County Commissioners? And did you also know that it is the obligation of the Professional Surveyor to make sure the survey is recorded? (Perpetuation#4 <http://ksbtp.ks.gov/professions/surveyors> And KSA19-1434 (http://www.kslegislature.org/li_2012/b2011_12/statute/))

NEW REGULATION REQUIRES ALL MINIMUM STANDARDS CE ACTIVITIES BE PRE-APPROVED

Newly revised K.A.R. 66-14-1 requires that all activities offering continuing education credit on the "Kansas Minimum Standards for Boundary Surveys and Mortgage Title Inspections Standards of Practice" be preapproved by the Board. An application form for use by providers is currently being prepared and will be on the Board's website soon.

Those surveyors who's licenses expire on March 31, 2014 will not be required to have these continuing education activities preapproved. Any continuing education activity taken after March 31, 2014 must be preapproved by the Board.

The Board is asking for your help in notifying providers of these continuing education activities. If you receive any information on a minimum standards continuing education activity please forward the contact information to the Board office so that we may notify the provider of this new requirement.

CONGRATULATIONS!

THE KANSAS STATE BOARD OF TECHNICAL PROFESSIONS is pleased to announce that the following individuals have successfully passed all sections of the October 2013 **Professional Surveying Examination** and are now licensed.

NAME	CITY	STATE
Sarah Jean Boeh-Cerra	Troy	KS
John Robert Hudson	Overland Park	KS
Michael C Laird	Gardner	KS
Karlton George Place	Ellsworth	KS
Douglas Steven West JR	Lenexa	KS

CONGRATULATIONS!

THE KANSAS STATE BOARD OF TECHNICAL PROFESSIONS is pleased to announce that the following individuals have successfully passed the October 2013 **Practice of Geology Examination** and are now licensed.

NAME	CITY	STATE
Christopher J Busch	Topeka	KS
Randall C Carlson	Lawrence	KS

CONGRATULATIONS!

THE KANSAS STATE BOARD OF TECHNICAL PROFESSIONS is pleased to announce the following individuals have successfully passed the October 2013 **Fundamentals of Geology Examination**.

NAME	CITY	STATE
Alex M Hedgepath	Marquette	KS
Michael W M Lee	Wichita	KS
James W Roberts	Oklahoma City	OK

CONGRATULATIONS!

The KANSAS STATE BOARD OF TECHNICAL PROFESSIONS is pleased to announce the following individuals have successfully passed all parts of the **Landscape Architect Registration Examination** and are now licensed.

NAME	CITY	STATE
Mary C Kingery-Page	Manhattan	KS
William A Wells	Wichita	KS

Licensure Recognition Ceremony To Be Held February 7, 2014

The Kansas Board of Technical Professions is pleased to announce that the next semi-annual licensure recognition ceremony will be held on February 7, 2014 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 at the Kansas Historical Society, 6425 SW 6th Ave., Topeka.** Free admission to the museum prior to the ceremony will be available to attendees.

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.

CONGRATULATIONS!

THE KANSAS STATE BOARD OF TECHNICAL PROFESSIONS is pleased to announce that the following individuals have successfully passed the October 2013 **Fundamentals of Surveying Examination**.

NAME	CITY	STATE
Nickolas Rengstorf	Marysville	KS

CONGRATULATIONS!

The KANSAS STATE BOARD OF TECHNICAL PROFESSIONS is pleased to announce the following individuals have successfully passed all parts of the **Architect Registration Examination** and are now licensed.

NAME	CITY	STATE
Jason D Fry	Stilwell	KS
Sean M Hendrix	Lee's Summit	MO
Jacob Laha	Mission	KS
Jesse E Miller	Wichita	KS
Rebecca L Wooldridge	Kansas City	MO

CONGRATULATIONS!

The Kansas State Board of Technical Professions is pleased to announce the following individuals have successfully passed the October 2013 **Professional Engineering Examination** and are now licensed.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>CITY</u>	<u>STATE</u>			
Trevor S. Ahring	Garden City	KS	Paul B. Pansing	Morristown	NJ
Samir B. Awad	Overland Park	KS	Joseph P. Pattison	Kansas City	MO
Dane S. Boyd	Manhattan	KS	Cecilia A. Permana	Overland Park	KS
Kyle L. Branham	Lawrence	KS	Sara M. Peters	Lawrence	KS
Phillip A. Brown	Kansas City	KS	Tanner T. Polzin	Overland Park	KS
Morgan W. Bush	Lenexa	KS	Logan W. Proctor	Olathe	KS
Nicholas D. Casady	Mission	KS	Charles W. Pyles	Wichita	KS
Bradley E. Chambon	Mission	KS	Bryan J. Reinecke	Shawnee	KS
Stephen J. Chapes	San Jose	CA	Diane S. Reynolds	Lawrence	KS
Brent D. Chesnut	Manhattan	KS	Gregory F. Roberson	Merriam	KS
Seth J. Coleman	Shawnee	KS	Travis J. Rohlfling	Ottawa	KS
Nyima Dansira	Olathe	KS	Brice A. Schmits	Wichita	KS
Chris Davidson	Topeka	KS	Jennifer L. Sciara	Platte City	MO
Blair G. Debban	Olathe	KS	John E. Shelley	Independence	MO
Jonathan W. Draheim	Overland Park	KS	Daniel E. Short	Overland Park	KS
Timothy D. Durham	Lenexa	KS	Ryan A. Shropshire	Olathe	KS
William J. Edmonston	Manhattan	KS	Morgan C. Simms	Overland Park	KS
Zekarias A. Felege	Gardner	KS	Sheri Skillman	Kansas City	MO
Thomas L. Fiems	Gardner	KS	Nathaniel A. Spilker	Lenexa	KS
Jason L. Fundis	Topeka	KS	Kendra G. Stevenson	Lawrence	KS
Andrew M. Gayle	Kansas City	KS	Cindy X. Su	Shawnee	KS
David M. Green	Olathe	KS	Ousmane Traore	Austin	TX
William R. Haar	Wichita	KS	Dustin W. Tregnago	Overland Park	KS
Ryan W. Hankins	Kansas City	MO	Daniel S. Vail	Overland Park	KS
Bryan J. Hansen	Overland Park	KS	Brett M. Walbridge	Wichita	KS
Scott R. Harpole	Olathe	KS	Mark J. Wallsten	Wichita	KS
Lee R. Holtman	Kansas City	MO	Kyle J. Warta	Prairie Village	KS
Michael R. Humphrey	Lenexa	KS	Adam R. Webb	Overland Park	KS
Lee H. Hunsaker	Prairie Village	KS	Allyson L. Wetter	Topeka	KS
Cassandra L. Jahr	Overland Park	KS	Andrew J. Wilson	Wichita	KS
Adam C. Johnson	Olathe	KS	Jeffrey T. Wilson	Burlington	KS
Marchall T. Kolb	Overland Park	KS	Dustin Wolford	Shawnee	KS
Michael A. Kramer	Kansas City	MO	David A. Yaksic	Olathe	KS
Tori M. Leland	Lawrence	KS	Gregory J. Yerino	Kansas City	MO
Don C. Love	Overland Park	KS	Jesus Zuniga	Raymore	MO
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Yellowstone Pk		WY
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Manhattan		KS
Lawrence		KS
Leawood		KS
Olathe		KS
Kansas City		MO
Lawrence		KS
Lawrence		KS
Berryton		KS
Manhattan		KS
Edgerton		KS
Lenexa		KS
Lawrence		KS
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Overland Park		KS
Overland Park		KS
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Wichita		KS
Mission		KS
Junction City		KS
Overland Park		KS
Overland Park		KS
Jenks		OK
Manhattan		KS
Manhattan		KS
Valley Center		KS
Overland Park		KS
Paola		KS
Caney		KS
Emporia		KS
Wildwood		MO
Lawrence		KS
Overland Park		KS
Topeka		KS
Everest		KS
Wichita		KS
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Kansas Statistics for Engineering and Surveying October 2013 Exams

	# Tested	% Passing 1st Time Takers	% Passing Repeat Takers	National % Passing 1st Time	% Passing Repeat
PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS					
Agricultural	1	100	00.0	69.2	50.0
Chemical	4	100	00.0	66.7	40.0
Civil	60	60.0	53.3	64.1	28.6
Control Systems	1	00.0	00.0	76.0	53.2
Electrical and Computer	26	58.8	55.6	62.6	26.6
Environmental	3	50.0	00.0	63.1	34.8
Fire Protection	1	00.0	00.0	69.3	37.0
Mechanical	26	100	80.0	71.5	41.0
Nuclear	1	00.0	00.0	54.3	44.4
Structural—Vertical	6	33.3	00.0	50.2	34.3
Structural—Lateral	4	33.3	100	37.5	42.8
Fundamentals of Engineering	287	81.7	20.0	73.1	29.6
Fundamentals of Surveying	2	50.0	00.0	67.5	26.7
Practice of Surveying	2	100	00.0	76.0	40.6
<u>Kansas State Specific</u>					
Surveying	21	11 all takers	NA	NA	NA

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ENGINEERING

Saber Power Services LLC	E-2315	Bluestone Engineering LLC	E-2340
Timber Tech Engineering Inc	E-2316	RJ McNutt and Associates LLC	E-2341
Titan Formwork Systems, LLC	E-2317	Reaveley Engineers+Associates Inc	E-2342
Richard L Bowen & Associates Inc	E-2318	ALL Consulting LLC	E-2343
Millies Engineering Group	E-2319	Lauren Engineers & Constructors Inc	E-2344
Consolidated Edison Solutions Inc	E-2320	Vasquez Engineering LLC	E-2345
Yates Engineering Services, LLC	E-2321		
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Pres Energy Engineering, DPC	E-2323	The Orcutt/Winslow Limited Liability Limited Partnership	A-990
TruStar Energy	E-2324	Manns Woodward Studios Inc	A-991
Jviation Inc	E-2325	Ben Moore Studio LLC	A-992
Hall & Hall Engineers Inc	E-2326	Studio 192	A-993
Structural Detailing LLC	E-2327	Galbraith Carnahan Architects LLC	A-994
Albertson Engineering Inc	E-2328	SMRT Inc	A-995
Clawson Consulting Engineers LLC	E-2329	Florida Crown Architects & Engineers PA	A-996
SMRT Inc	E-2330	Helling Architecture LLC	A-997
CEPCO LLC	E-2331	SQD LLC	A-998
PTSI Managed Services Inc	E-2332	Interface Architecture & Design LLC	A-999
CORRPRO Companies Inc	E-2333		
Evolving Texas LP	E-2334	<u>LAND SURVEYING</u>	
360 Engineering Group PLLC	E-2335	Tulsa Land Surveying LLC	LS-285
Galletta Engineering Corporation	E-2336		
EDG INC	E-2337	<u>GEOLOGY</u>	
USA Tank Sales & Erection Company Inc	E-2338	James C Musgrove Petroleum Geologist LLC	G-124
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BOARD MEMBER REUNION HELD

Current and former board members of the Kansas State Board of Technical Professions and their guests gathered for a banquet on November 21, 2013 in Topeka. Past members shared memories of their time on the board. Current members shared recent activities of the Board. Weather prevented several from attending.



Sharon Rhodes, Murray Rhodes, L.S. (1991-2012),
Marilyn Vaughn



Current and former Executive Directors: L to R: Jean Boline (2008-present), Betty Rose (1984-2008), Charlotte Parker (1976-1979), Jean Barbee (1979-1984)



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George Barbee (2004-present), Jean Barbee

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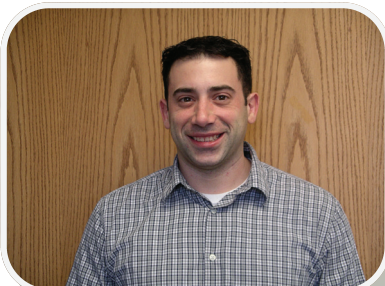


Left: Vince Mancini, Arch. (2006-present); Forrest Erickson, P.E. (2010-present); Sharol Cutrell; Steve Brosemer, L.S. (2008-present)

Below: Mark Bennett, Jr., Board Attorney; Charlann Bennett; Charlotte Parker; Don Parker



NEW STAFF MEMBER



The Board welcomes new staff member Michael Vento. Mike joined the staff in November. His major responsibility is all licensure applications, including answering applicants' questions concerning qualifications and foreign degree evaluations. He replaces Vicky Gorrell who retired in September.