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## **CHANGE ORDER**

**NEWS AND INFORMATION FOR  
CSI CHICAGO MEMBERS  
SEPTEMBER 2011**

### **Congratulations to Members Celebrating September Anniversaries**

#### **Continuous Years as a Member**

**50** Mr. Edward R. Teske, CSI, Member Emeritus; **38** Mr. Rodney N. Lind, CSI, CCS, Skidmore Owings & Merrill LLP; **26** Mr. Ronald E. Rediger, CSI, CDT, Rediger Associates, Inc.; **22** Mr. Craig A. Taylor, CSI, Taylor Coating Sales, Inc.; **20** Jeffrey H. Winick, CSI, Harris Winick LLP; Mr. Richard E. Fencel, CSI, CDT, Gensler; **17** Ms. Sue Ellen C. Edwards, MBA, CSI, MPM; Mr. Dennis Devin Fitzpatrick, CSI, Clausen Miller P.C.; **11** Richard G. Fost, CSI, CCS, AIA, LEED AP, AltusWorks; **10** Mr. Chet A. Cobb, CSI, CDT, Ardmore Associates; **9** Mr. Nolan Day, CSI, CDT, Day Architectural Marketing; **8** Angus MacMillan, CSI, DORMA Entrance Systems; Henry K. Yung, RA, CSI, Linn-Maths, Inc.; **7** Ms. Tabitha S. Ruiz, CSI, CDT, Georgia Pacific Gypsum; **6** Glenn J. Johnson, BA, CSI, AIA, Klein and Hoffman; **5** Ms. Lisa A. Honaman, MBA, CSI, Dow Corning Corporation; **3** Mr. Bryce A. Hanson, CSI, CDT, Construction Specialties; **2** Mr. Dillan E. Smith, CSI; **2** Mr. Kellan J. Dillon, CSI, CCPR, Andersen Windows, Inc.; **1** Mr. Vinicio Tresin, CSI, Crown Polymers LLC;

#### **New Members Joining in August**

Mrs. Rueshon Dantzler, CSI-EP, Crane Composites;  
Mr David Bryan Archer, CSI, AIA, LEED AP, HOK  
Mr Robert Charles Moretti, CSI, Tremco Inc.

#### **Welcome Back to the Chapter**

Mr. John P. Titus, RA, CSI, AIA, LEED AP

#### **Member Milestones**

Jacob Mathew, Dow, has recently accepted a new position within Dow Chemical as an account executive and will be moving on his Architectural Account Manager role within Dow Building Solutions

Transitioning into the role will be Norah Prombo. Norah joined Dow in 2007 and has many years of architectural experience and is extremely familiar with all of Dow Building Solutions products and solution offerings. She will be your main point of contact moving forward and can assist you with whatever you may need. Norah's contact information for your records is:

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## Chapter Volunteers Needed

**Graphics Chair & Committee** Help create website ads for the chapter and sponsors. Assist with newsletter formatting & graphics. Development of a Chicago Chapter logo and/or 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Logo.

**Public Relations Chair & Committee** Notify professional organizations of CSI Events. Submit information about CSI members and events to media.

**Membership co-chair** Welcome new members by email and/or phone. Invite new members to meetings. Assist chair in membership recognition and mentoring of new members.

**Certification Reporter for Newsletter.** Help with the newsletter section called “Are you smarter than a CDT?” A list of sample exam questions are available, and volunteer would be in charge of selecting 4 questions each month, putting in a Word Document, and submitting to chapter for publication each month.

Let us know if you have an interest in these or other committees or start your own!  
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**& 55<sup>th</sup> Annual CSI Convention**  
**September 13 – 16 McCormick Place**

## CSI Member Recruitment Special at Construct 2011

### 50% off Institute Dues, 50% off Chicago Chapter Dues for New Members

Do you have a colleague or associate who has been thinking about joining CSI Chicago, but just needs an extra nudge?

Encourage them stop by the Host Booth (McCormick Place, Lakeside, Lobby) at Construct anytime during the show and pick up the Chicago chapter's membership enrollment form with this special offer.

- Applications must be received at the Institute by September 26.
- Not available for renewals.
- Professional Membership only (formerly titled Professional or Industry) Student/Emerging Professional does not qualify
- Forms are only available at the Host Booth at Construct.

## Attend Construct 2011

Learn real world building solutions you can use immediately and fulfill your annual education needs with more than 12 continuous hours of education over four days. It's an education bargain bonanza: The event is your most cost-effective strategy for combining educational opportunities with product and service solutions for your business success. This event is dedicated to the institutional, industrial and commercial building industry. If you design, build, specify, engineer, renovate or operate in the built environment, this is your event.

You'll see hundreds of exhibitors displaying new trends and practices on the show floor. With non-conflicting education hours, earn AIA/LUs, HSWs, and SDs in unique, accredited courses focused on the needs and interests of the commercial building industry.

Programs and special events include CSI's annual convention activities, technical tours, and a general session featuring keynote speaker **Cameron Sinclair of Architecture for Humanity**. Networking opportunities include the Welcome Reception, the CSI Gala and other social events.



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## Chicago Chapter Members Presenting Seminars at Construct2011

Experts from across the country will be on hand to offer cutting edge knowledge, accredited education and unparalleled insight. Included are the following seminars from CSI Chicago Members Presenting:

### **September 13**

8:30am-10:00am *"Factory Preblended Mortar for Masonry Construction"*

Philip D. Eenigenburg, SpecMix, PCI

4:00pm - 5:30pm TU15 Beyond Performance: *"Assessing the Sustainability of Windows"*

Dan R. Smith, Marvin Windows

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## CSI Chicago Chapter Members- Thank You- Big Time!

There were over 200 volunteer slots filled for Construct/55<sup>th</sup> Annual CSI Convention from our members. Amazing how everyone stepped in. A monumental coordination job by Renee Doktorczyk, CSI, CCS, AIA, SCIP, ArchiTech Consulting [rdoktorczyk@architechspeg.com](mailto:rdoktorczyk@architechspeg.com). See everyone soon!

### **Convention Schedule**

Tuesday, September 13 (Pre-Convention Events & Education)

Wednesday, September 14 – Friday, September 16, 2011 (Exhibits)

Wednesday, September 14 (Opening General Session)

Wednesday, September 14 – Friday, September 16, 2011 (Education)

Thursday, September 15, Host Chapter Architectural Boat Cruise

Friday, September 16 CSI Annual Meeting; CSI Honors & Awards Gala

Saturday, September 17 – Sunday, September 18 (CSI Board Meeting)

### **Chicago Chapter Members Encouraged to Attend the CSI Annual Meeting & Member Forum Friday September 16, 2:15 PM to 4:00 PM**

Agenda includes:

- Institute Awards – Chicago to receive 2 awards
- Student Competition Winning Team
- Institute Update
- Annual Business Meeting – State of the Union by Walt Marlow



Voting Procedures:

- CSI Chicago members may register to be a voting participant (optional)
- Members must register by noon on September 16 at the Voter Registration Desk, located near the Host chapter CSI booth.
- Each Voting Member will be issued an appropriate Voting Member ribbon.
- Emerging Professional Members will be issued an appropriate Emerging Professional Member ribbon.
- Only accredited Voting Members and Emerging Professional Members may participate in the voting at the Annual Meeting, but all members may attend.

### **Like CSI on Facebook**

If you have a facebook account and would like to view postings, go to your FACEBOOK account and search CSI Chicago. Please click on the LIKE button.



## ChicagoFormat Guide to Chicago Includes for Construct Attendees.



### CHICAGOFORMAT 2011 EDITION

MASTER LIST OF THINGS TO DO WHILE YOU ARE AT CONSTRUCT 2011 IN CHICAGO

#### *ChicagoFormat* Groups and Divisions

##### The Necessary Information Group

Division 01 – Overview  
Division 02 – Transportation  
Division 03 – Food

Division 04 – Architecture  
Division 05 – Museums  
Division 06 – Sporting Events

##### The Fun Group

Make sure to download your copy for a great guide to Chicago. Thank you to member input for this comprehensive guide. Available online through Sept.23. Thank you to Randy Chapple and Goettsch Partners for printing ChicagoFormat for Construct/55<sup>th</sup> Annual CSI Convention.

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**Architecture Boat Cruise  
Host Chapter Event for Convention Attendees  
Thursday September 15**

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## Student Event at Construct2011 & CSI Convention

If you know an architecture or construction student or even more important, an Architecture professor, let them know about an exciting emerging professional event at the convention. **“Chicago Discovery Event”** is free, fun, and it will get students involved in the Chicago design and construction community and the convention exhibit hall. Students will be organized in teams and will compete to answer questions while visiting architecture landmarks, design firms and exhibitor booths at the convention. The Exhibit Hall is free to students, and there is no cost to enter the competition. Sponsorships and donations are needed to provide well-earned prizes to student.

Thank you to Prize Sponsor Marvin Windows. Still time to help out and become a prize sponsor for great exposure.

[Participation Information>>](#)

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## Become a Partner of CSI Chicago

By advertising on the website, the newsletter, or sponsoring events, you are supporting the chapter and its mission to provide continuing education, increased knowledge, and networking opportunities with all members of the project team.

The Chicago Chapter is no longer a joint sponsor of the Architecture and Conference, and encourages our valued members to participate with CSI in other areas.

There are numerous ways to become involved, increase your brand awareness and support the chapter's education goals. Whether an ad on the website, in the newsletter, or sponsorship of an event, certification class or golf outing, your help is welcome at any level. Based on your monetary commitments, there are additional benefits for partners. For a list of opportunities, contact [chicagocsi@aol.com](mailto:chicagocsi@aol.com).

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## Certification News

The Chicago Chapter will be conducting its highly-acclaimed and extremely successful CDT certification classes starting January 9, 2012 in preparation for the March/April exam. Alan B. Itzkowitz, AIA, CSI, CCS, CCA, NCARB, LEED AP is the chair of this year's program and will enlist some of the brain trust of the chapter as instructors. Although this course is structured to prepare students for the CDT exam, many architects and other design and construction professionals have benefits from the wealth of knowledge contained in the course. Priority for the class is given to members. 15.0 AIA/LU's are given for those attending 8 of the 10 classes. Registration will be open in November, 2011, and information will be available on the Chicago chapter [website>>](#).

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## New Membership Classifications

CSI is now implementing new member classifications approved by the membership earlier this year during the 2011 CSI Election. Both professional and industry members will now be designated as "Professional Members", and student members will be titled "Emerging Professionals". Membership renewals will reflect Professional and Emerging Professional categories, as will the Leader Toolbox reports. Questions? Contact CSI at [csi@csinet.org](mailto:csi@csinet.org).

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## Welcome New CSI Social Media Chair

Scott Conwell, CSI, CDT, AIA, International Masonry Institute

Scott is not a newcomer to CSI Chicago after have serving as a Director of the Board in the past. He was also involved in previous CSI Conventions in Chicago in 2004, 2005 and 2006. Scott has volunteered to spearhead our social media, which includes Facebook, LinkedIn, and Twitter. Make sure to join the groups for continuous updates on CSI activities. Comments, suggestions, and participation in this endeavor can be directed to [sconwell@imiweb.org](mailto:sconwell@imiweb.org)

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To log in, you'll need your CSINet username and password. If you are visiting for the first time, you must log in with the Username that has been preset for you.

The login is:

Username: firstname@lastname (ie John@Smith)

Password: Your CSI Member ID number

Your Member ID can be found on your CSI membership card or above your name on the Construction Specifier mailing label.

If you have already logged in to CSINet, use the Username and Password you've chosen. If you've forgotten them, just click "Forget your pass word?" and follow

the directions, or contact CSI Member Services at [csi@csinet.org](mailto:csi@csinet.org) or (800) 689-2900.

2. Click "Modify your profile" in the Member Box (where the Login box used to be).

3. Click "Update your contact info." Your information will appear at the bottom of the page.

4. Click "Business" or "Home," depending on what information you want to modify.

5. Make changes in the boxes that appear on the screen, then click "Submit."

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