

# NAWIC NETWORK

Eugene Chapter No. 77  
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**December 2011**

## Important Dates:

### **14<sup>th</sup> General Meeting**

**Topic:** Christmas Party

**Location:** Carrie Fortier's home

**Time:** 5:30

### **XX<sup>th</sup> - Board Meeting**

**Location:** No Meeting this month

**Time:**

### **14<sup>th</sup> - Casual Luncheon**

**Location:** Kabuki's  
2130 W. 11<sup>th</sup> Avenue,  
Eugene

**Time:** 12:00 noon

## **A Message from our President, Janet Spriggs P.E.**

Ladies - here's to a happy, healthy and memorable 2011 Holiday Season! I'm keeping this short because we are all very busy with family, shopping, work, holiday parties, football games (go DUCKS) and so many other wonderful activities this time of year.

I would like to thank, in advance, each and every one of you who participate in our annual Shelter Care family holiday adoption program, your generosity and giving hearts will truly bless the family we are providing for this year (wish list attached here in the newsletter)! Our family of 5, which include Mom, Dad, and three kids ranging in age from 6 to 11, I'm sure will be so appreciative to receive our Christmas gifts. I have to say, it's just one more reason why I'm so glad to be a part of this wonderful organization - each of you and the wonderful things we can accomplish together for our community! Don't forget, all items are due to me (wrapped and marked) no later than Monday, December 19 as the entire gift package is to be delivered to Shelter Care by that Wednesday (12/21) - if you can, bring your items to our holiday party on Wednesday, December 14<sup>th</sup> at Carrie Fortier's home! THANK YOU!

I hope you all are able to join us at Carrie's house - what a wonderful opportunity for us ladies to simply sit back and enjoy each other's company, with some yummy food and a fun ornament exchange too! Remember - your ornament value shouldn't exceed \$5 - so keep your eyes peeled as you are out there doing your holiday shopping for just that right ornament! A big THANKS to Carrie for hosting this event for us once again - we appreciate the effort that goes into preparing and "putting back together" your home, especially this time of year!

We have some exciting events coming up, just round the corner - so be sure to attend our January meeting on January 11<sup>th</sup> to hear all about them and to support your NAWIC chapter as we move forward on a NEW YEAR of enhancing the success of women in construction!

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# OUR CHAPTER

## NAWIC Links:

Chapter 77

[www.nawiceugene.org](http://www.nawiceugene.org)

NAWIC Region 9

[www.nawicregion9.org](http://www.nawicregion9.org)

NAWIC National

[www.nawic.org](http://www.nawic.org)

NEF

[www.nawiceducation.com](http://www.nawiceducation.com)

Facebook

<http://www.facebook.com#!/pages/NAWIC-Chapter-77-Eugene-OR/345872574621>

As our membership grows it's important that we celebrate each other's lives and accomplishments, please make sure and send me information about something special in your life or in the life of one of our fellow members so we can share that information with the rest of the group ~ Thanks, Carrie

## December NAWIC Anniversaries

<u>Member</u>	<u># of Years</u>	<u>Year Joined</u>
Ellie Cooper	29	1982
Jeanne Staton	25	1986
Jenny West	4	2007

## 2011- 2012 CHAPTER LEADERSHIP:

### OFFICERS:

*President* – Janet Spriggs, P.E.

*Vice President* – Diana Corbin

*Secretary* – Jenny West

*Treasurer* – Sharon Anderson

*Immediate Past President* Robin Langkamp, CIT

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Ellie Cooper

Cary Kuvaas

Amanda Ring

Ann Schafer



Nancy Ograin 12th

Anne Thompson 14th

Janet Spriggs 21st

Did we miss your birthday? Please let Carrie know at [cfortier@jrcca.com](mailto:cfortier@jrcca.com) !

## **Want to Print a Chapter Roster?**

All NAWIC members can go Online at [www.nawic.org](http://www.nawic.org) and download a current chapter or region roster. Here are the steps:

1. Go to [www.nawic.org](http://www.nawic.org) > Member Log In > Member Center > Member Directory.
2. Select "Chapter Name" or "Region Number" from the pull down menu.
3. Select "Excel" as output.
4. Select "Search."

**Block Kids Competition:** The date is set for February 18<sup>th</sup> and we are again partnering with The Science Factory. Please see flyers at end of the newsletter and print, post and/or distribute in your office.

Thanks, Nancy Ograin



# OUR CHAPTER

## NAWIC's Core Purpose

To enhance the success of women in the construction industry.

## NAWIC's Core Values

Believe in ourselves as women, persevere with the strength of our convictions, dare to move into new horizons

## NAWIC's Core Objectives

- To unite for their mutual benefit women who are actively employed in the various phases of the construction industry.
- To promote cooperation fellowship and a better understanding among members of the association.
- To promote education and contribute to the betterment of the construction industry.
- To encourage women to pursue and establish their careers in the construction industry.
- To provide members an awareness of legislative process and legislation as it relates to the construction industry.

## UPCOMING MEETING TOPICS:

**December:** Annual Christmas Party hosted by Carrie Fortier, we will again be doing the annual ornament exchange, please bring a wrapped ornament with a value of less than \$10.00 if you would like to participate, we will also be gathering the gifts for our sponsor family that evening – see details below for the information on the family.

**January:** APEX Block™ is a revolutionary energy saving building product that provides protection against flood, fire, high winds, earthquakes and infestation. Unlike other Insulated Concrete Forms (ICFs), APEX Block™ fits together in a Keystone Interlocking System™ and eliminates the time and cost of expensive bracing and connection methods. By simplifying the construction process one is able to Build Smart, Build Faster and Build Greener. APEX Block™ can be utilized in consumer DIY projects, rehabilitation construction, residential construction and commercial construction. Speaker will be Michael Haynesm Apex Block representative

**February:** Passive House - Energy efficient and air tight to create enough internal heat to sufficiently heat a 1500 sq ft home by use of heat created by lights, refrigerator, and humans, etc (Jan Fillinger,AIA, LEED ap with Studio E Arch)

## MONTHLY LUNCHEON SCHEDULE:

Come join us for Chapter 77's monthly casual lunches, which are always held the 3rd Wednesday of the month. The purpose of these lunches is for our members to have a chance to get to know one another better in a casual/social setting; we hope to see you there!

- **December 14th Kabuki's** (Japanese), 2130 W. 11th, Eugene
- **January 18th Louie's Village** (Chinese), 947 Franklin Blvd, Eugene
- **February 15th Ambrosia** (Italian), 174 E Broadway, Eugene
- **March 21st Café Lucky Noodle** (Thai), 207 E. 5th, Eugene
- **April 18th Hole in the Wall** (BBQ), Spfd Location
- **May 16th Steelhead Brewery** (all American), 199 E. 5th Ave Eugene
- **June 20th Don Juan's** (Mexican), 2650 River Road, Eugene
- **July 18th McGrath's Fish House** (Seafood), 1036 Valley River
- **August 15th McMenamins** (all American), 22 Club Rd, Eugene
- **September 19<sup>th</sup> Meza Luna** (pizza) –Crescent village, Eugene



# OUR CHAPTER

## Recap of Last Months Meeting

### Industry Connections in our area:

#### **AGC – Associated General Contractors of Oregon-Columbia**

[www.agc-oregon.org](http://www.agc-oregon.org)

Call 800-826-6610 or  
contact Jeanne Staton at  
[jeanne@statonco.com](mailto:jeanne@statonco.com)

#### **CFMA – Construction Financial Management Association**

[www.cfma.org](http://www.cfma.org)

Meeting times and dates  
vary

For more information  
contact Sandee Gerber at  
[sandee@twinrp.com](mailto:sandee@twinrp.com)

#### **CSI – Construction Specification Institute**

[www.csiwvc.org](http://www.csiwvc.org)

Meets the last Thursday  
of each month at the  
Eugene Hilton, top floor,  
Vista room.

Social 5:30 pm, Dinner  
6:30, Program after, Cost  
\$25.00

Call 541-687-0129 or  
contact Brenda at  
[bab@mrrichards.com](mailto:bab@mrrichards.com)

#### **HBA - Home Builders Association**

[www.hbalanecounty.org](http://www.hbalanecounty.org)

Meets the last Tuesday of  
every month at the HBA  
office

5:30 pm Cost is \$xx  
Call 541-686-6529 or  
contact Linda at

[lindac@hblanecounty.org](mailto:lindac@hblanecounty.org)

Our speaker at the November meeting was Robin Matthews, CPA from Jones & Roth PC. She talked about the “Dirty Dozen” which are the red flags that could cause an audit by the IRS. The IRS has hired many new auditors and many are not fully trained. Robin says Oregon auditors are even worse and they can be very invasive. The construction industry is a particular area of concern as 78% of the fraud cases are in this industry. Independent contractors are closely looked at and there is a high risk of being audited. You must meet a 20 point test to be classified as an independent contractor. Fortunately there is an amnesty program if you are pushing the issue.

Robin talked about the cases that the individual ended up in prison for fraud. Examples include failure to file return, undocumented workers, and cheating on employment taxes, inflated billings. Robin pointed out you don’t have to be the owner of the business to have personal responsibility. A bookkeeper got 15 months for not paying payroll taxes withheld from employees.

The “Dirty Dozen” are:

**1-Failure to report all taxable income**

**2-Home buyer credit** You must provide proof you actually bought a home

**3-Claiming large charitable deductions:** Get a receipt and keep it

**4- Home Office deductions.** Make sure it’s a dedicated business only space

**5- Business Meal & Entertainment.** You must have adequate records (itemized receipts) if over \$75 and state who you were with and the purpose of the meeting. A credit card receipt is not acceptable. Oregon requires a receipt even if under \$75.

**6- Claiming 100% business use of vehicle**

**7-Claiming a loss for hobby activity**

**8-Cash Businesses** – these types of businesses are more likely to win the audit lottery

**9- Failure to report foreign bank accounts**

**10-Engaging in currency transactions**

**11-Math errors**

**12-Taking higher-than-average deductions**

One interesting note is that all gift cards to employees along with service awards are considered an employee benefit and must be added to payroll. They are like cash. Businesses can expense anything that is a benefit for all the employees like a Christmas party, those expenses are not subject to the 50% meals and entertainment rule.

We enjoyed Robin’s talk and she had lots of interesting and good information.

Submitted by Nancy Ograin



## REGION 9 NEWS

### Region 9 leadership

#### **Oregon:**

Portland – Amanda Wilson  
Salem – Nancy Lingle

#### **Washington:**

Puget Sound – Sue Hart  
Spokane – Traci Kadoya  
Tacoma–Deborah Hickman  
Tri-Cities - Erin Repp

#### **Idaho:**

Boise – Toni Brown

Alaska – Darla Hall

### Region 9 committee chairs

CP/E: Valmarie Price  
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NEF Fundraiser: TBA

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Mentorship: Carol Helms  
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### **Upcoming Region 9 Events:**

April 14, 2012 **Forum**, Bend OR  
October 19, 2012 **APC**, Tacoma, WA  
Spring 2013 **Forumm**, Spokane, WA

Region 9 December Newsletter is posted on website.

### **Safety Newsletters**

The new NAWIC December Safety Newsletter along with the December OSHA Safety Newsletter are now posted on our web site on the "Newsletter tab".

### **NFSF**

Dear Region 9 NAWIC Members:

This is the season for giving and as 2011 comes to an end and you are considering your end of the year donations I would like to request that you consider a donation to the NAWIC Founders Scholarship Foundation (NFSF). NFSF is a scholarship program established to assist in providing the construction industry with trained employees through education. The scholarships are for students pursuing undergraduate studies as well construction trades.

- The Foundation is supported and maintained through income from investments of a trust fund. Income is obtained through voluntary contributions from NAWIC's affiliated Chapters, as well as other interested contributors – individual and corporate.
- Donations are tax deductible due to the Foundation's 509(a)(3) status.
- NAWIC members and families, who are not eligible for scholarships from NAWIC chapters under current IRS regulations, can apply for NFSF administered scholarships.

Donations can be made in any denomination at any frequency and can be made in honor or in memory of individuals. Please consider making a donation to NFSF and aid us in providing scholarships to men and women pursuing a career in the construction industry. Please indicate whether you want your donation to be put toward undergraduate or trades scholarships. All donations should be made out to NFSF and can be sent to:  
Tamie Taylor, NFSF Administrator, 6925 Big Mountain Drive, Anchorage, AK 99516. This year's scholarship applications are due in March, 2012 and will be awarded in May/June 2012.

Thank you for your consideration - Tamie Taylor, NFSF Administrator

*Have a wonderful Holiday season to all!*



# NAWIC NATIONAL

## National Leadership

**President:** Judy DeWeese,  
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**President-Elect:** Cindy  
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**Secretary:** Dove Sifers-Putman  
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**Executive Vice President:**  
Dede Hughes  
[dedeh@nawic.org](mailto:dedeh@nawic.org)

## Upcoming Annual Meeting and Convention dates and locations:

**August 29 – Sept. 1, 2012:**  
Denver, CO.

**August 28 – 31, 2013:**  
Bellevue, WA.

**September 3-6, 2014:**  
Indianapolis, IN.

**September 2-5, 2015:**  
Nashville, TN

## Newsletter Sponsorships available!

Is your company interested in being a sponsor on our website or in our newsletter? Contact Robin Langkamp for more information at [robin.langkamp@farweststeel.com](mailto:robin.langkamp@farweststeel.com)

## Highlights from the December The Connection

### **NAWIC Seeks NAWIC National Officer and Director Candidates**

The NAWIC office is requesting your assistance in seeking and encouraging qualified members to submit for candidacy for the offices of President-elect, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. If your Chapter has one or more prospective candidates.

The NAWIC office is also seeking qualified members to submit for candidacy as Region Director for even-numbered NAWIC Regions. If your Chapter has one or more prospective candidates for Region Director.

### **18th Annual Crystal Vision Awards**

Would you like to nominate a colleague for NAWIC's top honor? The Crystal Vision Awards Applications for the 2012 Crystal Vision Awards Program are now available at NAWIC Online. The awards celebrate the achievements of individuals with a clear vision for women in construction. NAWIC invites you to reach out to the entire construction industry by nominating individuals who exemplify the program's mission. Please consider outstanding NAWIC members and nonmembers you can nominate for these prestigious awards. The winners will be honored at NAWIC's 57th Annual Meeting and Educational Conference in Denver, Colo., Aug. 29-Sept. 1, 2012. Nominations may be emailed to [autumnd@nawic.org](mailto:autumnd@nawic.org). They must be received by March 15, 2012.

### **WIC Week 2012**

It seems like as soon as the holidays are over WIC Week is right around the corner. WIC Week 2012 will be here before we know it! Take a break from your Christmas shopping and visit the WIC Week website for information about WIC Week, forms and to order the 2012 pins and posters. You may also visit the WIC Week Store to order your posters and pins.

The pins are going fast so order early. The deadline to order is Feb. 1, 2011.

The posters are two sided again this year so you can use them for WIC Week and then turn them over and use the rest of the year. Be ready for WIC Week 2012 with pins and posters for all your chapter members!

### **NAWIC Media Kit Available Online**

The updated 2011-2012 NAWIC Media Kit is now available online.



## A Message from our President, Janet Spriggs P.E., continued

Note too that CSI is once again hosting their annual Construction Contract Documents and Construction Contract Administration Classes this coming January - refer to the attached forms for more information. The deadline for the reduced registration fees is December 16th.

Happy Holidays to you all - be safe, be happy and be rejuvenated this season!

*"You must give some time to your fellow men. Even if it's a little thing, do something for others - something for which you get no pay but the privilege of doing it."*

Albert Schweitzer

### Shelter Care Family Christmas wish list:

Food Box Items: Ham, biscuits / rolls, potatoes, yams, apple or pumpkin pie, maybe gingerbread house supplies... The kids would love it!

Household Items: Christmas tree, crock pot, or bake ware. "We as a family love Christmas, and all the decorations... Anything would be greatly appreciated!"

Mother, 31: Picture frames. Favorite color is blue. Shoes size 7-and-a-half. Shirt size 2X. Pants size 22/24.

Father, 25: Clothing. Favorite color is blue. Shoes size 8, shirt size L, pants size 32/30.

Rylee, 11: Bath items. Makeup stuff. Arts / crafts. Posters. Favorite color is green. Shoes size 9, shirt size XL Juniors. Pants size 13/14 Juniors.

Jacob, 8: Transformers, Cars ½. Lincoln Logs, games. Favorite color is orange. Shoes size 4, shirt size 10/12, and pants size 10/12.

Jalyn, 6: Anything animal. Remote controls, arts / crafts, Legos. Favorite color is blue. Shoes size 1, shirt size 10/12, and pants size 8/10.

\*All the kids love movies.

Our gifts are due to Shelter Care by Wednesday, December 21<sup>st</sup>, so I'd like to make sure we have all items, delivered to Janet by that Monday (19<sup>th</sup>) if at all possible. If you have something to include in our donation or plan to do so, please consider bringing your already wrapped item(s) to our holiday party coming up on Wednesday, December 14<sup>th</sup> at Carrie's house— this way we can group all of our stuff together!

Eva Godwin was a member of Eugene Chapter #77 for many years. She joined in 1964 or 1965, a couple years after our chapter was chartered. She was past president and attended many national conventions including the first one held in Anchorage, Alaska. She worked for O&S Contractors and S2 Industrial. Many of our members who knew her said she was a very professional, elegant lady. She is fondly remembered.

### **Eva Godwin Obituary**



**Eva  
Godwin**

SPRINGFIELD — The funeral will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 17, at Springfield Memorial Gardens & Funeral Home for Eva J. Moon Godwin of Springfield, who died Sept. 13 of Alzheimer's disease. She was 89. Visitation will be from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. Friday at the funeral home.

She was born Jan. 25, 1922, in Lockney, Texas, to Benjamin and Mary Knight Mudgett. She married James Moon Sr. on July 9, 1943, in Bremerton, Wash. He died Nov. 9, 1977.

She married Virgil Godwin on March 29, 1986, in Springfield. He died July 11, 1992.

She graduated from Albany High School in 1941. She worked as a bookkeeper and secretary and office manager for most of her working life.

Survivors include two daughters, Eva Nyburg of Springfield and Judith Bagley of Albuquerque, N.M.; two sons, James Moon Jr. of Lindsay, Okla., and Patrick Moon of Springfield; a stepson, Philip Moon of Kingman, Ariz.; two sisters, Inez Clendenen of Safford, Ariz., and Joan Prosize of Grants Pass; 14 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild. A stepson, Dee Moon, died Nov. 20, 1980; a daughter, Carolyn Parks, died Sept. 6, 1975; and a grandson, Philip Moon Jr., died March 10, 2001.

Burial will be at Springfield Memorial Gardens. Remembrances to the Alzheimer's Foundation.

## 2012 CSI CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT DOCUMENTS SEMINAR

On 10 consecutive Tuesday evenings the Willamette Valley Chapter of the Construction Specifications Institute (CSI) will conduct its 31<sup>st</sup> annual seminar designed to give each participant an in-depth understanding of construction contracts, specifications, the bidding process, construction contract administration, and generally how the Construction Industry works.

**Location:** Eugene Builders Exchange; 2460 W. 11<sup>th</sup> Ave.; Eugene, Oregon

**Time:** 6:00 to 8:00 pm

### **Dates, Topics, & Instructors:**

January 3, 2012	Construction Contract Methods & Bidding	West
January 10, 2012	Owner/Contractor Agreements	West
January 17, 2012	Contract Conditions	West
January 27, 2012	Contract Conditions	West
February 31, 2012	Construction Specifications	Edlund
February 7, 2012	Anatomy of a Specification	Edlund
February 14, 2012	Specifications Language	Edlund
February 21, 2012	Construction Law	Buchalter
February 28, 2012	Student Quiz Show & Exam Review	West & Edlund
March 6, 2012	Review	West & Edlund

### **Instructors:**

**Linn West, AIA, CSI, CDT:** Architect, consulting specifications writer, with 43 years experience.

**Paul Edlund, AIA, FCSI, CCS:** Architect, consulting specifications writer, with 58 years experience.

**Alan Buchalter, AIA, CSI:** Attorney, Architect, with 29 years experience.

### **Who can benefit from this Seminar:**

Architects, Engineers, Design Professional Interns, General Contractors, Subcontractors, Construction Managers & Superintendents, Material Manufacturers & Suppliers, Cost Estimators, Purchasing Agents, their Clerical Staffs, and Students.

The seminar will also be of particular value to those planning to take State Licensing Exams or CSI Certification Exams.

AIA Members can earn up to 20 HSW Learning Units, which can be self-reported to AIA/CES. All Registrants will receive a Certificate of Attendance.

**2012 CSI CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT DOCUMENTS SEMINAR**  
**REGISTRATION FORM**

*(One form per person please. Reproduce form as required.)*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Firm: \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Please Print)*

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Personal E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

CSI Member? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ *(Note: Only individuals can be CSI members - not firms)*  
 If not a CSI Member, would you like to receive CSI Membership Information? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

Are you planning to take any of the following examinations within the next 12 months?

Licensing Exams: Architecture \_\_\_ Engineering \_\_\_ Landscape Architecture \_\_\_

CSI Certification Exams: CDT \_\_\_ CCS \_\_\_ CCCA \_\_\_ CCPR \_\_\_

*Note: CSI Exams require separate registration and fee payment (Phone: 800-689-2900)*

Do you wish to receive AIA/CES Learning Units? No \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ (AIA Membership No.: \_\_\_\_\_)

**REGISTRATION FEES (For complete seminar course)**

	<u>Until Dec. 16</u>	<u>After Dec. 16</u>	
CSI Member (Membership No.: _____)	\$90.00	\$110.00	\$ _____
Non-Member	\$110.00	\$130.00	\$ _____
Intern (IDP, EIT, etc.)	\$30.00	\$45.00	\$ _____
Student (UO, OSU, LCC, etc.)	\$30.00	\$45.00	\$ _____
	<b>Total amount due</b>		<b>\$ _____</b>

**Enclosed Check Payment (Make checks payable to WVC/CSI)**

**Credit Card Payment**

Visa \_\_\_ MasterCard \_\_\_ Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name imprinted on Card: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Card Holder's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**STUDY MATERIALS**

The following Study Materials are necessary for those taking CSI Certification Exams, and will be highly valuable to others:

- CSI Project Resources Manual (formally Manual of Practice)
- Construction Documents Technologist (CDT) Examination Study Guide
- Certified Construction Specifier (CCS) Examination Study Guide *(for those taking CCS Exam)*

*Study Materials can be ordered on-line at [www.csinet.org/bookstore](http://www.csinet.org/bookstore) or by phone at (800) 689-2900.*

*Note: Study Material prices are subject to change.*

**QUESTIONS & REGISTRATION**

Direct questions, Registration Form, & Payment to:

Paul Edlund, FCSI, CCS, AIA  
 1643 Oak St.  
 Eugene, OR 97401  
 Phone: (541) 485-1941 Fax: (541) 343-8466

## 2012 CSI CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION SEMINAR

On 8 consecutive Monday evenings the Willamette Valley Chapter of the Construction Specifications Institute (CSI) will conduct its 31<sup>st</sup> annual seminar designed to give each participant an in-depth understanding of construction contract administration, and describe how proper contract administration can help achieve a successful project.

**Location:** Eugene Builders Exchange; 2460 W. 11<sup>th</sup> Ave.; Eugene, Oregon

**Time:** 6:00 to 8:00 pm

### **Dates, Topics, & Instructors:**

January 16, 2012	Project Delivery Systems Communications	Gunderson Boucock
January 23, 2012	Preconstruction Procedures Meetings & Quality	Deines McDonnell
January 30, 2012	Submittals	Hamilton
February 6, 2012	Construction Execution	Texter
February 13, 2012	Observations & Inspections Measurement & Payment	McDonnell Deines
February 20, 2012	Interpretations & Modifications	Hamilton
February 27, 2012	Time, Delays, Claims, & Disputes	Banks
March 5, 2012	Project Completion	McDonnell

### **Instructors:**

**Larry Banks, AIA, CSI;** Principal, Pivot Architecture with 22 years experience.  
**Jerry Boucock, CCCA:** Project Manager, Delta Construction (retired) with 29 years experience.  
**Tom Deines, FCSI, CCCA:** Project Manager, Wildish Construction with 32 years experience.  
**Eric Gunderson, AIA, CCS;** Principal, Pivot Architecture with 39 years experience.  
**Brian Hamilton, AIA, CCS, CCCA:** Project Architect, Robertson & Sherwood with 26 years experience.  
**Jerry McDonnell, AIA, CSI, NCARB:** Principal, Gerald McDonnell Architects with 47 years experience.  
**Jon Texter, CSI:** President, Essex Construction Co. with 42 years experience

### **Who can benefit from this Seminar:**

Architects, Engineers, Design Professional Interns, General Contractors, Subcontractors, Construction Managers, Construction Superintendents, their Clerical Staffs, and Students.

The seminar will also be of particular value to those planning to take State Licensing Exams or CSI Certification Exams.

AIA Members can earn up to 16 HSW Learning Units, which can be self-reported to AIA/CES.  
 All Registrants will receive a Certificate of Attendance.

## 2012 CSI CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION SEMINAR REGISTRATION FORM

(One form per person please. Reproduce form as required.)

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(Please Print)

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CSI Member (Membership No.: _____)	\$90.00	\$110.00	\$ _____
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Intern (IDP, EIT, etc.)	\$30.00	\$45.00	\$ _____
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### STUDY MATERIALS

The following Study Materials are necessary for those taking CSI Certification Exams, and will be highly valuable to others:

CSI Project Resources Manual (*formally Manual of Practice*)  
Certified Construction Contract Administrator (CCCA) Examination Study guide

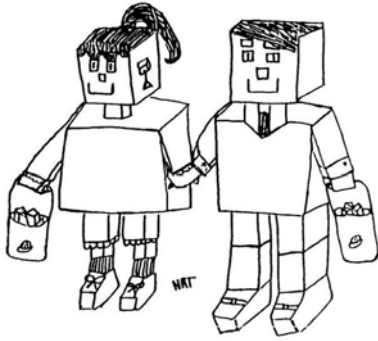
*Study Materials can be ordered on-line at [www.csinet.org/bookstore](http://www.csinet.org/bookstore) or by phone at (800) 689-2900.*

*Note: Study Material prices are subject to change.*

### QUESTIONS & REGISTRATION

Direct questions, Registration Form, & Payment to:

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# Block Kids Competition

Saturday, February 18, 2012

Gateway Mall (Center Court)

1:00 PM to 3:30 PM

Check-In 1:00 PM to 1:30 PM

Contest begins at 1:30 PM

Come join us for a morning of fun and excitement! Block Kids is a **free** event designed for grade school aged children - 1st through 6th grade. This event introduces children to careers in the construction industry and encourages them to use their imagination to create a structure with a specific set of material. It also allows children to explore how and why a structure is built.

How the competition works: Each participant will be given 100 interlocking blocks and their choice of three of four other building materials (foil, poster board, rock, or string). They may build any structure of their choice. The projects will be judged by local construction industry professionals and the grand prize winner's entry will be entered in the regional competition, with a chance at competing on a national level. All Eugene top finishers' projects will be on display at the Science Factory following the competition. Each child who participates in the contest receives a goody bag.

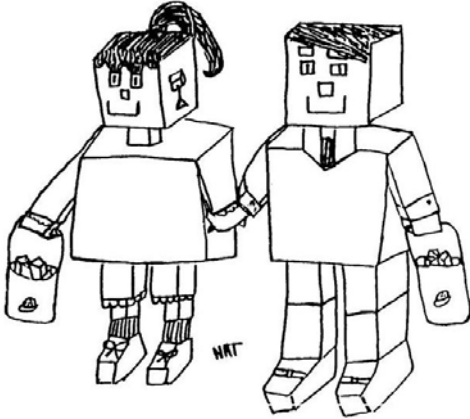
Registration is required as space is limited. To download a pre-registration form visit [www.sciencefactory.org/special\\_events.shtml](http://www.sciencefactory.org/special_events.shtml) or come to the Science Factory to pre-register.

For more information contact: Nancy Ograin at 541-935-7065 or [nancy.ograin@gmail.com](mailto:nancy.ograin@gmail.com)

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## **JUDGES WANTED FOR Block Kids Competition**

Saturday, February 18, 2012

Gateway Mall

Contest: 1:30 PM to 3:30 PM

Judges need to be there by 1:15 PM

### **What is the "Block Kids Competition"?**

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### **Why we need you!**

Our local construction industry professionals judge the projects: architects, engineers, contractors, and subcontractors, evaluate each entry by asking each child the same set of questions and scoring the responses. Most importantly, the judges encourage the children to tell his or her own story. All you need to bring is your hard hat and clip board!

If you can help please contact:

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