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Mix Topic - Mid Atlantic Region  
Wednesday, May 12, 2021



08:00 AM [Welcome, Credits, and Certificates](#)

08:10 AM **Eliminating Concrete Moisture through Sustainable Design**

Few aspects of the design process are conducted in “silos” as disassociated from one another as how many projects approach interior concrete slab specifications and subsequent flooring specification sections. This is not done intentionally, rather it is by-product of lack of coordination, and fundamental misunderstanding, between those involved with the structural elements and those involved with the aesthetic and finishing elements. During this presentation, we will discuss sustainability and what it means; drawing the attendee into a clear discussion of how sustainability relates to LEED, Lean Construction, Green Building, and process improvement. Inconsistencies with current specification processes related to concrete moisture as compared to the tenets of sustainability will be exposed, with clear recommendations given as to how the specifying professional can resolve those disconnects.

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09:10 AM **Making Sense of Sealants**

Participants will learn about the different families of sealants and how to choose the correct product for each application. We will discuss the effect of UV light on sealants and the difference between structural or non structural silicon sealant. And finally, the importance of surface preparation before sealing joints.

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10:10 AM [Break](#)

10:20 AM [Sponsor: TRIFORCE Open Joist - Built by Barrette - Caroline Auger](#)

10:30 AM **Understanding Material Hazard, Exposure and Risk in the Built Environment**

Product and materials selection is a critical aspect of the building design and construction process. A variety of factors drive materials selection decisions, including sustainability, health and wellness issues like indoor air quality, and the desire for innovative, functional, state-of-the-art building spaces that meet 21st century needs.

Learning Objectives:

- 1) Understand the differences between hazard, exposure, and risk in terms of chemical ingredients and materials selection
- 2) Recognize the limitations of hazard-only thinking when selecting building materials
- 3) Understand how to make comparisons of products based on ingredients, performance, cost and life cycle impacts
- 4) Identify the tools available to evaluate the safety of building products and materials

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## Introduction to Engineered Glazed Timber Curtain Wall

Architects and Construction professionals understand the numerous benefits of building with wood. But, many are unaware of its application for a GLAZED TIMBER CURTAIN WALL (TCW). Today's advanced glazing technology provides opportunities to incorporate the beauty and energy-efficiency of wood into glazed facades that not only bring the outdoors in but also can serve as the building's heavy lifter. This course will present the differences between a conventional non-load-bearing curtain wall and a timber curtain wall (TCW) with load-bearing and non-load-bearing capabilities. We will also show applications of Timber projects using glulam mullions in North America.

Jim O'Connor

A construction executive and building envelope professional with a focus on architectural facades, windows, and high-performance cladding & rainscreen systems. Experienced with architectural structures, building envelopes and luxury residential & high end commercial building products. Experienced management executive with an understanding of construction practices and installation techniques. Possessing strong solution-oriented and outcomes based selling skills and the ability to develop strong relationships with Architects, CMs, General Contractors, Building Envelope Consultants, and Subcontractors.

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Lunch

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Sponsor: Art Massif Wood Structure - Geneviève Constancis

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## Get Inspired! Design Smarter, Safer, and Greener with Innovation in Wood-Framed Construction 2020

Wood is a frequently overlooked building material for light-medium-commercial construction including mid-rise, multi-family, and mixed-use projects. This course features several North American examples that highlight the surprising capabilities of this natural resource. Many architects, engineers, and project owners often default to steel and concrete instead of wood for wall, floor, and roof assemblies. This course outlines: - common misconceptions and capabilities of code-approved wood applications. - the environmental and structural benefits of this sustainable natural resource. - the virtues of wood when engineered for pre-cut and pre-assembled components. - how wood applications integrate with building codes, construction techniques, and technical support. - how choosing wood first contributes to on-time and on-schedule projects with significant cost savings.

Eli Gould

Eli graduated with one of the first dual Architecture/Forestry degrees from Yale in the early '90s, with a conviction that the two fields would eventually be more linked. After a quarter century, this seems more true and even mainstream, but for many years it was an entrepreneurial effort in the small vertical wood prefab companies he ran in Vermont, and in the automated timber industry where he often consulted. For the last three years, Eli has brought those experiences into a nonprofit market development role for QWEB. When he's not trying to transform the AEC industry into a positive climate force he enjoys small town and organic farm life in Vermont with his family.

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## Sustainable Exterior Envelope

At the end of this course, participants will know how to increase the durability of wood products used on building exterior envelope, understand best installation practices and differences between popular wood treatment methods. This AIA continuing education program touches on these issues and more, helping you design an exterior envelope that is durable and healthy for the home.

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