CONTINUING EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

PCI Continuing Education

PCI is a registered continuing education provider with the American Institute of Architects (AIA), and the National Council of Examiners of Engineers and Surveyors (NCEES). PCI also has registered programs with the Green Building Certification Institute (GBCI). PCI's educational offerings include a variety of programs to fit your schedule and preferred learning environment, such as webinars, seminars, lunch-and-learns, and online education. To learn more, visit www.pci.org/education.

Distance Learning Opportunities

Webinars

PCI webinars are presented live each month by industry experts on a variety of topics from design and construction to sustainability and more. All webinars are FREE, one-hour long and presented twice during the webinar week, at noon Pacific (3:00 p.m. Eastern) and noon Eastern. Webinars provide an inexpensive way to stay up to date on new materials, products, concepts, and more while earning continuing education credits. Visit www.pci.org/webinars for the full webinar schedule and registration information.

Upcoming Webinars

October 27 and 29: Precast Helps Meet Code Requirements—Building and energy codes have changed a lot over the past decade. These new codes can be challenging to meet, while still maintaining budgets, schedules, and other program requirements. This presentation will walk you through some of the key code changes affecting buildings in the IBC, ASHRAE and ACI codes, and will identify how precast concrete can be used to meet these challenges efficiently and will discuss Performance Based Design. Examples will be used to highlight scenarios.

PCI eLearning Center

The PCI eLearning Center is the first education management system dedicated to the precast concrete structures industry. This free 24-hour online resource provides an opportunity for architects and engineers to earn continuing education credits on demand. Each course includes a webinar presentation recording, reference materials, and a quiz. Visit this resource at www.pci.org/elearning.

In-Person Learning Opportunities

Seminars and Workshops

PCI and its regional affiliates offer seminars and workshops all over the United States on a variety of topics. Visit www.pci.org/education for up-to-date seminar listings, additional information, and registration.

Upcoming Seminars and Workshops:

PCI High Performance Building Enclosures Seminar

October 27, Omaha, NE (By PCI Midwest)
October 28, Des Moines, IA (By PVI Midwest)
December 9, Kansas City, MO (By PCI Midwest)
December 15, Chicago, IL (By PCI IL/WI)

Visit www.pci.org/schools for more information and to register.

Quality Control Schools

<u>Level I/II</u> December 7-9, Nashville, TN

<u>Level III</u> December 9-12, Nashville, TN



Lunch-and-Learns

PCI's lunch-and-learn/box-lunch programs are a convenient way for architects, engineers, and design professionals to receive continuing education credit without leaving the office. Industry experts visit your location; provide lunch; and present on topics such as sustainability, institutional construction, parking structures, aesthetics, blast resistance, the basics of precast, and many more. Visit www.pci.org/education/box_lunches for a list of lunch-and-learn offerings and to submit a program request.

PCI Online Academy

PCI's Online Academy offers weekly, 90-minute evening sessions focused on helping working professionals earn their continuing education credit without impacting their work day. This January PCI's Online Academy returns with a unique program for all professionals involved in the special inspection of precast concrete structures.

PCI's Special Inspector's Program is a one-of-a-kind program designed to help special inspectors comply with the training requirement of the building code. Inspection of precast concrete construction requires the expertise of an approved special inspector in order to ensure compliance with the International Building Code and approved construction documents. Special inspectors are required to provide written documentation to building officials demonstrating competence and relevant experience or training, and this program uniquely fits the bill for special inspector of precast concrete structures.

This three-week course is scheduled for Thursday evenings January 14, 21 and 28, 2016 and will be presented by the programs principle author. Each session will include a post-course assessment to measure learning and participants will earn a total of 4.5 professional development hours. Visit us online for special rate information at http://www.pci.org/Education/Online_Academy/