

EDUCATIONAL GRID – CONCURRENT SESSION SCHEDULE

THURSDAY March 11, 2010				
	Track 1: Frontline Management	Track II: Housekeeping/Custodial	Track III: Sustainability	Track IV: Health & Safety
Thursday Session 1 1:30 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.	GENERAL SESSION: An overview of APPA's Educational Offerings			
Thursday Session 2 3:30 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.	Communicating Verbally & Nonverbally <i>Mary Ann Gaal, Franklin Pierce College</i> Effective communication stems from our ability to express ourselves verbally and nonverbally in a manner that is understood and positively received. This presentation will help you understand the skills necessary to better influence and listen to those around you.	Why is Sustainability Important for Your Organization <i>Stephen Toth, Paul Campo, Leslye Kornegay, University of Vermont</i> Three things to consider when it comes to sustainability are the Environmental Impacts, Economical Impacts, and the Social Impacts. All areas must be evaluated in order to be sustainable. Here's how UVM Custodial Services made dramatic changes to improve its "Carbon Footprint."	Roadmap to a Green Campus- A New Tool For Facilities Directors <i>Leo P. Roy VHB/Vanasse Hangen Brustlin, Inc.</i> In April 2010, the USGBC will launch an on-line tool intended to optimize use of LEED on campus by facilities professionals, offering a concise resource/examples for "greening" campus planning, design and operations. This session will preview key elements of the tool.	EPA's Lead-Based Paint Renovation, Repair and Painting Program Rule <i>Stephen Znamierowski, ATC Associates, Inc.; Vincent Brennan, University of Vermont</i> EPA's rule is aimed at protecting against lead-based paint hazards associated with renovation, repair and painting activities. The rule requires workers to be trained to use lead-safe work practices and requires renovation firms to be EPA-certified; these requirements will become effective April 22, 2010.
FRIDAY March 12, 2010				
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Friday Session 3 8:30 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.	APPA Program: Supervisor's Toolkit Overview	Leading a Housekeeping Department in Hard Economic Times (Part 1) <i>Stephen Toth, Paul Campo, Leslye Kornegay, University of Vermont</i> In 2009, UVM Custodial Services implemented a departmental reorganization. They reduced their operating budget, upgraded equipment, and instituted an inventory system for green cleaning products and custodial supplies. See how these improvements have added consistency to services, while improving training, and equipment repair processes.	Designing for Waste Prevention, Recycling and Composting <i>Erica Spiegel, Corey Berman, University of Vermont</i> The UVM Davis Center diverts over 60% of its solid waste stream from landfill disposal each year. Learn how the building design and daily operations play a role in this "green" success story and how to implement ideas on your campus.	Balancing Safety and Sustainability in Lab Buildings <i>Ralph Stuart, Stephen Posner, University of Vermont</i> This presentation will review the environmental impacts of laboratory buildings, tools for assessing the hazards associated with laboratory work, and a variety of strategies for balancing these aspects of laboratory operations.
Friday Session 4 10:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.	Zone Maintenance @ The University of Vermont <i>Sal Chiarelli, University of Vermont</i> Our "Zone Maintenance," approach is a strategy of using multi-disciplined crafts persons assigned to specific buildings to achieve a more interactive maintenance and operation model. This concept along with other initiatives in Physical Plant will hopefully increase our operational effectiveness and decrease the number and size of service vehicles on campus.	Leading a Housekeeping Department in Hard Economic Times (Part 2) <i>Stephen Toth, Paul Campo, Leslye Kornegay, University of Vermont</i> <i>See description above – this is a two-part session</i>	Truly Green: A Look at the Advantages of Maintaining Historic Campus Buildings <i>Luce Hillman, P.E., UVM; Julie P. Brown, AIA, NCARB, LEED® AP, Gale Associates</i> Most institutions pursue some level of LEED when constructing new buildings. This session will explore the idea that perhaps the truest form of green building on campus is maintaining historic buildings. Case studies of historic restoration projects at UVM will be discussed.	Fire and Life Safety: Old Problems, New Answer <i>John Marcus, Chris Gebo, University of Vermont</i> Older and poorly-designed facilities; constant turnover of students, staff and faculty; increasing demand for space; doing more with less - these conditions frequently lead to fire code violations and lapses in good fire prevention practices. This session will illustrate the most common fire safety issues, and will show how to improve inspection maintenance.