



63ND Annual Awards and Recognition Night

On the evening of May 18, 2016 over sixty members and guests gathered at the Riverside Room in the East Bank Club for the chapter's annual awards banquet. It was a beautiful evening and attendees were able to linger on the terrace overlooking the North Branch before sitting down to a buffet dinner.

The Awards Banquet gives the chapter an opportunity to express our gratitude for all the hard work put in by members throughout the year. Many members, including those who would have been awarded, are not able to attend the event but were recognized nevertheless.

Before presenting the awards, the chapter recognized members who celebrated significant anniversaries in 2015-2016. **Mr. W. Dean Walker** received special recognition for 50 years of membership.



W. Dean Walker

The following members were awarded Certificates of Appreciation:



Mr. Stuart Berger, CSI, CCS, AIA, for serving as Secretary, member of the Finance Committee and Communications and Newsletter Chair; **John Birazzi**, AIA, CSI, CDT, LEED AP, for serving as the Specifiers' Roundtable Co-chair and presenting at multiple Specifiers' Roundtables; **Mr. Timothy Blatner**, CSI, LEED AP, for serving as a Director and as Programs co-Chair; **Ms. Deborah Burkhardt**, CSI, CCS, AIA, LEED AP, for serving as

Treasurer and Finance Chair; **Mr. Randall A. Chapple**, CSI, CCS, AIA, SE, for serving as Technical Chair, By-laws Chair, Electronic Communications Chair, member of the Specifier Roundtable Committee and member of the Membership Committee; **Mr. Drew Clausen**, CSI, for serving as Director and Partners and Sponsorship Committee Chair; **Mr. William Cohen**, CSI, for serving as Programs Co-chair; **Mr. Scott Conwell**, CSI, CDT, FAIA, for serving as Industry Roundtable Chair, member of the Partners and Sponsorship Committee, member of the Student Affiliate Committee and presenting at a Technical Roundtable; **Mr. Kellan Dillon**, CSI, CCPR, for serving as a Certification Class instructor; **Mr. Patrick J. Duffy, Jr.**, CSI, for serving as Director, coordinating the ASA-BEC-CSI Joint Roundtable and presenting at an Industry Roundtable; **Ms. Melissa Fiore**, CSI, for serving as Vice President and member of the Membership and Social Committees; **Ms. Melissa Marie Gibson**, CSI, CCCA, AIA, LEED AP, for serving as Vice President, Specifiers' Roundtable Co-chair, and Regional Awards Chair, presenting at a Specifiers' Roundtable and consenting to be President-Elect next year; **Mr. Peter W. Grotenhuis**, CSI, CDT, for serving as Director, Student Affiliate Chair, member of the Partners and Sponsorship Committee and Communication Graphics Chair; **Ms. Kristin Henriksen**, CSI, CDT, for serving as the Social Committee Co-chair; **Mr. Theodore Herr**, CSI, CDT, AIA, for serving as a Certification Class instructor; **Ms. Holly Hirsch**, CSI, for serving as Social Media Chair; **Mr. Alan B. Itzkowitz**, AIA, CSI, CCS, CCCA, NCARB, LEED AP, for serving as a Director and member of the Technical Roundtable Committee; **Mr. Pete Kovacik**, CSI, CDT, for serving as a Certification Class instructor and compiling the CSi2eye booklet; **Mr. Kurt Moehlmann**, CSI, CDT, for serving as Past President, CSi2eye Co-chair, Golf Outing Chair and presenting at an Industry Roundtable; **Mr. Larry Nordin**, CSI, CCS, AIA, for serving as Certification Co-Chair and Institute Awards Chair; **Mr. Matthew Nordloh**, CSI, CCPR, for serving as North Central Region Director, member of the Industry Roundtable Committee, presenting at an Industry Roundtable, **Mr. Jeremy T. Olsen**, CSI, CCS, CCCA, AIA, LEED AP, for serving as President Elect, Nominating Committee Co-chair, Technical Roundtable Chair and Certification Class instructor; **Ms. Kira Rogatnik**, CSI, CDT, for serving as Director, Social Committee Co-chair and CSi2eye Co-chair; **Mr. Elias Saltz**, CSI, CCS, LEED AP, for serving as President, Chapter Awards

Chair, Nominating Committee Co-chair, Strategic Planning Committee Chair and Certification Class instructor; **Mr. Dan Smith**, CSI, CCPR, LEED AP, for serving as Vice President and Certification Committee Co-chair; **Mr. Joseph A. Stypka**, FCSI, CCS, FAIA, for serving as the Continuing Education Coordinator; **Mr. W. Dean Walker**, CSI, CCS, AIA, for serving as Historian for the chapter; and **Mr. Chris Walsh**, CSI, CDT, LEED GA, for serving as the Membership Officer, Membership Chair, and member of the Golf Outing Committee.

The following members were presented with Awards of Excellence:

Mr. Randall A. Chapple, CSI, CCS, AIA, SE, for significant dedication and contribution of time and talent in constant involvement and contribution to all levels of CSI; **Mr. Peter Grotenhuis**, CSI, CDT, for significant dedication in organizing scholarships and establishing the CSI Student Chapter; **Mr. Matt Nordloh**, CSI, CCPR, for significant dedication in initiating contacts at other North Central Region chapters for the purpose of supporting their efforts; **Mr. Jeremy Olsen**, CSI, CCS, CCCA, AIA, LEED AP, for significant contribution of time, leadership and talent in chairing the Executive Director Search Committee and for offering sage and well-reasoned advice to the board; and **Mr. Chris Walsh**, CSI, CDT, LEED GA, for persevering and success in contacting and re-enlisting members who Lapsed during the extended Institute database conversion, and significant dedication to duties as Membership Chair



Left to Right: Elias, Chris, Matt, Peter, Randall, Jeremy

Special awards were presented as follows:

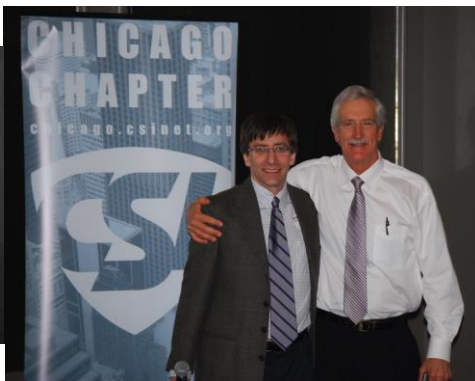
Rookie of the Year: to **Mr. Chris Carpenter**, CSI, CCPR, for enthusiasm in getting involved in chapter leadership and for hosting the May ASA-BEC-CSI Joint Roundtable and NeoCon Breakfast.

MVP Award: to **Mr. Kurt Moehlmann**, CSI, CDT, for rendering distinguished service to CSI and the Chicago Chapter for significant dedication, contribution of time to organizing CSI2eye and the Golf Outing.

President's Award: to **Mr. Tim Blatner**, CSI, CDT, for rendering distinguished service to CSI and the Chicago Chapter for significant dedication, contribution of time to organizing and coordinating multiple Chapter Programs and the Building Enclosure Event, and for organizing the digital conversion of the chapter's archives.



Rookie of the Year - Chris Carpenter



MVP - Kurt Moehlmann



President's Award - Tim Blatner

Finally, the chapter bestowed its highest award, the Chapter Fellow. Current Chapter Fellows **Ms. Renee S. Doktorczyk**, CSI, CCS, AIA, SCIP, FAIA, **Mr. Joseph A. Stypka**, FCSI, CCS, FAIA and **Mr. W. Dean Walker**, CSI, CCS, AIA introduced new the Fellow: **Mr. Randall A. Chapple**, CSI, CCS, AIA, SE, who was honored for rendering distinguished service to CSI and the Chicago Chapter over a career of significant involvement at all levels of leadership, serving on multiple committees, providing myriad education and technical programs, sharing knowledge generously, and mentoring upcoming CSI leaders.



Left to Right: Dean, Randall, Renee, Joseph



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Thank you to Howard Jancy and Custom Building Products for their generous sponsorship which continues to enabled the Chicago Chapter to offer this annual event under costs to attendees.

Many companies received awards at the event for their support to our chapter throughout the year.

Corporate Supporter Awards went to:

Platinum Partner **Pella EFCO Commercial Solutions**, for hosting the ASA-BEC-CSI Joint Roundtable and NeoCon Breakfast; Gold Partnership **Hafele** for hosting countless roundtables, certification classes and board/committee meetings; **Custom Building Products** for sponsoring the 63rd Annual Awards and Recognition Banquet; **Cannon Design** for hosting November Chapter Program; **Chicago Regional Council of Carpenters** for hosting April Chapter Program; **Goettsch Partners** for hosting Specifiers' Roundtable Events; **Epstein** for hosting Specifiers' Roundtable Events; **Roxul** for sponsoring the Building Enclosure Event; **DuPont Tyvek/Parksite** for sponsoring the Building Enclosure Event.

Partnership Awards went to:

Platinum Partnership to **Pella EFCO Commercial Solutions**, **Marvin Windows and Doors**, **Laticrete SUPERCAP LLC**, **Petersen Aluminum Corporation**, **MAPEI** and **Behr Process Corporation**

Gold Partner to **Chicagoland Roofing Council**, **Hafele** and **Rulon International**

Silver Partner to **ArchiTech Consulting, Inc.**, **International Masonry Institute**, **EMSEAL JOINT SYSTEMS, LTD.** and **Allegion, plc.**



New Members and Milestone Anniversaries also recognized:

New Members (joined since May 2015):

- Charles Arko, CSI, CDT
- Denny Beckerman, CSI*
- Jason Bellis, CSI, RRO
- Nicole Bird, CSI
- Alex Bitzenhofer, CSI
- Paul Burch, CSI
- Mr. Richard Christine, CSI
- Edwin Chung, CSI, CDT, AIA, LEED AP
- Mr. William Cohen, CSI, CDT
- Ms. Linda Considine, CSI
- Stephanie Cook, CSI-EP
- Joseph Cotten, CSI
- Mr. Carson Craddock, CSI, CDT
- Laura Desjarlais, CSI-EP
- Kyle Evans, CSI
- Mr. Ron Filarski, CSI

- Thomas Flynn, CSI
- Mrs. Jennifer Friedland, CSI
- Rebecca Greenberg, CSI-EP, CDT
- Mr. Jimmy Halliday, CSI
- William Jermain III, CSI
- Glenn Johnson, BA, CSI, AIA
- Mr. Hunter Johnston, CSI
- Mr. Tim Kehayias, CSI
- Eric Kleinschmidt, CSI
- Mr. Lance Krall, CSI
- Mr. Steve Leach, CSI
- Mr. Darryl Mallett, BA, CSI-EP, AIA
- Mr. Nick Mazzocco, CSI
- Julie Montrose, CSI, CDT
- Anthony Munson, CSI
- Mr. William Nagle, CSI
- Mr. John Neill, CSI
- Amanda Newberry, CSI
- Mrs. Jessica Newell, CSI
- William Orłowski, CSI
- Ms. Amy Patel, CSI
- Diane Petfalski, CSI
- Mr. Saydarasak Phonexayphova, CSI, CDT, LEED AP, NCARB
- Mr. Ken Rathbun, CSI-EP
- Katie Rampke, BA, CSI, AIA, USGBC
- Paul Rowan, CSI
- Melissa (Missy) Ruminski, CSI-EP
- Nick Savage, CSI
- Mr. Wesley Sherrer Jr., CSI
- Brian Shores, CSI
- Stephen Silva, CSI
- Mr. Curtis Stewart, CSI
- Michael Sullivan, CSI, CCCA, AIA
- Amish Thakker, CSI-EP
- Mr. Brian Valdez, CSI
- Diane Valentine, CSI, AIA, BFA, CCA, LEED GA, MRAIC, OAA, USGBC
- Jeffery Valentine, CSI
- Emily Van Tassel, CSI
- Joey Vartanian, CSI-EP
- Jason Walker, CSI
- Katelyn Walker, BS, CSI-EP, AIA, DHI, USGBC
- Mr. Jason Wilen, CSI, CDT, AIA, RRO
- Mrs. Yvonne Wojnar, CSI-EP, CDT
- Kurt Wenzel, CSI

New Chicago Members (joining Chicago Chapter from other CSI chapters since May 2015):

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| • Mr. Peter Baker, CSI, CCPR, LEED GA | 22 yrs |
| • Rebecca Booth, CSI-EP, CDT | 2 yrs |
| • Mr. Drew Clausen, CSI | 4 yrs |
| • Ms. Joy De Witt, CSI-EP, CDT | 2 yrs |
| • Mr. Jonathan Dunston, BS, CSI, CDT, LEED GA | 4 yrs |
| • Mr. Thomas Gliniecki, CSI | 2 yrs |
| • David O'Bryan Jr., CSI, CDT | 6 yrs |
| • Janet Piccola, FCSI | 31 yrs |
| • Mr. Ronald Reed, CSI, CCS, CCCA | 16 yrs |
| • Rafael Rivero, CSI, LEED GA | 4 yrs |
| • Mr. A. Seegers, CSI | 38 yrs |
| • Mr. Matthew Souza, CSI, CDT | 2 yrs |
| • Mr. Matt Spelde, CSI | 2 yrs |

5 year Anniversaires

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| • Mr. David Archer, CSI, AIA, LEED AP | • Kevin Hoheisel, CSI |
| • Mr. Frank Arevalo, CSI, RCI, USGBC | • Mr. Garrett Hovest, CSI |
| • Dianne Carey, BS, CSI, CDT, AIA, USGBC | • Mr. Alan Jorzak, BS, CSI, RCI |
| • Mr. Mike Foley, CSI, AHC | • Mr. Colin Marshall, CSI, AIA, LEED AP |
| • Ms. Yvonne Foley, CSI | • Mr. Robert Moretti, CSI, CDT |
| • Mrs. Laura Gagliano, CSI, AIA, Assoc. AIA | • Mr. William Schaefer, CSI |
| • Melissa Gibson, CSI, CCCA, AIA, LEED AP, NCARB | • Scott Sellers, CSI, RRO |
| | • Mr. Joseph Svejda, CSI |

10 year Anniversaires

- Mr. Brian Berg Jr., CSI
- Mr. Jeff Diqui, CSI
- Martin Gilson, CSI
- Michael Johnson, CSI
- Brian Lutey, CSI, CDT, LEED AP, USGBC
- Joseph Sennese, CSI
- Scott Wolff, CSI, CDT
- Ms. Laurie Woolverton, CSI, CCS, LEED AP
- Mr. Chris Wascher, CSI

20 Year Anniversaries

- Jerry DeCicco, CSI, LEED AP
- Mark Jones, CSI, CCS, AIA, LEED GA
- Mr. Peter Nutini, CSI, CDT
- Mary O'Hara, BA, MA, CSI, CCS
- Chris Walsh, CSI, CDT

25 Year Anniversaries

- Mr. Robert Boettcher, CSI, CCPR
- Mr. Thomas Kuhn, CSI, CDT
- Jeffrey Winick, CSI

30 Year Anniversaries

- Mr. Stuart Berger, RA, CSI, CCS, AIA
- Mr. Dennis Langley, CSI
- Kenneth Lies, CSI
- Mr. Jeff Lucas, CSI

35 Year Anniversaries

- Mr. Brian Berg Sr., CSI
- Mr. Denny Lawson, CSI, CDT

50 Year Anniversary

- Mr. W. Dean Walker, CSI, CCS, AIA, SCIP

Pictures courtesy of Alan Jorzak, CSI, RCI. Check out our [Chicago CSI Facebook](#) page for more pictures from the event.