## PMC Participates in AAPA At Wayne State University

In an effort to outreach to the individuals involved with facilities management for the local schools and universities, the PMC recently became involved in the Michigan APPA, an Association of Physical Plant Managers. Our participation gives members the opportunity to know the people at the various educational facilities.

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Pictured above, Bill Smart, PMC Consultant – below – Winner of the Dale Fischer Michigan Construction Book from PMC

The APPA is the only international nonprofit association dedicated exclusively to servicing the facilities professionals at educational institutions. It offers an unparallel educational experience for professionals in the education industry.

The most recent seminar for the Michigan APPA was held at Wayne State University (WSU), which was attended by PMC Consultant Bill Smart. As hosts for the program, WSU had designed a program that included meeting and breakout sessions.

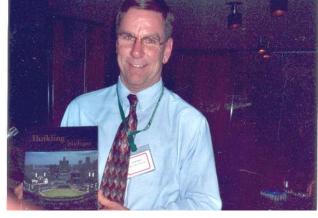
This allowed for heightened discussions on operations and maintenance issues.

The Conference included display tables from various organizations and contractors who deal with the various facilities, along with exciting displays of many new construction and major

renovation projects. Members were able to stop and review the information as they moved from session to session. Our display centered on our service programs, particularly STAR and Total Systems Responsibility.

Tours of projects at WSU were arranged on new facilities on the campus.

Topics covered throughout the two-day program addressed: master planning,



construction project funding methods and implementation issues, systems implementation, custodial re-engineering, budgeting, resource allocation planning, utility and energy conservation.