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May 2014

The Construction Specifications Institute

Understanding Building Enclosure Systems Performance

- Presented by Mickey D Parker



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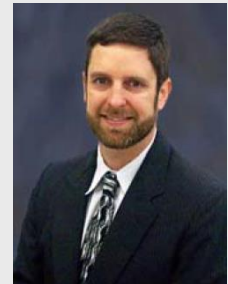


DaVita World Headquarters

The building enclosure represents the first, last and only line of defense separating the conditioned interior building space from the exterior elements. It controls heat flow, moisture flow and air flow. In addition to being a primary component for energy efficiency in a building and controlling occupant comfort, it must also provide protection from rain, snow, hail, wind, water vapor migration, dust, pollutants, and allergens. During this informative lunch & learn presentation, Pie will discuss the emerging trend of building enclosure commissioning (BECx), as well as air barriers and whole building air tightness testing requirements such as those required by the U.S Army Corps of Engineers, GSA, and other organizations.

What you will Learn:

1. What is BECx?
2. BECx in Rating Systems, Codes, Standards & Guidelines
3. BECx Budget/ Cost—Guidance & Examples
4. Air Barrier Standards, Codes & Industry Movement
5. Design and Construction Practices for Air Barriers
6. Whole Building Air Tightness Testing and Diagnostics.



Mickey D Parker, P.E.
*Texas Regional Manager
at Pie Consulting
(BIO on page 2)*

To RSVP for this event click the link below

<https://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/eventReg?oeidk=a07e98r2exd48951c7e&oseq=&c=&ch=>

Wednesday, May 21, 2014

NETWORKING 11:30 Lunch and Program 12:00

Austin Center for Architecture, 801 W. 12th Street, Austin, TX. 78701

To View Upcoming Events visit: austin.csinet.org

Email questions to David Loveless Dloveless@wrmeadows.com

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President's Message



David C. Loveless,
CSI

Happy Spring / Happy Summer to all! Hopefully we are out of the lingering winter. If you are planning your summer vacation remember:

- have Fun
- Relax
- be Safe
- And.....don't forget us! Monthly meetings are on the third Wednesday of the month at the AIA office in Austin.

If you have a child graduating college or High school and they have a desire to eventually join the construction industry, bring them to one of our meetings this summer. I say this because the experience the Prairie View A&M students received at the spring conference was very valuable to them.

Get Involved!

Board Elections will be coming up very soon. In fact we will be seating a new board in June. If you have a desire to provide leadership, further your CSI experience and just have some plain old fun, please let me or one of the other board members know.



David C. Loveless



Mickey D Parker, P.E.
Texas Regional Manager

Bio: Mickey D. Parker

Mickey D. Parker joined Pie Consulting and Engineering in 2012 as the Texas Regional Manager, Senior Structural Engineer, and Building Science Consultant.

Mickey provides consulting services related to building enclosure systems for a variety of clients in both the private and government sectors. He is responsible for design development assistance, plan/ specification peer review, and quality assurance field observations related to water management systems, as well as air and vapor barriers. Mickey is also involved in field performance testing and diagnostic evaluations of fenestrations, curtain walls, cladding and whole building air barrier testing. Mickey

regularly provides educational seminars to improve the understanding of building enclosure commissioning within the design and construction industry.

Mickey also has extensive knowledge of and experience in commercial and residential roofing. His work in the field has included the observation/ evaluation of many square miles of roofing for the purpose of condition assessment and evaluation of observed damages. Mickey's work has also included the preparation of design & bidding documents for roofing projects on numerous educational facilities.

Board Meeting Notes

Austin Chapter CSI April 2014 Board Meeting Minutes

No meeting minutes reported.

Next Meeting May 12, 2014

Upcoming Meetings:

May 12th Board Meeting - AGC Office

May 21st Chapter Meeting at the AIA office

June 2nd Board Meeting - Conference Call

June 18th Chapter Meeting at the AIA office


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Beginning in January, the Austin CSI Chapter Monthly Meetings will be held at the Austin AIA offices - 801 W. 12th Street Austin, Texas 78701.

Tabletop display will remain available. Fee is \$50.

In addition to Tabletops, Lunch Sponsorship opportunities will be available as well. For either types, please contact America @ amtheline@yahoo.com or call 512.492.5203 for scheduling.



Construction Specification Institute **Construction Education Network (CSI CEN)** has now ceased operations.

In order to allow all users of the system to continue managing their credits, CSI offers the following two options:

Option 1 (CSI Members Only): Login to the CSI website and view your CSU CEUs in the Electronic Transcription Service (ETS). Required CSI Member login.

Option 2 (CSI Members and & Non-Members): Click on the link below. Follow instructions to setup an AECDaily.com account.

<http://education.csinet.org/>

Employment Opportunity

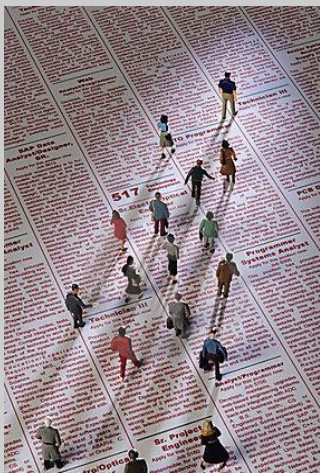
RSM Consultants is looking for two Project Managers to oversee projects, do initial roof surveys and to conduct annual inspections. Position requires travel, typically travel four days a week with one day in the office for paperwork and no weekends.

For information contact Bill Workman.

Blworkman@rsm-consultants.com



Job Search



Out of work and looking? Have a position you need filled?

Austin CSI would like to help bring employers together with those needing jobs. If you would like to post a brief resume or job listing here in the NewsNote at no charge, please contact Jody at:
jody.boatman@allegion.com or call **512.931.2875**.

Upcoming Speakers

Month 2014	Name	Company	Meeting Description
May	Mickey D. Parker	Pie Consulting	Understanding Building Enclosure Systems Performance
June	-	-	TBD
July	-	-	TBD

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