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WEEC Attendees Learn from Trane How to Gain Support for High Performance Building Projects

Washington, D.C., Sept. 25, 2013 - Whether new or a retrofit, a high performance building can be a strategic asset that contributes measurable year-over-year benefits, and supports mission-critical objectives.

An expert from [Trane](#), a leading global provider of indoor comfort solutions and services and a brand of [Ingersoll Rand](#), will discuss methods to manage and justify the implementation of high performance building projects of all sizes at the [World Energy Engineering Conference](#) (WEEC), Sept. 25-27, at the Washington Convention Center, Washington, D.C.

Neil Maldeis, professional engineer (PE), certified energy manager (CEM), and energy solutions engineering leader for Trane, will present case studies and discuss the methods and tools successfully used to gain approval for high performance building projects.

The methods will range from those that are used to support simple stand-alone projects to techniques that can be used at an enterprise level for multiple projects. Attendees will learn how to calculate the energy and operational savings benefits that can demonstrate a high performance building project's return-on-investment.

Presentation details (Track H, Session H4):

Title: Methods and Tools to Justify High Performance Building Projects
When: Friday, Sept. 27, 9:25 - 9:50 a.m.
Where: Ballroom B, Washington Convention Center, Washington, D.C.

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About the World Energy Engineering Conference

The World Energy Engineering Conference (WEEC) held Sept. 25-27, at the Washington Convention Center, in Washington, D.C., is an energy event of national and international scope for end users and energy professionals in all areas of the energy field. This comprehensive forum helps energy professionals assess future trends in energy supply, new technologies, regulatory developments and industry trends. It covers the total spectrum of energy management and alternative energy technologies for the commercial, institutional, industrial and government marketplace.

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About Neil Maldeis

Neil Maldeis is a professional engineer (PE), certified energy manager (CEM), and energy solutions engineering leader for Trane. He is responsible for the technical development, support and review of performance-based contracting solutions and activities on a national basis. He has more than 30 years of experience as a mechanical/project engineer in the building construction and energy conservation fields. He holds a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering from the University of Minnesota.

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