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2026 Fall Forum & Engineering Excellence Awards

**5.5 PDH
Credits**

Tuesday, November 17, 2025
Hilton Garden Inn, Freeport

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8:00 am - 8:30 am

Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:30 am - 9:00 am

Welcoming Remarks

- Mark Adams, President, ACEC of Maine

PAC Champion and National Director Update

- Theresa Patten, P.E., National Director/PAC Champion

9:00 am - 9:30 am

ACEC National

- Karen Friese, ACEC of Maine's National Liaison

9:30 am - 10:30 am

**Dr. Sam Zolfagharian, YegaTech- Designing an AI-ready
Organization: How to prepare your firm for the age of AI**

10:30 am-10:45 am

Break

10:45 am - 11:15 am

Bill Davids, PhD, PE, University of Maine

11:15 am - 12:15 pm

AI Panel

- Dr. Sam Zolfagharian, YegaTech
- Large Member Firm
- Medium Member Firm

12:15 pm - 1:00 pm

Lunch & Networking

1:00 pm - 1:30 pm

EEA Awards Presentations

1:30 pm- 2:15 pm

DOT Updates

2:15 pm- 2:45 pm

EEA Awards Presentations

2:45 pm

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