# AEG St. Louis Chapter Newsletter July 2024

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#### AEG St. Louis Chapter Summer Social

**Tuesday, August 6**: AEG and Geo-Institute (GI) will have a summer social at Urban Chestnut (4465 Manchester Ave, STL) from 4:00 to 6:00 PM. Come sip on biers and mampfen (munch) on pomme frites while connecting with fellow professionals and students in our industry.

Please RSVP on our website <u>Chapter Meetings & Events | AEG St. Louis (aegstl.org)</u> by Thursday, August 1. If you have any questions, please email Luke Ducey (<u>luke.ducey@wsp.com</u>). We hope to see you there!!

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### News and Information for Region 7 AEG Members

- Please consider contributing to the AEG Foundation, <u>Donation Form (neoncrm.com)</u>, as a memorial to Phyllis Steckel, Former AEG North Central Regional Director. You may make your donation individually or when you pay your AEG dues renewal.
- September 10-14, 2024: AEG's 2024 Annual Meeting "The Geology of the Crossroads" will be held at
  Hilton Penn's Landing in Philadelphia, PA. For complete details on the Annual Meeting, visit
   <a href="https://www.AEGannualmeeting.org">www.AEGannualmeeting.org</a> or contact the AEG Meeting Manager, Heather Clark via <a href="https://www.aemail.org">email</a> or phone (303-5180618).
- **AEG Foundation Grant, Diversity Field Trips Grant:** The Diversity Field Trips Grant established by Phyllis and Richard Steckel is for junior-high school and high school Earth Science or STEM teachers who teach primarily Black, Hispanic or Latino/a, Pacific Islander, and/or American Indian/Alaskan Native students. Applications are accepted year-round and can be found here: <a href="https://aegfoundation.org/grant-scholarships/">https://aegfoundation.org/grant-scholarships/</a>. A completed paper application can be emailed directly to <a href="mailto:staff@aegfoundation.org">staff@aegfoundation.org</a>.

The St. Louis Chapter will match AEG Foundation donations to Diversity Field Trips Grant up to \$500. If you donate to the AEG Foundation in memory of Phyllis, please let Matt Masterson (<a href="mailto:mmasterson@kaskaskiaeng.com">mmasterson@kaskaskiaeng.com</a>) know so that we can make a matching donation.

Any Bloggers Out There: AEG now hosts blogs created by AEG members. These are short articles, usually 500 to 1,000 words, that give advice, insight, or perspective about some facet of AEG membership. Topics include ideas to engage students, meeting hints, field-trip ideas, and professional tribal knowledge. If you have an idea for an AEG blog, please contact Sheri Maskow (manager@aegweb.org) for more information.

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### St. Louis Chapter Seeks Monthly Meeting Sponsors

The St. Louis Chapter is seeking a sponsor for our Spring semester meetings. A sponsorship is \$400-\$500 per semester. As a Spring meeting sponsor, your company will be featured in our meeting announcements and on our Chapter website, and you'll have an opportunity to speak for 3-5 minutes about your company prior to the presentation at our meetings. (Slides may be provided to present during this time.) Please contact the treasurer, Ben Luetkemeyer (<a href="mailto:ben.luetkemeyer@terracon.com">ben.luetkemeyer@terracon.com</a>) for more information.

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## Employment: Job Seekers & Open Positions

• **UES** is looking for a <u>Project Geologist</u> with five to seven years of experience to join their Environmental Group in St. Louis. Apply to the online listing <u>here</u>.

To all Jobseekers and Employers – Please contact the newsletter editor, Alex Hirsch (AHirsch@trccompanies.com), to post your search for an employer or employee, and when you have found a new job or filled an advertised position. This helps us keep our postings accurate and timely.

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