

#abcPROUD
METRO WASHINGTON to help members
GROW THEIR BUSINESS

More than xx,xxx members attended more than 200 ABC events and programs, giving them the leading edge in advancing their business objectives, creating new business opportunities, and gaining insight into emerging trends.

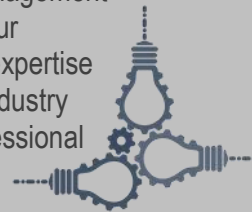


Summer House Event



Six programs offered by ABC recognize excellence, such as our safety awards, Excellence in Construction Awards, and the Accredited Quality Contractors program.

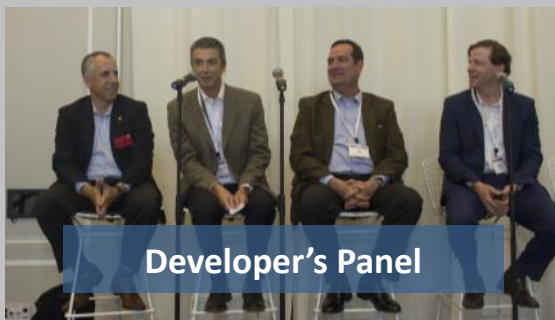
There's something for everyone at ABC, from the newly formed Women in Construction group and the young professionals group to management education and webinars, our members contribute their expertise for the betterment of the industry while expanding their professional networks.



Women in Construction



There are numerous ways to increase your visibility in the commercial construction industry through ABC, from the 3,000 readers of our quarterly Building Washington magazine and annual membership directory to our events and active committees, members can make valuable business connections.



Developer's Panel

540 MEMBER COMPANIES STRONG
 We're #ABCproud that our members are building the largest construction projects in the DC metro area, estimated at \$11.9 BILLION.

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LEND A HELPING HAND



The members of ABC of Metro Washington donated hundreds of toys to the Salvation Army Toy Drive at our annual reception. As a result of your generous contributions, the Salvation Army National Capital Area Command awarded our chapter the "Top Toy Drive Award."



Top Toy Drive Award



Scholarship Winners

\$26,000

ABC of Metro Washington's Student Chapter Committee awarded \$26,000 in scholarships to 21 deserving students pursuing a career in construction. We are #ABCproud of the outstanding students that will be joining our industry soon from Montgomery College, University of Maryland – College Park, University of Maryland – Eastern Shore and Catholic University of America.



The ABC.XYZ Young Professionals picked 400 pounds of vegetables at Chocolate and Tomatoes Farm for the Manna Food Center.



ABC.XYZ Young Professionals

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OUTSTANDING LEADERSHIP



49 STEP PARTICIPANTS



211 EVENTS



#abcPROUD METRO WASHINGTON of our WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT



ABC members mentor at Dunbar High School

ABC of Metro Washington partners with Dunbar High School to increase awareness of construction as a career path.

86%

To combat the encroaching workforce shortage, we developed an outreach program for high school students to increase the potential construction candidates for the future. Eighty-six percent of students would consider a career in construction following the presentation.



CraftMasters 2016 Graduation



JumpStart Class

ABC partners with Project JumpStart, introducing Prince George's County residents to careers in construction. More than 70% of students are placed.



Ribbon Cutting

In partnership with the University of Florida TREEO, ABC CraftMasters opens the Mid-Atlantic Backflow Academy.



Youth Apprenticeship

#abcPROUD METRO WASHINGTON to help members PROTECT THEIR MERIT SHOP



Governor Hogan at an ABC event

Governor Larry Hogan commends ABC and its members for their advocacy efforts on behalf of the merit construction industry. More than \$90,000 was raised this year for Governor Hogan's re-election campaign.

82%

ABC had another very successful session representing the interests of our members and the merit construction industry, with an 82% success rate for the 2016 session of the Maryland General Assembly.

To major bills successfully passed: insurance discounts for an alcohol-and-drug-free workplace policies and Construction Contracts-Change Orders.

- A recap of defeated legislation:
- X Prevailing Wage Reform
 - X Healthy Working Families Act
 - X Fair Scheduling, Wages and Benefits Act
 - X Maryland Pay Stub Transparency Act
 - X Preference for Resident Bidders



Our members were actively engaged in the DC PLA battle, resulting in an increase in the minimum from \$5 million to \$75 million.



More than 70 members attended Legislative Day, interacting with key members of the General Assembly and representatives of state departments and agencies whose decisions and policies impact ABC members on a daily basis.

ABC of Metro Washington's Leadership Development Program (LDP) students attended the Young Professionals Symposium during ABC's Legislative Week.



LDP with Rep. Keven Yoder (R-KS)

#abcPROUD METRO WASHINGTON to celebrate SHINING MOMENTS



Championships

Member firms had three competitors at the 2016 National Craft Championships.



Rising Star of the Year

Stacey Holsinger, Shapiro & Duncan, Inc., was honored as this year's Rising Star of the Year, recognizing her contributions to ABC of Metro Washington.



Safety Awards



The 8th Annual Safety Awards luncheon honored 61 ABC of Metro Washington member companies that maintained outstanding safety programs, policies and procedures throughout the year.



With the largest class in history, the Leadership Development Program started this February.



Developing Leaders



Debbie Livingston Celebrates 25 Years with ABC

Debbie Livingston, President and CEO, celebrated 25 years with ABC of Metro Washington.