

Goodbye to f'm = 1500 and Other Masonry Tips

Masonry codes are changing and knowing what the changes are can make your next masonry design more efficient. An important one is the specified compressive strength of masonry, but you'll have to attend to find out what has changed. By understanding the various options available in materials, design and construction methods, more cost-efficient structures will result. Taught using a "Tips" format, the seminar will highlight areas where proper understanding of masonry can result in better (and more cost effective) buildings. The seminar will explain materials such as self-consolidating grout and how to use it more effectively. The changing lap splice lengths for masonry will be explained as well as the effect of one selection has on another. Finally, discussion of new materials will be included with plenty of time for questions.

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Brian Trimble has over 25 years' experience in the masonry industry, assisting design professionals in the design of masonry structures. He is a frequent lecturer to local, regional, and national construction industry groups. He has authored many articles and papers on various masonry subjects. Brian started his career with a brick manufacturer and worked at the Brick Industry Association for over 20 years serving in various positions. For the International Masonry Institute he coordinates activities in the Western PA area promoting masonry to a wide variety of audiences including owners, contractors, architects, engineers and craftworkers.

When: Tuesday November 14th

5pm for a social hour and sign-ins, and the presentation beginning around 5:30pm.

Where: Roland's Seafood Grill

1904 Penn Ave, Pittsburgh, PA 15222

Cost: Price includes drinks and heavy appetizers

Early-Bird Member – \$15.00

Member – \$20.00

Early-Bird Non-Member – \$20.00

Non-Member / Public – \$25.00

Early-Bird Student – \$10.00

Student – \$15.00

(Early-Bird Registration is available until Friday November 3rd. Late Registration is available until Friday November 10th, 2017)

Continuing Education Credits: 1 PDH will be provided.