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## EBMI Night At The Ballpark

STL Cardinals vs Detroit Tigers

Date: Monday, May 19th 6:45PM

Ticket costs: \$77.25 ea

All inclusive.

(All food and beer & soda included)

Coca-Cola Scoreboard Patio

Over 250 attendees in 2024

Click [here](#) to reserve your tickets.

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**Honoring Our Present Executive Leadership:**  
Thank you for your dedication to our shared accomplishments!

**Thanks to the contributions of these Past Presidents and Chairperson of the Board: A Legacy of Leadership**

Since 1909, our organization has been guided by leaders who have demonstrated integrity, dedication, and expertise, shaping the success and growth of our industry.

As we celebrate **Presidents' Day** this month, we take a moment to recognize and express our gratitude to the past chairpersons who have led us with vision and commitment.

1909-10	Capt. Robert McCulloch	1942-43	Chas C French	1975-76	Harold E Jones	2008-09	Kurt Schulz
1910-11	Capt Robert McCulloch	1943-44	Eric W Smith	1976-77	Robert S Barrett	2009-10	Cathi Tennant
1911-12	HH Humphrey	1944-45	JL Woodress	1977-78	Edgar J Neidel	2010-11	Dave Schepers
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1913-14	AC Einstein	1946-47	J Wesley McAfee	1979-80	Arnold Haumesser	2012-13	John MacArthur
1914-15	HJ Pettengill	1947-48	SC Sachs	1980-81	John Pearson	2013-14	Greg Fowler
1915-16	FD Beardslee	1948-49	DJ Cossaart	1981-82	ME Gatewood	2014-15	Dennis Weisenborn
1916-17	FA Kehl	1949-50	Ralph E Moody	1982-83	Ray Martin	2015-16	Jim Heisserer
1917-18	WN Matthews	1950-51	CE Butler Jr.	1983-84	RE Beumer	2016-17	Phil Jacquot
1918-19	EH Waddington	1951-52	RE Sontag	1984-85	Jerome Brasch	2017-18	Lacey Bernard
1919-20	JS Tritle	1952-53	Thomas P Halley	1985-86	Charles Kaufman	2018-19	Jeff Stoyanov
1920-21	CE Michel	1953-54	LW McLeod	1986-87	Michael Postiglione	2019-20	Bill Kuempel
1921-22	HN Goodell	1954-55	ME Skinner	1987-88	Robert Hackmann	2020-21	Jeff Wahl
1922-23	HD McBride	1955-56	CW Schemm	1988-89	Dale Frost	2021-22	Michael Smith
1923-24	AT Perkins	1956-57	Lester E Barrett	1989-90	James Brennan	2022-23	Phil Wentz
1924-25	Fred A. Adam	1957-58	Dudley Sanford	1990-91	Christopher Burgoyne	2023-24	Tom Bush
1925-26	WA Layman	1958-59	EJ Schaubert	1991-92	Timothy Handlan	2024-25	Craig Schild
1926-27	Frank J Boehm	1959-60	William A Mann	1992-93	Ronald Nixon		
1927-28	CE Allen	1960-61	Joseph B Schaeffer	1993-94	Charles O'Connell		
1928-29	RJ Russell	1961-62	Joe Bussman Jr.	1994-95	Philip Roush		
1929-30	George Carrao	1962-63	Eugene R Kropp	1995-96	Harry Ferris		
1930-31	HT Bussmann	1963-64	William E Newman	1996-97	William Hayes		
1931-32	WO Pennell	1964-65	JH Cunningham	1997-98	Rolf Albers		
1932-33	ED Payne	1965-66	Melton P Johns	1998-99	John Duda		
1933-34	PB Postlethwaite	1966-67	RH Sperrang	1999-00	Howard Stone		
1934-35	George K Miltenberger	1967-68	Walter Murphy	2000-01	Roger Oertli		
1935-36	George H Quermann	1968-69	TF Skinner	2001-02	Jackie Postiglione		
1936-37	LD James	1969-70	Gene W Sanders	2002-03	Jim Will		
1937-38	CB Fall	1970-71	David D Metcalfe Jr.	2003-04	Dave Schenk		
1938-39	EH Lewis	1971-72	Norman Krause	2004-05	Ron Sangster		
1939-40	Lee S. Washington	1972-73	HE Wuerthenbaecher Jr.	2005-06	Terry Sater		
1940-41	GA Waters	1973-74	Carl G Lewis	2006-07	Rodger Hollenbeck		
1941-42	WE Henges	1974-75	EW Stohlmann Jr.	2007-08	Keith Cooper		

## Save the Date- Calendar of Events

February 18th	Women's Electrical Board meeting
March 6th	Chairman's Circle
March 7th	Ameren Missouri Energy Efficiency Program
March 11th	Women's Electrical Board meeting
March 11th	<i>NEW DATE</i> -Rescheduled due to weather- Leadership Seminar
March 13th	Board Meeting
April 3rd, 4th and 5th	IES Fundamentals of Lighting 3 day seminar
April 8th	Sales Strategies
April 10th	Ameren Illinois Emerging Energy Topics in Springfield Illinois
April 16th	Ameren Illinois Emerging Energy Topics in Mt. Vernon, Illinois
April 24th	Protection of Electrical Systems
April 30th	WEB—Bosses Night
May 1st	Transformers
May 13th	WEB Installation of Officers
May 19th	Night at the Ballpark STL Cardinal Game
June 2nd	Sportsmans Holiday Golf Tournament
June 12th	Board Meeting
Aug 22nd	Ameren Missouri Clean Energy Symposium
Tentatively- Sept 17th	Ameren Illinois Power Topics Program—Springfield
Tentatively- Sept 24th	Ameren Illinois Power Topics Program—Mt. Vernon
Sept 29th	GolfFest—Crescent Farms Golf Club
Oct 11th	Veterans BBQ VA Medical Center
Nov 7th	Ameren Missouri Electric Power Topics Program
Dec 4th	Holiday Mixer

Call EBMI at 636.305.6434 or email [events@electricalboard.org](mailto:events@electricalboard.org) click [here](#) for more information on any of our events.  
Register for classes by clicking on links provided in the course catalog. Click [here](#) for full course catalog.



# ENERGY EFFICIENCY SYMPOSIUM

Click [here](#) to register or call 636.305.6434 | [events@electricalboard.org](mailto:events@electricalboard.org)

## Thank you to our program sponsors:



- Friday, 7th March 2025
- 8.00 AM - NOON
- Ameren Auditorium  
1901 Choteau Ave.  
St. Louis MO 63103

MODERATED BY:



**Brad Haley**

Key Account Executive at Ameren Missouri

GUEST SPEAKERS INCLUDE:

OPENING REMARKS



**Tara Oglesby**

Vice President, Energy Solutions and Business Development Ameren Missouri

CASE STUDY- HVAC AND MORE



**Kyle Pogue**

President- PCS Energy Peoria Contract Services

AMEREN BUSINESS DEMAND RESPONSE PROGRAM



**Chris Stoker**

Senior Business Development Manager Entel North America

ENERGY EFFICIENCY LOCAL SPORTS LIGHTING- CASE STUDY



**Andrew M. Boerschig**

Facility Solutions Project Manager Guarantee Electrical Company

2025 AMEREN MISSOURI BIZSAVERS PROGRAM



**Lincoln Boschert**

Senior Business Development Ameren Missouri

## AND MORE!

EBMI Members: \$55 per person | Non Members: \$70  
Registration Deadline: February 25th  
*\$10 discount if registered and paid by February 25th*

PDHs available | 4 In-person | 3 for Virtual participants.

## March | April Program Spotlights:

**Save \$60 if registration received 2 weeks prior to class.**

### LEADERSHIP SEMINAR- **RESCHEDULED**

**New Date:** Tuesday, March 11th 2025 | 11AM- 1:30PM  
 Instructor: Mark Serafino  
 Food provided by Sugarfire Smoke House

Employees of non-member firms:	\$215
Employees of member firms:	\$195

This course is interactive with participants and is ideal for all emerging leaders and/or current management.

This seminar will include in depth discussion and analysis on these topics; Leadership and management, what is the difference? | Listening like a leader | Coaching team members to the next level  
 Leading culture and managing change | How to prepare and conduct disciplinary conversation.

### Protection of Electrical Systems

Begins Thursday, April 24th  
 7:30AM- 4.30PM | PDH's 8  
 Instructor: Michael Smith Location: EBMI Office  
 Topics covered:

Employees of non-member firms:	\$220
Employees of member firms:	\$160

Conductors:

The installation of cables in wood and metal framing shallow grooves, behind panels that allow access and surface mounted. Installation of cables or conductors in the earth. Explain the effects of chemicals, water, direct sunlight and other conditions. Explain overcurrent protection and short circuit protection. Importance of clearances for feeders and service conductors. Explain why fill ratio is important and affects ampacity of conductors.

Equipment: Sizing equipment for available fault current. How to determine fault current and why it is important. Selecting the correct overcurrent devices. Importance of signage- NFPA 70E commercial dwellings. The separation of arcing parts from combustible

### IES Fundamentals of Lighting- **3 Day Seminar**

**Times and dates:** Thursday April 3rd and  
 Friday April 4th 2025 | 8AM- 5PM  
 Saturday April 5th 8AM-Noon

Employees of non-member firms:	\$360
Employees of member firms:	\$300

Instructors: Multiple Lighting Professionals  
 Coordinator: Dave Meglio | Meglio and Associates  
 Included: Link to course manual. Students can access to view during seminar or print if they prefer.

Tuition and Fees: Tuition due by March 20th 2025

Co-sponsored with the Illuminating Engineering Society (IES)- St. Louis Section Material covered:  
 Lighting overview.

- History.
- Professional Practice.
- Physics.
- Vision.
- Color.
- Light and Health.
- Electric light sources and auxiliary devices.
- Daylighting.
- Luminaires
- Controls
- Lighting Metrics
- Photometry
- AND MORE.....

PDH: 20  
 IESNA CEU's: 2  
 USGBC CE Hours: 20  
 AIA LUs with Health, Safety and Welfare: 2

**Click [here](#) for FULL details or to register for any program.**



## Personnel Service.....

allows our members to advertise employment opportunities at no charge and these are also listed on our website.

For UpToDate listings, visit:

[www.electricalboard.org/career-center/job-listings/](http://www.electricalboard.org/career-center/job-listings/)

## JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Contact EBMI office for more information.

## EBMI is hiring!

### Job Title:

Nonprofit Administrator

ON-SITE—Some local travel required.

*Employment Time:* Full-time | Salary Exempt

Are you passionate about supporting the electrical industry? Do you have experience in nonprofit operations or in the electrical industry?

We are seeking a dedicated and detail-oriented Nonprofit Administrator to join our team during an important transitional period. Reporting to the Director of Member Services. This role is integral to ensuring the smooth operation of our organization while supporting our mission to educate and preserve business opportunities in the electrical industry.

## Key Responsibilities

**Database Management:**

Maintain and update the organization's member contact database with accuracy and timeliness.

**Accounting and Financial Processing:**

Process invoices for events, courses, programs, and membership dues. Assist in reading and interpreting P&L statements and accounting ledgers.

## Event Support:

Collaborate with members and team members to plan, organize, and attend events such as seminars, programs, expos, and networking events. Member Support and Service:

Serve as a dependable and trustworthy resource for members, addressing inquiries and maintaining positive relationships.

## Qualifications

Required:

Experience with Microsoft 365 products.

Proficiency in reading P&L statements and understanding accounting ledgers. Strong organizational skills and attention to detail.

Exceptional customer service skills with a focus on dependability and trustworthiness.

Preferred:

Previous experience in a nonprofit organization, or an association, or the electrical industry.

Background in accounting, marketing, or business management. Familiar with Robert's Rules of Order.

Experience with STRIPE | WordPress | QuickBooks

## How to Apply:

Submit your resume and a cover letter detailing your experience and interest in the role to:

Kim Johnston | [kim.johnston@electricalboard.org](mailto:kim.johnston@electricalboard.org).

Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis until the position is filled.



## WOMENS ELECTRICAL BOARD

FEBRUARY 18, 2025 | WEB Meeting Will feature:

Monica L. Sanchez, DNP, FNP-BC  
Nurse Practitioner, Department of Medicine,  
Cardiovascular Division

Barnes Jewish Hospital

Presentation: MATTERS OF THE HEART

This month's meeting will provide an informative session on understanding and managing heart health. Understanding Heart Disease in Women, Recognizing the Signs and Symptoms, Treatment Options and Therapies; Prevention and what you can do, will be covered.

Thank you to our members from:

Guarantee Electrical for coordinating this month's meeting.

## WELCOME:

Join us in welcoming our newest W.E.B member:

Rochelle Varner

with Mesa Associates, Inc.

Click here to learn more about joining WEB.



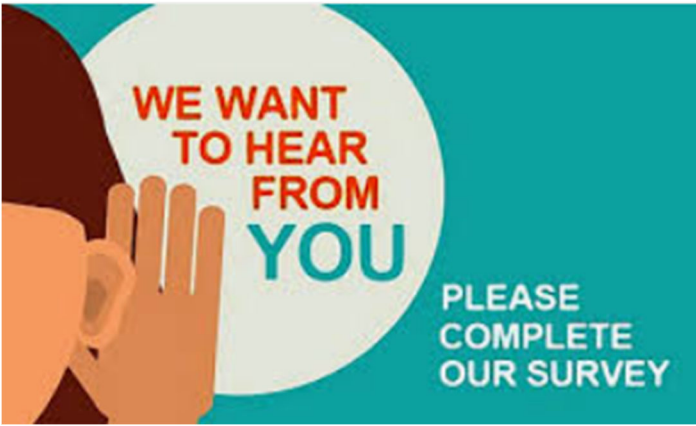
## Did you know...

Our monthly newsletter reaches over 500 people in the electrical industry, in eastern Missouri and southern Illinois.

Do you have news to share?

Contact us today and we will share your news and team updates for a minimum fee.





**We Want to Hear From You-  
Complete Our Membership  
Engagement Survey!**

Your feedback is important to us! Please take a few minutes to complete our membership engagement survey and help shape the future of EBMI. Your input will guide us in improving resources, events, and programs to better serve you.

As a thank you, everyone who completes the survey by Feb 28th-their name will be entered into a drawing for a **\$100 gift card.**

One lucky winner will be selected! Click [here](#) to complete the survey!



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**Are you new to the industry?  
Do you have team members that you would  
like to introduce to industry peers?**

Contact us today to learn more about  
Emerging EBMI Members.

**Thank you to everyone who attended the  
Emerging EBMI Members Night with the Blues!**

A great time was had by all, and we appreciate your  
support in building connections within the industry.



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