

Career Fairs and Jobs Fairs

Priority for PMC

The Eastern Constructors, the Student Chapter at Eastern Michigan University sponsored by the PMC, recently held the first of their twice annual Jobs Fair. The Fair gives the students the opportunity to speak with potential employers and/or to line up internships for their summer break. Along with familiarizing themselves with the various contractors present, it gave the students the chance to distribute their resumes, which they did to everyone possible.

Executive Associate Diane Calmeyn attended and talked with students about the opportunities available in the mechanical industry. She also collected resumes to be kept on file at the association office to be made available to contractors. The PMC held a drawing for the published "Building in Michigan" photo journal of construction in Michigan produced by Dale Fisher, in cooperation with the construction industry.



Ann Arbor Huron High School Career Technical Education (CTE) Department organized their Second Annual Career open house inviting the entire school district. It was an evening for parents and students to attend an open house where they were able to visit (CTE) labs, learn about training and post secondary options, and gather information about opportunities that exist for high school graduates in the Washtenaw County area.



The opportunity to talk with parents and give them exposure to career goals for their children that may not be college driven, was well received. The attendance was better than last year and definitely had the attention of parents.



Michigan Construction Career Days

In May the Michigan Construction Career Days were held in Howell. The "MICCD" is a construction career exploration open to ALL Michigan 7th-12th grade students.



MICCD is a tested blend of construction education, training and career information booths, hands-on activities and hands-on equipment operation.

The Greater Michigan PMC had an exhibitor booth at the event, distributing our Construction Careers Manual and a remote set-up educating students on utilizing the PMC's website enabling them to review the requirements.



Pictured above is UA Local 190's Les Pullins who demonstrated the principles of the HVAC Industry.

It provides Michigan's young people the chance to see, feel and experience construction work up-close using real tools, equipment and materials, while standing side-by-side with actual construction professionals.

