

NECA STUDENT CHAPTERS



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WHAT IS NECA?

NECA is the voice of the \$171 billion electrical construction industry that brings power, light and communication technology to buildings and communities across the United States. NECA is dedicated to enhancing the industry through innovative research, performance standards, progressive labor relations, and workforce recruiting and training. NECA offers the most comprehensive educational opportunities of any electrical association as well as the industry's premier trade show and management training. www.smcneca.org

WHAT IS THE NECA STUDENT CHAPTER?

The purpose of the NECA Student Chapter is to encourage students to pursue a career in the electrical contracting industry. Any college or university that currently has a construction management or related program and that encourages students to pursue a career in the electrical contracting industry is eligible to apply for affiliation as a NECA Student Chapter.

BENEFITS OF NECA STUDENT CHAPTER INVOLVEMENT:

Electrical construction offers a solid, rewarding career path. As a Construction Management student, connecting early and often to industry professionals and getting real-world experience in the construction industry will help you build a strong foundation for a successful career once you've completed your degree.

The Electrical Industry is seeking the brightest and best talent from colleges and universities with Construction Management programs.

We partner to provide an interactive experience that includes:

- Paid Internships with local Electrical Contractors
- Project Competition (Senior Project) - Electrical Contracting Innovation Challenge (ECIC)
- International Service-Learning Program - Student Passport
- NECA National Convention - Student & Faculty Participation
- NECA Contractor Networking & Education Sessions
- Field Trips to local contractor facilities and project site visits
- GRANTS awarded by ELECTRI International

NECA Student Chapter participants have experienced a **90% placement rate** in full-time post-graduation positions with NECA Contractors.

NECA Contractors:

Bayview Electric Company
Bluestone Communications
Building Automated Systems & Services
Center Line Electric
Center Line Technologies
Conti Corporation
D.F. Best Company
Dan's Excavating
Danboise Mechanical & Electrical
Detroit Power Systems
Doublejack Electric Company
Electrical Insights
Electrical Power & Design
Expo Technologies
Ferndale Electric Company
Fontanesi @ Kann
Gemellaro Systems Integration
GSI Electrical Services
Guardian Equipment
Hatzel & Buehler
High Voltage Maintenance Group
Highgate Electric
I2G Systems
Industrial Electric Company
J&J Electric
JMC Electrical Contractor
KLA Laboratories
Mattic Inc.
McSweeney Electric
Micro Electric
Motor City Electric
Motor City Technologies
Munro Electric
Omega Electric
Rotor Electric
Saturn Electric
Shaw Electric
Shaw Systems & Integration
Slifco Electric
Smith Brothers Electric
Specialized Power Services
The State Group
Streamline Electric
Superior Great Lakes Company
The Talbot Corporation
Telecom Technologies
Triangle Electric
Utilities Instrumentation Service



The Southeastern Michigan NECA Student Chapter is an excellent way to gain real world experience in the construction industry with real applications, clients, and an excellent network of NECA contractors to learn from and work with. Joining the chapter can open many doors for any student looking to further themselves professionally, whether you're a veteran in the industry or just looking to get your start. Join today.”

- Douglas Haynie, 2019 WSU Student Chapter President

During my time as a Wayne State NECA Student Chapter member, I have been able to get a whole different perspective about the industry. Real world experience is everything in this line of work and the Wayne State NECA Student Chapter gives you real world experience, helps you make connections, and gives you a better idea what your role will be when managing a project. Being part of the Wayne State NECA Student Chapter helps you get real world experience, while working as a team to successfully execute the task and project at hand.”



- Zachary Ellis, 2020 WSU Student Chapter President



Every year my student chapter is growing. Students come into a Construction Management program and they like to see an outcome. Our partnership with NECA has allowed us to place students with electrical companies. Right now, in my Senior Project group, 100% of the students are employed.”

- Joe Vaglica, PH.D., P.E., Lecture & Program Director, Faculty Advisor, WSU Department of Construction Management

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