



Gaede

Aquajet welcomed **Brian Gaede** as an Application Specialist. Gaede will be responsible for training customers on best practices in a variety of applications and providing sales, technical, and customer service support. He started as a hydrodemolition operator, working with equipment from multiple manufacturers, and later added project management and safety officer responsibilities. Over the

course of his career, he has trained staff on proper safety practices, equipment maintenance, and hydrodemolition techniques in various applications. Gaede's industry knowledge and experience will assist customers and help them maximize the potential of their equipment.

Rapid Applications Group (Rapid Apps) has appointed **Tim Curran** as Chief Executive Officer, along with four construction technology leaders to its executive team. Curran is the former CEO of Building Engines, Vela Systems, and Eleven Technology. Curran started his career in software development and implementation at Accenture and currently serves on the Board of Knowify, a software company for labor-intensive subcontractor trades, and Polestar Global, a leader in maritime intelligence. Joining Curran is an executive team including **Brian Clarke** as Chief Sales Officer, **Chris Martin** as Chief Financial Officer, **Jim Hammel** as Chief Customer Officer, and **Peter Billante** as Chief Product and Marketing Officer.

White Cap announced the retirement of **John Stegeman** from Chief Executive Officer (CEO). Concurrently, **Alan Sollenberger**, President of White Cap, has been promoted to CEO. Stegeman will continue to serve on White Cap's Board of Directors, and Sollenberger will join White Cap's Board of Directors. Sollenberger has a combined 17 years of experience at The Home Depot, HD Supply, and White Cap. He served as Chief Financial Officer, Chief Administrative Officer, and Chief Operating Officer of White Cap before taking on his role as President where he oversaw all Sales, Operations, IT, and Strategy Development. As part of the transition, **Page Naftel**, Chief Sales Officer of White Cap, has been promoted to Chief Commercial Officer of White Cap.

The Board of Directors of the Charles Pankow Foundation appointed ACI member **Stuart Harrison** as the organization's new Executive Director. The current President of FaciliTech, LLC, Harrison retired from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers in 2008 and has held several executive positions within architecture, engineering, and construction (AEC) companies.



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The Foundation's Interim Executive Director and ACI member, **Mark Perniconi**, will remain active for a transitional period to assist with the change.

Honors & Awards

The Applied Technology Council (ATC) celebrated its 50th anniversary with the event, ATC at 50: Celebrating the Past, Engaging the Present, and Envisioning the Future. As a part of the function, ATC hosted an awards ceremony honoring recipients of ATC Awards of Excellence. Two such individuals who have helped make ATC what it is today are **Jack Moehle** and **John Wallace**.

ACI Honorary Member Jack Moehle received the ATC Award of Excellence for Lifetime Achievement in Improving Seismic Design, Evaluation, and Retrofit of Concrete Buildings. Moehle is a Professor at the Graduate School of the University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, CA, USA. He is a member of ACI Committees 133, Disaster Reconnaissance; 318, Structural Concrete Building Code; and 369, Seismic Repair and Rehabilitation. Moehle is also a member of Joint ACI-ASCE Committee 352, Joints and Connections in Monolithic Concrete Structures; and ACI Subcommittees 318-E, Section and Member Strength; 318-H, Seismic Provisions; and 318-1R, Resolution of Anchorage and Development Provisions.

John Wallace, FACI, received the ATC Award of Excellence for Extraordinary Achievement in Development of Seismic Performance Criteria for Concrete Buildings. Wallace is a Professor at UCLA in the Department of Civil Engineering at the University of California, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA. He is Chair of ACI Subcommittee 318-H, Seismic Provisions; and a member of ACI Committees 318, Structural Concrete Building Code; 369, Seismic Repair and Rehabilitation; 374, Performance-Based Seismic Design of Concrete Buildings; and 369S, Seismic Evaluation and Retrofit Code. Wallace is also a member of Joint ACI-ASCE Committees 335, Composite and Hybrid Structures; and 352, Joints and Connections in Monolithic Concrete Structures; as well as ACI Subcommittees 318-SC, 318 Steering Committee; and 369-D, Walls and Foundations.