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...featuring photos of project representatives from the Project of the Year, Grand Awards and the Small Firm Award.



Pictured above, from left are: **Kim Bria, CMTS**; **Tony Roos, ACEC Oregon Vice President and ACEC National PAC Champion, Kittelson & Associates, Inc.**; and **Thuy Tu, CMTS**.



The Tetra Tech team shows off their Honor Award for the Karlson Island Tidal Restoration Project. Pictured above from left are: **Ryan Kilgren and David Munro, Tetra Tech**; and **Tom Josephson, Columbia**

More photos from Engineering Excellence Awards

About 270 members, clients and guests enjoyed the evening's festivities.



Mel Sears, WSP | Parsons Brinckerhoff, surveys the scene before taking the stage to emcee the Engineering Excellence Awards dinner.

River Estuary Study Taskforce (CREST).



Pictured above displaying their Honor Award for the NW Friberg Street / NE Goodwin Road project for City of Camas are, from left: **Chuck Harper** and **Kelly Bachelder**, Harper Houf Peterson Righellis; and **Jim Hodges**, City of Camas.



Team members representing the Metro Oregon Zoo Elephant Lands project with their Honor Award. Pictured above, from left: **Elliott Mecham**, Shannon & Wilson; **Ed Quesenberry**, Equilibrium Engineering; **Paul Dedyo**, KPFF Consulting Engineers; **Andrew Dykeman**, Lease Crutcher Lewis; and **Shawn Salatino**, KPFF Consulting Engineers.



Pictured above, **Paul Gerola**, Port of Walla Walla, holds their project's Honor Award for tackling the Snake River wastewater crossing for Port of Walla Walla. He is flanked by **John Wells** and **Andy Perry**, ACEC Oregon Regional Vice President, **Anderson Perry & Associates, Inc.**, whose firm performed the work.



Pictured above, from left: **Andy Vessely**, ACEC Oregon Past President, and **Melinda Wegner**, Cornforth Consultants, Inc.; and **Troy Bowers**, ACEC Oregon National Director and Past President, Murray, Smith & Associates, Inc.



Pictured above enjoying the evening's festivities are, from left: **Rick Ernst**, Hart Crowser, Inc.; **Chelsea McCann**, Walker Macy; and **Tim Blackwood**, ACEC Oregon Vice President, Hart Crowser, Inc.



The awards dinner is a great time to catch up with old friends and make some new ones.

Photos by Julie Keefe.



ACEC's PAC Sweepstakes is back—
with more prizes than ever!
Come celebrate with the lucky winners of
fifteen prizes—including a
grand prize of \$10,000.
Due to increased demand, 1,500 tickets
are available and you don't need to be
present to win.

Click [HERE](#) for the Spring Raffle
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Your \$50, \$100 or more contribution will
help us reach our goal, but more
importantly, go toward supporting and
electing individuals from both parties who
SUPPORT THE PRIVATE SECTOR.

ACEC has a great lineup of speakers, sessions and networking events
for all members at the Annual Convention and Legislative Summit,
April 17-20, 2016 in Washington, DC.

The powerful agenda offers incredible speakers and programs including:

- Dana Perino - Former White House Press Secretary and Co-Host of *Fox News*' "The Five" on **Political Outlook and the 2016 Elections**
- Daniel Pink - World-renowned business thought leader & New York Times bestselling author on **Leadership and Influence**
- **Congressional Panel on Prospects for Bipartisanship** - moderated by CBS News Chief White House Correspondent Major Garrett
- **State Infrastructure Funding Panel - Insights from Former DOT Secretaries**
- **How "Big Data" Will Transform Your Company** - panel moderated by John Doering, President, J. Doering & Co., LLC

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UPCOMING

- Feb 23 – [ACEC / ODOT Region 2 Brown Bag](#), Salem – Construction

- Feb 24 – [ACEC / ODOT Region 1 Brown Bag](#), Portland – Traffic
- Mar 1 – Deadline for [ACEC Oregon scholarship](#) application
- April 7 – [CEO breakfast for ACEC firm leadership](#)
- April 28 – [ACEC / ODOT Partnering Conference, Salem Convention Center](#)
“Mapping Oregon’s Future through Innovation, Engagement and Sustainability”
- April 28 – [ACEC / SW WA Public Agency Liaison Meeting & Presentation](#), Vancouver
“Tilikum Crossing, Bridge of the People” with the project’s lead design engineer, Norman Smit, TY Lin
- May 25 – [ACEC Fiesta! aka Business Dinner & All Committee Social](#) - Fun, food & festivities!

ACEC WASHINGTON UPCOMING EVENTS – ACEC Oregon members receive the member rate!

- Mar 2 – Selection Panels: How They Decide Now
- Mar 15 – Effective Pricing Negotiations with Public Entities

COURTESY ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Feb 23 – [9th Annual Mid-Willamette Valley Future Engineers Day](#), Keizer (*luncheon*)
- Feb 25 – [52nd Annual National Engineers Week High School Program](#), Portland
(*tours, exhibit hall, dinner with keynote speaker*)

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