HISTORY OF THE ASEE NORTH MIDWEST SECTION

The following history of the ASEE North Midwest Section was summarized from the Section archives by S. Balachandran, University of Wisconsin-Platteville in June 1993. All existing archives of the Section (1935-1993) are currently stored at the University of Wisconsin-Platteville. Archival information from 1994 to 2015 was summarized by Charles McIntyre, Section Archivist.

1930's

April 12-13, 1935
1st Regional Meeting of the Middle-West members of the Society for the Promotion of Engineering Education (SPEE) held at UW-Madison, Madison, WI. (Attendance: 189)

April 13, 1935
Adoption of the Constitution of the Iowa-Wisconsin Section of the SPEE.

November 6-7, 1936
2nd Regional Meeting of Iowa-Wisconsin Section Iowa State College, Ames, IA.
(Attendance: 136)

November 7, 1936
Changed the name of the Section from “Iowa-Wisconsin” to the North Midwest Section of the SPEE (NMS/SPEE). The “Minnesota” Section was invited to join NMS/SPEE.

November 12-13, 1937
3rd Annual Meeting of NMS/SPEE, Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI. (Attendance: 123)

October 7-8, 1938
4th Annual Meeting of NMS/SPEE, Michigan College of Mining & Technology, Houghton, MI.
Member institutions of NMS/SPEE are Iowa State College, Marquette University, Michigan College of Mining & Technology, University of Wisconsin, University of Iowa, and University of Minnesota.
(Attendance: 131)

October 20-21, 1939
5th Annual Meeting of NMS/SPEE, State University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA.
(Attendance: 278)

1940's

October 18-19, 1940
6th Annual Meeting of NMS/SPEE, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN.
(Attendance: 196)

October 10-11, 1941
7th Annual Meeting of NMS/SPEE, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI. (Attendance: 186)
No meetings of the Section were held from 1942 through 1945.

1942-1945 Meeting Cancelled due to WWII

October 18-19, 1946
8th Annual Meeting of NMS/ASEE, Iowa State College, Ames, IA. NMS/SPEE changed to NMS/ASEE. (Attendance: 146)

October 17-18, 1947
9th Annual Meeting of NMSIASEE, Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI (Attendance: 127)

October 18, 1947
Invited the University of North Dakota, North Dakota Agricultural College, and South Dakota State College to join NMS/ASEE.

October 8-9, 1948
10th Annual Meeting of NMS/ASEE, Michigan College of Mining & Technology, Houghton, MI. (Attendance: 99)

November 4-5, 1949
11th Annual Meeting, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA. (Attendance: 175)

1950's

October 6-7, 1950
12th Annual Meeting, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN. North Dakota Agricultural College, South Dakota State College, and the University of North Dakota became member institutions.

October 5-6, 1951
13th Annual Meeting, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI. (Attendance: 98) Dr. Kurt F. Wendt, UW, Chair.

October 3-4, 1952
14th Annual Meeting, Iowa State College, Ames, IA. (Attendance: 95) Dr. S.J. Chamber, Chair, Iowa State College.

October 3-4, 1953
15th Annual Meeting, Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI. Dr. A.B. Drought, Chair.

October 8-9, 1954
16th Annual Meeting, Michigan College of Mining & Technology, Houghton, MI. (Attendance: 120) Dr. C.J. Pratt, Chair.

November 4-5, 1955
17th Annual Meeting, South Dakota State College, Brookings, SD. (Attendance: 94) Dr. L.L. Amidon, Chair. Milwaukee School of Engineering became the tenth institutional member.

October 12-13, 1956
18th Annual Meeting, State University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA. (Attendance: 128) Dr. J.W. Howe, Chair.

October 18-19, 1957
19th Annual Meeting, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN. (Attendance: 85) Dr. Paul Cartwright, Chair.
October 24-25, 1958
20th Annual Meeting, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI.
Dr. T.S. Higgins, Chair.

October 16-17, 1959
21st Annual Meeting, Iowa State University, Ames, IA. (Attendance: 127)
E.H. Ohlsen, Chair.

1960's

October 14-15, 1960
22nd Annual Meeting, Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI. (Attendance: 136)
Dr. Raymond J. Kipp, Chair.

October 6-7, 1961
23rd Annual Meeting, Michigan College of Mining & Technology, Houghton, MI.
Dr. C.E. Work, Chair.

October 5-6, 1962
24th Annual Meeting, North Dakota State University, Fargo, ND. (Attendance: 131)
Dr. F.C. Mirgain, Chair. Milwaukee School of Engineering was officially designated as a member of
the Section. Stout State University and Beloit College were designated as affiliate institutions. The
total number of member institutions is now twelve.

October 4-5, 1963
25th Annual Meeting, State University of Iowa, Ames, IA. (Attendance: 128)
Professor D.H. Madsen, Chair.

October 2-4, 1964
26th Annual Meeting, Institute of Technology, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN.
(Attendance: 151) Dr. Steve Barich, Chair,

October 4-5, 1965
27th Annual Meeting, University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, ND. University of
Wisconsin-Milwaukee became the 13th institutional member.

October 7-8, 1966
28th Annual Meeting, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI. Dr. A.T. Lenz, Chair. Of the
166 persons present 128 were ASEE members. The total institutional members increased to 16 with
the addition of University of Manitoba, Wisconsin State University at La Crosse, and Wisconsin State
University at Platteville.

October 9-10, 1967
29th Annual Meeting, Iowa State University, Ames, IA (Attendance: 216)
Dr. R.E. Patterson, Chair. Proceedings of the meeting were published.

October 14-15, 1968
30th Annual Meeting, College of Engineering, South Dakota State University, Brookings, SD.
(Attendance: 106) Constitution and by-laws were revised.
October 20-21, 1969
31st Annual Meeting, College of Engineering, Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI. *(Attendance: 201)* Dr. J.C. Dziadulwicz, Chair.

1970's

October 12-13, 1970
32nd Annual Meeting, Michigan Technological University, Houghton, MI. *(Attendance: 112)* Dr. Arthur Weaver, Chair. Beloit College and University of Manitoba are not institutional or affiliate members. Lakehead University became an institutional member. There are now 15 institutional members.

October 10-12, 1971
33rd Annual Meeting, North Dakota State University, Fargo, ND. *(Attendance: 110).* Dr. E.M. Anderson, Chair. Constitution and by-laws were revised. The 15 current member institutions:

- North Dakota State University
- University of Iowa
- Iowa State University
- Michigan Technological University
- University of Wisconsin-Madison
- University of Wisconsin-Stout
- University of Wisconsin-Platteville
- University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
- University of Minnesota
- Milwaukee School of Engineering
- University of North Dakota
- South Dakota State University
- Marquette University
- University of Wisconsin-Superior
- Southwest Minnesota State College

A request from Dr. Keith Faherty to add the University of Wisconsin-Platteville in the sequence of host institutions for ASEE/NMS annual meeting was approved. The by-laws were amended to allow UW-P to host the annual meeting 1980.

October 15-17, 1972
34th Annual Meeting, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA. *(Attendance: 110)* Dr. James O. Osburn, Chair.

October 14-16, 1973
35th Annual Meeting, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN. *(Attendance: 105)* Dr. R.C. Jordan, Chair.

October 6-8, 1974
36th Annual Meeting, University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, ND. *(Attendance: 118)* Dr. John Dixon, Chair.

November 2-4, 1975
37th Annual Meeting, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI. *(Attendance: 90)* Dr. Edward P. Mikol, Chair.
October 24-26, 1976
38th Annual Meeting, Iowa State University, Ames, IA. (Attendance: 98)
Dr. Daniel L. Griffen, Jr., Chair.

October 30 - November 1, 1977
39th Annual Meeting, South Dakota State University, Brookings, SD.
Dr. J.O. Storry, Chair.

October 29-31, 1978
40th Annual Meeting, Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI. (Attendance: 132)
Dr. Russell d. Niederjohn, Chair.

October 7-9, 1979
41st Annual Meeting, Michigan Technological University, Houghton, MI.
(Attendance: 78) Dr. Dave Boutilier, Chair.

1980's

October 12-14, 1980
42nd Annual Meeting, University of Wisconsin-Platteville, WI. (Attendance: 77)
Dr. Kenneth E. Buttry. Chair.

October 11-13, 1981
43rd Annual Meeting, North Dakota State University, Fargo ND. No records in the archives.

October 10-12, 1982
44th Annual Meeting, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA. (Attendance: 87)
Dr. Richard R. Dague, Chair.

October 3-4, 1983
45th Annual Meeting, University of Manitoba, Winnepeg, Manitoba. (Attendance: 122)
Dr. Glenn Morris, Chair.

October 14-16, 1984
46th Annual Meeting, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN. (Attendance: 101)
Dr. John Claussen, Chair. Copy of Proceedings is not in the archives.

October 6-8, 1985
47th Annual Meeting, University of North Dakota, Grand Fords, ND.
Dr. Robert Snortland, Chair. Copy of proceedings and attendee list are not in the archives.

October 5-7, 1986
48th Annual Meeting, University of Wisconsin-Madison, WI.
Dr. Donald Dietmeyer, Chair. Attendee list is not in the archives.

October 4-6, 1987
49th Annual Meeting, Iowa State University, Ames, IA. Dr. Arsid Eide, Chair. No details concerning attendance.
October 9-11, 1988
50th Annual Meeting, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, WI. Dr. Verne Cutler, Chair.
No attendee list in the archives.

October 15-17, 1989
51st Annual Meeting, South Dakota State University, Brookings, SD. Dr. Alan Prasuhn, Chair.

1990's

September 30 - October 2, 1990
52nd Annual Meeting, Michigan Technological University, Houghton, MI. Dr. Virgil Snyder, Chair. Proceedings and other materials are not in the archives.

October 6-8, 1991
53rd Annual Meeting, University of Wisconsin-Platteville, WI. (Attendance: 116)
Dr. S. Balachandran, Chair.

October 8-10, 1992
54th Annual Meeting, Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI. (Attendance: 120)
Dr. Thomas Wenzel, Chair.

September 30 - October 2, 1993
55th Annual Meeting, Mankato State University, Mankato, MN.
Dr. Charles Johnson, Chair.

October 6-8, 1994
56th Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section
University of Minnesota-Duluth, Duluth, MN
Program Chair: Dorab Baria Attendance 109

October 5-6, 1995
57th Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section
St. Cloud State University, St. Cloud, MN
Program Co-Chairs: Nassar Roshidi and Steve Covey

October 3-5, 1996
58th Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section
North Dakota State University, Fargo, ND
Program Chair: Scott Danielson Attendance 130

October 9-11, 1997
59th Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section
University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA
Program Chair: Norbert Malik Attendance 93

October 8-10, 1998
60th Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section
Winona State University, Winona, MN
Program Chair: Keith Dennehy
September 23-25, 1999
61st Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section
University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, MB
Program Chair: Digvir Jayar

2000’s

October ?, 2000
62nd Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section
University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN
Program Chair: Frank Kulacki

October ?, 2001
63rd Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section
University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, ND
Program Chair: Hossein Salehfar

October ?, 2002
64th Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section
University of Wisconsin - Madison
Program Chair: Sandy Courtier

October 10-12, 2003
65th Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section
Iowa State University, Ames IA
Program Chair: Loren Zachary

October 8-9, 2004
66th Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section
University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee

October 14-15, 2005
67th Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section
South Dakota State University – Brookings, SD
Program Chair: Teresa Hall

October 6-7, 2006
68th Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section
University of Wisconsin – Stout, Menomonie, WI
Unveiling of the North Midwest Section website http://asee-nms.com/index.html
Program Chair: Dan Bee
Webmaster: Charles McIntyre, Newsletter Editor

September 21-22, 2007
69th Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section
Michigan Technological University - Houghton, Michigan

October 16-18, 2008
70th Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section
University of Wisconsin-Platteville, WI
Program Chair: Abulkhair Masoom
October 8-10, 2009
71st Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section
Marquette University - Milwaukee, WI
Program Chairs: Jessica Bulgrin and Chris Perez

2010’s

October 21-23, 2010
72nd Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section
Mankato State University, Mankato, MN
Program Chair: Charles Johnson

October 13-15, 2011
73rd Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section
University of Minnesota – Duluth
Program Chair: Mike Rother

October 4-5, 2012
74th Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section (2012)
St. Cloud State University, St. Cloud, MN
Program Chair: Steven Covey

October 17-18, 2013
75th Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section
North Dakota State University, Fargo, ND
Program Chairs: David Rogers and G. Padmanabhan
Attendance: 105

October 17-18, 2014
76th Conference and Meeting of the ASEE North Midwest Section
The University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA
Program Chair: Julie Jessop
Attendance: 75

September 23-25, 2015
1st Zone III Conference Meeting (North Midwest Section, Midwest Section, and Gulf Southwest Section)
Missouri University of Science and Technology, Springfield, MO
Program Chair: Christi Patton Luks
Attendance 85