

ASHRAE Community Sustainability Project

Habitat for Humanity Charlotte

ASHRAE Southern Piedmont Chapter



"When I first moved to Charlotte, I personally became involved with the young professionals group in Habitat – Habitat for Young Professionals of Charlotte (HYPC) – and immediately felt more connected to the community. When I took office as chapter president, I thought it would be a great idea to have a chapter volunteer day to help other members become more engaged in the community and made this one of my MBOs for the year."
Michael Collarin, P.E., ASHRAE-Certified Building Energy Assessment Professional, Southern Piedmont Chapter president

Project Description

The Southern Piedmont Chapter took part in a Habitat for Humanity volunteer day to assist in building a new home. Habitat for Humanity is a nonprofit, ecumenical Christian housing ministry that has helped to build or repair over 600,000 decent, affordable houses, serving more than three million people worldwide. Nearly 50 volunteer hours were spent on the project by seven ASHRAE members, who helped install soffits and insulated vinyl siding on the exterior of the home.

Watch a video of the project

www.youtube.com/watch?v=o1utLO1O5N8&feature=youtu.be

Additional Information

<http://spashrae.com/>

www.facebook.com/pages/Young-Engineers-in-ASHRAE-YEA-Southern-Piedmont-Chapter/100026341136?ref=ts&fref=ts#!/groups/113493036534/?fref=ts

ASHRAE's Community Sustainability Project program is designed to share the engineering knowledge of our members to improve the world around them. The program was launched as part of the presidential theme, "Broadening ASHRAE's Horizons," of 2012-13 President Thomas E. Watson, P.E., Fellow ASHRAE, Life Member