



# Help Shape The Future of Our Industry



## Volunteer to Speak

We're inviting MCAKC members to visit Kansas State or Pittsburg State to speak with our student chapter members. Your time supports MCAKC's goals in workforce development, education, and industry awareness, while connecting you to the next generation.



## Why Participate?

- Build early talent connections
- Highlight your company and career path
- Give back and grow your network
- Be seen as an industry leader



## What Students Gain:

- Learn about specialty contracting early
- Discover new roles in the field and office
- Connect with real professionals—like you!
- Make better, more informed career choices

## Requested Topics:

- **Career Paths**

Field vs. office, and growth potential.

- **Vendors**

How suppliers shape project outcomes.

- **Shop Fabrication**

BIM, prefab, productivity, and coordination across trades.

- **Tales From a Jobsite**

Real challenges, real wins from a project manager and field leader duo.

- **Show Me the Money**

What service work looks like and why it pays.

- **BONUS: Jobsite Tour!**

If you're able to coordinate, students love seeing our work firsthand!

Contact Kathleen Livingston, MCAKC Outreach Manager, to book a date!



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# Your a Student Chapter Speaker! Now What?



## Thank You!

First, thank you for stepping up to speak with our Student Chapters at Kansas State University or Pittsburg State University. These casual, high-impact sessions are an important part of MCAKC's mission to connect the industry with the next generation of professionals.



## What to Expect:

- **Audience:** 50+ college students
- **Casual Format:** Use slides, photos, or just tell stories. Wi-Fi is available, but still bring a thumb drive.
- **Content:** Keep it educational. Introduce your company and role briefly, then focus on your chosen topic. No sales pitches, but company branding it fine.
- **Dinner:** Free pizza is provided. Grab your slices before the students do!



## Pro-Tips

- ✓ Bring branded swag (apparel is better than pens!) or candy to drive participation
- ✓ Ask questions to get students talking
- ✓ Share your favorite mistakes and lessons learned

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