

Why should you attend?

- Licensed engineers will receive eight (8) professional development hours (PDH's), including Ethics.
- Interactive teaching and learning sessions specific to infrastructure design & construction
- Learn new ways of conducting business in the design/construction industry
- Identify problems within the industry and help seek effective, long-term solutions
- Exchange ideas and information to better understand the intricacies involved with each aspect of the overall permitting, design and construction processes
- Learn about resources available to the design & construction industry
- Meet new individuals and firms that can help you accomplish your work more efficiently

Mission Statement

The purpose of the Symposium is to provide Central Texas infrastructure stakeholders a venue for open forum discussions and information sessions to address key issues and present the findings to the ACEA for follow through with Central Texas cities, counties, and industry association.



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CENTRAL TEXAS INFRASTRUCTURE DESIGN & CONSTRUCTION SYMPOSIUM

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Register Today!

April 20, 2011

Greater Austin Contractors & Engineers Association (ACEA) is proud to announce the 8th annual **Central Texas Infrastructure Design & Construction Symposium**. The Symposium will provide an open forum where individuals involved in all aspects of the infrastructure design and construction industry can discuss key topics of interest and concern and share the knowledge, skills, and abilities of their profession with others. This is intended to be a learning environment, encouraging the flow of ideas and interactive discussion.

Register today by completing this form and mailing it along with your payment. A confirmation will be e-mailed to you.

ACEA, 3636 Executive Center Drive, G40, Austin, TX 78731

Schedule: Check desired sessions (one per time slot). For more details on the sessions, visit www.aceatx.com.

7:30 – 8:15 Registration / Breakfast & Opening Statement

8:15 – 9:15 Session 1

- Sustainable Infrastructure Practices** – Les Pittman, PE – Current state of civil engineering and public works sustainable infrastructure practices
- Ethics (Private Sector)** – Jim Huffcut, PE – Ethics discussion for engineers within the private engineering sector (open to all engineers)
- TDLR/ADA Update of Regulations** – Jesus Lardizabal – Update of ADA/TDLR Requirements and how they affect projects
- Joint Venture Public/Private** – J.J. Roohms, PE – Pros & cons of private joint venture projects with local government organizations
- TxDOT's New Asphalt Pavement Specifications** – David Kopp, PE – Benefits of TxDOT's new asphalt pavement special specifications

9:45 – 10:45 Session 2

- Central Texas Water Availability** – Tom Hegemier, PE – Presentation of water supply availability for the Central Texas area and Lower Colorado River basin
- EPA Part 1: Turbidity Requirements** – Therese Baer, PE – EPA's storm runoff turbidity requirements and how they affect construction projects
- SUE vs. One Call** – Doug Meeks – Requirements/exclusions of Texas utilities code for underground pipelines and how it applies to project design & construction
- Constructability from Contractor's Point of View** – Jim Huffcut, PE – How contractors & engineers miscommunicate through engineered plans
- Sustainable Designs** – Paul Amos – Presentation of sustainable Designs using Rehbein Environmental Systems

11:15 – 12:15 Session 3

- Open Dialogue Series – Inspections/Bonds** – Ruben Cantu, PE – Forum to discuss the COA's inspection process as it relates to bonds
- EPA Part 2: Air Quality Requirements** – Therese Baer, PE – EPA's air quality requirements and how they affect construction projects
- COA Communication of New Rules** – Casey Giles, PE – Discussion of recent rule changes and their effects
- Central Texas Transportation Issues** – Maureen McCoy – Direction and outlook for the new director of CAMPO
- Permeable Paving Solutions** – Sean Van Delist – General presentation of permeable paving solutions and how they compliment green building

12:30 – 1:30 – Lunch/Keynote Speaker - *Dave Porter, Chamber of Commerce - "Business Development For The Greater Austin Area"*

1:45 – 2:45 Session 4

- Open Dialogue Series – DSMBR** – Greg Ulcak, PE – Forum to discuss the COA's SMBR (Small Minority Business Resources) requirements
- Ethics (Public Sector)** – Jim Huffcut, PE – Ethics discussion for engineers within the public engineering sector (open to all engineers)
- Traffic Control** – Mary Mazzei, PE – Discussion of COA standards for traffic control and how it relates to project design and construction
- Open Dialogue Series – Electronic File Submission Discussion** – Julie Lipton – Forum to discuss the COA's electronic file submission requirements
- Design, Construction & Application of Permeable Pavers** – Richard Bodie – Presentation of Pavestone's permeable paving solutions

3:15 – 4:15 Session 5

- Practicality vs. Technology Series – Bid Quantity Take Off & Item Descriptions** – Jim Huffcut, PE – Differences between engineer & contractor interpretations
- Clay Soil Pavement Design** – Tim Weston, PE – Understanding the COA new pavement design for clay soils
- Innovative Land Use & Design/Construction** – Andy Johnston, PE – Discussion of Low Impact Development planning
- COA & Local Community Projects** – Howard Lazarus, PE – Updates/information on COA public works projects

4:15 – 6:00 Social Hour

For more details and up-to-date information visit www.aceatx.com

Registration:

Check all that apply

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Payment required at time of registration

Moderator/Panel Member \$100 ()

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