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Portland Chapter - The Construction Specifications Institute

Portland Chapter Golf Tournament

August 22nd, 2008 - 1:00 PM shotgun start



There are still spots open.

Great way to network and have some fun with clients and co-workers.

Sponsor a tee box and you can staff the tee box, pass out goodies and meet the players.

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SEPTEMBER MEETING NOTICE

TOUR UNIVERSITY OF OREGON'S NEW PORTLAND CAMPUS AT THE RENOVATED WHITE STAG

Tuesday, September 9, 2008

Meet in the Lobby 4:30 PM

70 NW Couch Street



Photo: Sally Painter

Dinner and Presentations at the Princeton Ballroom
Governor Hotel, 614 SW 11th Avenue

Join us for a tour of the recently renovated White Stag Block. Meet representatives from the Project Team: Tenant, University of Oregon, Developer: Venerable Properties, Architect: Fletcher Farr Ayotte, Contractor: Bremik Construction, along with consultants, subcontractors and product suppliers.

The White Stag Block project merged three buildings into one via connected floor plates, shared seismic upgrades, and building infrastructure. The project was made possible by Venerable's creative approach to funding sources. The building has been awarded LEED Gold by US Green Building Council. Our tour promises to be interesting and exciting.

Tour Starts at 4:30 PM in the Lobby – 70 NW Couch

Followed by Dinner and Presentations by Project Team – Princeton Ballroom

Members \$40 - Non-members and walk-ins \$50 (walk-ins subject to availability)

BUY YOUR TICKETS NOW FOR 2008/2009 CSI CHAPTER MEETINGS AND SAVE

Sign up today to purchase 10 tickets for the next 10 CSI chapter meetings for \$360. A savings of \$40 for the year, If pre-paid by September 1st.

The programs start on September 9, 2008 and are the 2nd Tuesday of each month. If you are unable to attend the meeting you can send someone in your place.

By purchasing the chapter meetings ahead of time there will be no need for you to RSVP, you will automatically be registered each month. Don't wait, purchase today!

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2008 EVENTS

AUGUST

12th – Board Meeting, River Place East, Mt. Adams Room, contact jane@portlandcsi.org

19th - LEED for Existing Buildings Technical Review Work Shop

22nd - Fall CSI CDT Certification Exam Registration Deadline

CSI will offer the Construction Documents Technology (CDT) exam in testing locations across the U.S. September 22-27. Register now or learn more about the CDT exam www.csinet.org

22nd – Annual Golf tournament at Lewis River - Contact ebitterman@precisionimages.com to register

26th – Program Committee Meeting – Nancy’s Kitchen, 7:30am, contact kkloster@fordgraphics.com

SEPTEMBER

2nd – Board Meeting, River Place East, Mt. Adams Room, contact jane@portlandcsi.org

9th – Program Dinner, Project Tour – White Stag U of O building, Register at www.portlandcsi.org

22rd - Program Committee Meeting - Nancy’s Kitchen, 7:30am, contact kkloster@fordgraphics.com

25th - Exams at Northwest Region Conference Seattle, WA,

25th-27th – NW Region Conference, Puget Sound Chapter, Register at www.pscsci.org

OCTOBER

7th – Board meeting, River Place East, Mt. Adams Room, contact jane@portlandcsi.org

14th – Program Dinner - Metro Recycling, register at www.portlandcsi.org

28th - Program Committee Meeting - Nancy’s Kitchen, 7:30am, contact kkloster@fordgraphics.com

NOVEMBER

4th – Board Meeting, River Place East, Mt. Adams Room, contact jane@portlandcsi.org

11th – Program Dinner - Innovative, sustainable products, register at www.portlandcsi.org

25th – Program Committee Meeting - Nancy’s Kitchen, 7:30am, contact kkloster@fordgraphics.com

DECEMBER

2nd – Board Meeting, River Place East, Mt. Adams Room, contact jane@portlandcsi.org

9th – Program Dinner, Social Holiday Get Together – Dinner at the “Nines”, Register at www.portlandcsi.org

16th – Program Committee Meeting – Nancy’s Kitchen, 7:30am, contact kkloster@fordgraphics.com

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CSI NW REGION CONFERENCE

Don't Miss This One

TOMORROW'S YESTERDAYS LEARNING FROM THE PAST TO BUILD THE FUTURE

**September 25-27, 2008
Mayflower Park Hotel
Seattle, WA**

Seattle is a wonderful city, full of all that excites the senses. There is a lot to explore, from the fiery sunsets over the bustling piers and boardwalks of Elliott Bay to the open air seafood markets on Pike Street. Sample the clubs and the 1940s charm of the Pioneer Square, for a long time the music hub of the down town core. If the cabs drive too fast for you to enjoy the sights, you may take a trolley or the Monorail. You may hail a horse drawn carriage or even ride a "Duck", which is a musical tour of down town on an Amphibious World War II vehicle, from where you can tour the city by both land and water! There is plenty of lush green landscape throughout our Emerald City profile, embellished with decades of unique architecture and distinct Northwest landmarks. There are world renowned theaters and restaurants with entertainment, décor and cuisine that are sure to be among your best memories long after you leave. Bring your family. Bring your camera. Bring your bumbershoot. But whatever you do, join the Puget Sound Chapter, in Seattle for *Tomorrows Yesterdays* the Northwest Region Conference, September 25-27, 2008 at the Mayflower Park Hotel.

Call the Puget Sound Chapter CSI Office at 206-382-3393 or visit www.pscsi.org for more information.

PERKY'S NOTES

By: Perky Kilbourn, CSI



On Friday, July 25, 2008, Lee and I had lunch with Hannah Cooley, the winner of the Mary Alice Hutchins FCSI, FAIA Construction Scholarship and Cindy Lundeen, Associate Director of Development at University of Oregon.

Hannah won the award last year and was very pleased to receive it again this year. She is grateful for all the financial help she receives and has a part time job working for a construction company in Eugene.

Hannah will be completing her degree next Spring and hopes to find employment in the Portland area. One interesting thing which we learned was that she designs and builds furniture. She gave us her picture with a chair and a picture of the chair by itself.

Elizabeth Johnson won the Mary Alice Hutchins FCSI, FAIA Architecture Scholarship. She will receive her check in the mail since she is in Alaska this Summer. We hope she attends a Portland Chapter Meeting as a guest of the Chapter this fall.

Giving out these scholarship checks is a neat way to remember Mary Alice Hutchins. If you would like to learn more about the career of Mary Alice Hutchins, please purchase a copy of the book.

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