

ASM International is Looking for Emerging Professionals

Applications are now being accepted for the third class of the Emerging Professionals Program (EPP) of ASM International. This program assists early career professionals in their transition from student member to professional member, and empowers the new EPP community by making it self-perpetuating and self-sustaining.

What are the benefits? Members of this program will interact with and learn from a diverse group of professionals who are acknowledged leaders within ASM International and acknowledged mentors in the field. EPP members also organize and execute events at the ASM Annual Meeting held at MS&T. This program provides an excellent opportunity to extend your professional network and stay active with ASM.

Who qualifies? ASM International members, up to 5 yrs post graduation, with a desire to learn more about ASM International committee involvement. This Program is geared toward professional ASM members, students are not eligible.

How do I apply? Applications should include a current resume, a one-page essay, and 1-2 letters of recommendation. Applications are due May 1st, 2008. For more information, please contact Margaret Bush at margaret@engelmet.com or Patrick Anderson at patrick.anderson@timken.com

“Just up and joining a committee full of seasoned professionals is very intimidating to a young person just out of college. The Emerging Professionals program provided a way for me to join several committees without the intimidation factor. Involvement has been great and has definitely allowed me to make and keep in contact with professionals outside of my small company and small town.”

- Margaret Bush, Engel Metallurgical, EPP Member

“The Emerging Professionals Program has allowed me to interact with other young, driven individuals who have similar interests and goals. This group provides a new perspective for ASM, and we are getting recognized for our unique ideas. Getting involved at the national level is very rewarding, and the Emerging Professionals Program has opened the doors to a great experience.”

- Jaret Frafjord, Y12 National Security Complex, EPP Member

