



07:45 AM [Registration & Continental Breakfast](#)

08:00 AM **Prefabricated Ornamental Railing Systems**

This course is designed to teach the attendee the differences between custom ornamental railing systems fabricated locally versus those fabricated 100% offsite.

Kevin Harris

Kevin Harris is the Director of Sales & Marketing at AGS Stainless, Inc. (AGS), a railing manufacturer specializing in 100% offsite fabrication of custom railing systems. Before his position with AGS, Mr. Harris founded 4 industry-leading firms including 2 information technology firms; one specializing in the creation of web-based process management tools for Fortune 100 corporations and one that specialized in building predictive modeling applications for federal agencies. He also founded a real estate development firm that spearheaded the restoration and redevelopment of a historic seaport communities' downtown waterfront, as well as organizing and founding a state-chartered, community bank; which when it opened, was the fastest bank to receive a charter in the history of Washington State. Mr. Harris currently serves as Past Chair, of the American Institute of Architects National Custom Residential Architects Network (CRAN). He also serves as Past Co-chair, of the Board of Trustees for the National Association of Home Builders Leading Supplier's Council (NAHB LSC).

AGS Stainless Inc. Provider #: 404108593

AIA #:K1608D HSW | GBCI (USGBC/CAGBC) #:920020642

09:00 AM **Coating of Aluminum Extrusions**

Provides an overview of aluminum extrusion coatings and includes discussions on the aluminum extrusion process; a comparison of powder and liquid coatings; an overview of the chrome and the chrome-free pretreatment processes; and, the performance objectives of AAMA testing standards.

Taylor Coley

Barrette Outdoor Living Inc. Provider #: J696

AIA #:AG1012020 HSW

10:00 AM [Break](#)

10:10 AM **Code Compliant Exterior Systems for Wood-Framed Building Envelopes**

This course investigates the most recent code changes emphasizing building envelope performance. We will explore next generation integrated solutions that simultaneously provide protection against moisture penetration, air leakage, and thermal bridging. Installation benefits and on-site quality control issues related to multi-solution integrated systems will also be evaluated.

Brian Shores

Huber Engineered Woods Provider #: K094

AIA #:HEW 505.1 HSW

11:10 AM

Western Red Cedar, Distinctive Sustainable Design

The Western Red Cedar Lumber Association (WRCLA) is a Non-Profit trade association that was established in 1954. We offer training to discerning users of WRC including the architect community. Western Red Cedar Distinctive Sustainable Designs is a one-hour, face-to-face training session developed for the architect community and provided by WRCLA qualified trainers. Through this one hour session, architects will increase their knowledge of WRC; its' properties and performance characteristics.

Paul Mackie

Western Red Cedar Lumber Assn (WRCLA) Provider #: G422

AIA #:WRCLA5 HSW | GBCI (USGBC/CAGBC) #:920027450

12:10 PM

Lunch

01:00 PM

Biophilic Design for All: Affordable, Low-Maintenance Materials That Mimic Nature

Most architects have heard about biophilic design and agree with the concept of bringing the outdoors inside. However, very few designers take purposeful steps to incorporate it into their plans. Designers may assume that biophilic design is expensive or high maintenance, reserved for only those high-end projects. One may assume that bringing nature inside is complicated and requires customization. An architect may assume that some projects don't warrant biophilia, like a warehouse. In this one-hour course, we'll address those assumptions that hold architects back. We'll introduce a simulated-wood product that mimics nature and delivers that positive human response. You'll see numerous design ideas and applications that exemplify economical and low maintenance solutions for any project type. At the end of the course, we think you'll agree that biophilic design is obtainable for any project and every occupant.

Mark Hoenisch

Modern Mill Provider #: 10009174

AIA #:MMBiophilic HSW

02:00 PM

Specifying Vinyl and Aluminum Railing Systems

This course provides an understanding of vinyl and aluminum railing systems including components and assembly. We'll review ADA-compliance requirements for the graspable handrail and code requirements specific for rail systems, dictated by the ICC. We'll discuss the common benefits of vinyl and aluminum railings including safety, durability, low maintenance, high strength, and flexible design. The environment-conscious elements of these railing systems including materials selection, manufacturing processes, and LEED contribution will be described. Lastly, this course provides ideas and applications appropriate for vinyl and aluminum railing systems.

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03:00 PM

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