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## ASSOCIATION NEWS

## EVENTS CALENDAR

### Let *Geo Outlook's* 2012 Buyers Guide Get You Referrals All Year

*Geo Outlook's* Buyers Guide provides you with the chance to directly target new markets. This year's Buyers Guide can be purchased online at the link provided below. The 2012 fourth quarter issue of the *Geo Outlook* will carry this exciting advertising opportunity. This special issue will stay on the shelves of your potential customers throughout the year. For only \$125, the *Geo Outlook* Buyers Guide will guarantee that your company is not passed over for future business. This fee includes your company description of 50-words and up to three index listings. Additional listings are \$25 each. IGSHPA staff will be contacting you soon about this important advertising opportunity. [Click here](#) for more information and to purchase. Deadline for purchasing a Buyer's Guide listing is August 3.

### Trainers Workshop Showcases New Slides for Installer Workshop

A two-day workshop was held in Stillwater, June 11-12, for IGSHPA Installer Trainers. Charles Remund, the author of the new "Residential and Light Commercial Design and Installation Manual," presented new PowerPoint slides and method of presentation for the IGSHPA Installer's Course. Participants presented questions for the IGSHPA Accredited Installer NATE Exam. Another workshop is being planned for the IGSHPA Technical Conference in October, and will be announced when a time is set.

### Accredited Installer Workshop set for July 25-27

An IGSHPA Accredited Installer Workshop has been set for July 25-27, in Stillwater, Okla. The three day comprehensive Installation Workshops are designed for GSHP developers, architects, manufacturers, distributors, dealers, installers, HVAC contractors, trenching/drilling contractors, and anyone who desires a working knowledge of this innovative technology. Upon successful completion of the workshop and passing the IGSHPA installer's exam, you will be issued IGSHPA accreditation as an installer of GSHP systems. Enroll before July 11, 2012 and receive a \$25 discount. To register online [click here](#).

### Registration for IGSHPA's Technical Conference and Expo Now Open

Registration for IGSHPA's technical conference and expo opened June 1. The conference will be held Oct. 3-4 in Indianapolis. The conference will feature tracks on marketing, innovations and technical sessions as well as IGSHPA training. Visit the [conference home page](#) for more information and to register. The Expo hall showcases exhibitors from across the country. Space is still available but filling quickly. Contact Gail Ezepek at 405-744-3616 or [click here](#) for exhibit hall information. Proposals for presentations can still be sent to Shelly Fitzpatrick at [shelly.fitzpatrick@okstate.edu](mailto:shelly.fitzpatrick@okstate.edu).

### Train-the-Trainer Workshop set for July 23-27

In IGSHPA's Train-the-Trainer Workshop, participants review all the skills involved in GSHP system installation and learn how to teach these skills to others. The five-day comprehensive course is taught in conjunction with an Accredited Installer Workshop. Both workshops will be offered in Stillwater, Okla., with the Train-the-Trainer class starting July 23 and running through July 27. [Click here](#) for an application.

### JULY 23-27, 2012

#### [Train-the-Trainer Workshop](#)

Stillwater, Okla.

### JULY 25-27, 2012

#### [Accredited Installer Workshop](#)

Stillwater, Okla.

### October 1-4, 2012

#### [Pre-Conference Training Begins October 1 Technical Conference + Expo](#)

October 3-4, 2012  
Indianapolis, Ind.

## **IGSHPA Hiring Program Manager for Training**

IGSHPA is now hiring a program (training) manager. Along with several other responsibilities, the program manager will manage and market international program delivery for existing association training programs and develop, approve and distribute new training programs. Applicants should have a minimum of a bachelor degree, two years of curriculum development and/or adult instruction, and four years of experience in the HVAC industry. The position will remain open until filled.

For a full list of requirements, responsibilities and any other information pertaining to the position visit the online job posting on the [Oklahoma State University](#) website. Click "Search Listings"; search Stillwater under "Campus" and Staff as the "Position Type". The position is listed as Program Manager with the Division of Engineering Technology.

## **IGSHPA Members offered discount at EcoBuild America**

IGSHPA members are being offered a discount at this year's EcoBuild America. AEC Science and Technology, which produces EcoBuild America, IGSHPA and the Geothermal Training Institute, are offering the special package for IGSHPA members. A Geothermal Pavilion is also planned to showcase geothermal technology and products. Scheduled for December 3-7, in Washington, D.C., EcoBuild America will have tracks focused on building performance and technology; green construction and sustainable design; and geographic information systems (GIS) and building information modeling (BIM). If you are interested in more information, contact Dan Dembicki, National Sales Manager at [ddembicki@aol.com](mailto:ddembicki@aol.com) or call (248) 214-4268.

## **Membership Renewal Letters are out**

Renewal letters have been mailed to members whose membership expires June 30, 2012. Now more than ever, geothermal professionals need to stay involved with IGSHPA to be in touch with the growing geothermal marketplace. If you did not receive a letter, or if you have any questions, please contact IGSHPA's office at 800-626-4747 or 405-744-5185.

## **GEOHERMAL NEWS**

### **New and Improved GRC Geothermal Library Available - San Francisco Chronicle (press release)**

San Francisco Chronicle (press release) 35000 records on all aspects of geothermal energy now available on the GRC ... geothermal heat pumps, regulatory issues, energy policy, energy markets, ... [click here](#)

### **Geothermal costs a lot, but then it saves a lot - Indianapolis Star**

Geothermal heat pumps work via a unit in the home connected to an in-ground loop system that relies on the steady approximately 55-degree temperatures from ... [click here](#)

### **Renovation Begins at York High School, Expansion Soon to Follow - 1011now**

A \$12.5 million bond is updating classrooms and installing a new geothermal heat pump system that will improve energy efficiency. "There's a lot of progress ... [click here](#)

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