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Observer, Jamaica

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

California

Bruce Broderick

Ingrid Severson

Giovanna Glasser

Gabrielle Fladd

American Rainwater Catchment Systems Association

August

September 2012 E-News

ARCSEA congratulates the newest!

Certified Associate

Mike Price

Accredited Professionals

Jesse Froehlich

Robyn Cooper

Daniel Elmslie

Mike Elliot

Scott Richards

Connecticut

Michael Astram

District of Columbia

Lauren Wheeler

Florida

Eddie Duvall

Georgia

Kurt Brodie

Hawaii

Oceana Francis

Shane Alexander

Illinois

Jim Kendzel

Maryland

Anne Guillette

New York

Asma Bajwa

North Carolina

Steve Miller

Kevin McRae

Mike Price

Lars Hanson

Ohio

Ann Gedeon

Texas

Kurt McCaslin

Virginia

Rodney Whittaker

Matthew Tankersley

Washington

George Sly

Australia

David Sparke

Puerto Rico

Justino Ferrer

**New Members Through the
CA Program**

Mike Price

Amanda Tullos

Accredited Associates

Brandon Cardwell

Jon Ramsey

Michael Sutton

Inspection Specialist

Robert Turpin Fischer

ARCSA 2012 Conference

The ARCSA 2012 Conference was a great success. If you missed the conference you can purchase the conference presentations by selecting the Conference proceedings in the ARCSA Store.

Conference Attendees and members please take the ARCSA 2012 [Conference Survey](#) We want to know your impression of the past conference format and sessions as well as what you want to see for the future.

ARCSA Election Results:

ARCSA Directors 2012 - 2013

The following Directors were elected to a two-year terms in Raleigh:

1. David Crawford
2. Russ Jackson
3. Jack Holmgreen

The following Directors remain on the board and have one year remaining in their two-year terms:

4. Bob Boulware
5. Billy Kniffen
6. Tim Pope
7. Neal Shapiro

The following Officers were elected by the Directors:

President - David Crawford

Vice President - Billy Kniffen

Secretary - Neal Shapiro

Tim Pope Director

Russ Jackson Director

Bob Boulware Director

Jack Holmgreen Director

Joe Wheeler will stay on as the ARCSA Treasurer and Mike Ruck will stay as the ARCSA Assistant Treasurer, but not as a board members.

Anthony Ferrantello

Asma Bajwa

Barbara Calamusa

Brian Fleener

Brian Kashas

Brooks Wehner

Bryce Taylor

Daniel Weaver

DavidMayerfeld

Debra Kossar

Dennis Wilson

Erik Carr

Geno Salimean

Giovanna Glasser

Hal Haas

Inga Colan

Jim Loring

Jonathan Lauch

Kit Elsworth

Matthew Viederman

Michael Astram

Miguel Hidalgo

Pam Craig

Philip Toscano

Robert Howell

Robert Kinkel

Shahriar Tork

Shawn Daly

Stephen McGrane

Thomas Mikulasovich

Thomas Molnar

Thomas Santillan

Todd Burtis

Wayne Salfarlie

Ying Hao Li

Below are committee appointments:

Education Committee - Billy Kniffen, Tim Pope, and Jack Holmgren

Governance Committee - Tim Pope

Conference Committee - Russ Jackson

Regional Representatives - To Be Determined

Membership - To Be Determined

Newsletter - Neal Shapiro, Heather Kinkade, and Tif & Gif Creative

Executive Director - Heather Kinkade February 1, 2012

Webmaster - Tif & Gif Creative January 1, 2012

ARCSA on the Move

ARCSA Website

Timberlake Operating System

ARCSA's website will be undergoing an update this fall to help implement changes required to keep track of Member Continuing Educational Credits. We will keep you up to date on the progress and if you experience any problems with the website or see areas that need improvement, let us know. Send an email to info@arcsa.org.

ARCSA's Recognition of Long Time Supporters

Hall of Fame

ARCSA has over the years recognized important people that have donated time and energy to ARCSA. We will now have a location to list these individuals and provide background information on their contributions. The ARCSA Hall of Fame will be listed on the website during the month of October. Please forward names of individuals you feel need to be recognized for their contributions to the rainwater catchment industry to info@arcsa.org.

Vendor Webinars

Call for Technical Webinars

We told you about ARCSA's web page increased visibility and its movement to the top of search lists. Take advantage of our visibility for your company and at the same time help to educate our members by providing a technical webinar. If you would like to present a technical webinar or advertise on ARCSA's web page contact Heather at heather.kinkade@arcsa.org.

ARCSA Seeks Grants

Grant Writer Hired

Have you read the ARCSA quarterly newsletter?

Join ARCSA

ARCSA will has teamed up with a professional grant writer to go after funds to help with various educational goals. While the grant application typically is a long process, we will apply for several in an attempt to have several grants in progress, but at different levels of completion. The goal is to always have a grant in progress.

We will send a note when we know more about the applications we are working and announce any wins.

**ARCSA is on Facebook
Social Media Drive**

Like ARCSA's [Facebook](#) !

As we mentioned last month, ARCSA is looking to expand its reach through social media. We have been discussing this process with several of our rainwater vendors and will be linking our information to a few existing rainwater blogs currently in process via various rainwater equipment suppliers. This should provide our members a better view of rainwater catchment status in the US.

As always, we would like to encourage you to "Like" ARCSA's Facebook page and forward it to all your friends.

**ARCSA Quarterly Newsletter
Members Only**

Those of you that attended the ARCSA 2012 Conference received an electronic copy of the Fall Members Only Newsletter. If you did not attend the conference, please look for your copy of the Members Only Newsletter on the ARCSA website in the Members Only section.

**RWH Workshops &
Accreditation Courses
2012-2013 Workshop Schedule**

The CA workshops will offer 6 hours of AIA Credit. See www.arcsa.org for additional information.

2012

Portland OR Oct. 1 CA Certified Associate

San Francisco CA Oct. 12 CA Certified Associate

New Mexico	NM	Oct.	22-24		Rainwater Harvesting for Wildlife Workshop
Dallas	TX	Dec.	4	CA	Certified Associate

2013

Austin	TX	Jan.	28-29	AP	Accredited Professional
Austin	TX	Jan.	30-31	RWHM	Rainwater Harvesting Master
Austin	TX	Feb.	1	IS	Inspector Specialist
Scottsdale	AZ	April	23-24	AP	Accredited Professional
Scottsdale	AZ	April	25	IS	Inspector Specialist
Santa Monica	CA	May	13-14	AP	Accredited Professional
Santa Monica	CA	May	15-16	RWHM	Rainwater Harvesting Master
Santa Monica	CA	May	17	IS	Inspector Specialist

If you are interested in hosting or sponsoring an ARCSA workshop, please contact the ARCSA Education Coordinator at education@arcsa.org.

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