# INTERNATIONAL MEMBER BENEFITS



AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CONCRETE CONTRACTORS ENHANCING THE CAPABILITIES OF THOSE WHO BUILD WITH CONCRETE

#### **EXPERTISE**

Four Telephone Hotlines - FREE to Members - These telephone lines are staffed by experts who can answer your questions. Concrete Construction Safety and Insurance Decorative Concrete Polished Concrete

Position Statements - 46 papers covering topics such as "Moisture-Sensitive Floor Coverings on Concrete Slabs," "Birdbaths," "Tolerances," and "Trowel Marks." The statements are written for architects, engineers and others who need to understand the contractor's point of view. There are eight Position Statements on decorative concrete topics and five on concrete polishing.

Contractor E-mail Forum - Contractors submit and answer business and technical questions via e-mail. Invaluable advice from your peers on everything from curling to sealers to time sheets to vehicle use. ASCC members-only, Web-based archive contains all Q & A from the Forum for easy reference.

A Guide to Selecting a Concrete Contractor - Provides the small to medium-sized contractor a checklist of items such as references, drawings, safety practices, insurance coverage, etc., that allows potential customers to compare what your company offers with the competition. This simple brochure emphasizes that contractor selection should be determined by pre-planning, experience, quality of work and track record, not just price. One copy **FREE** to members.

#### SAFETY

Safety Manual - This comprehensive manual written by concrete contractors for concrete contractors can be used as your basic safety program. Provided electronically, you can customize and print as needed for your company. First file provided FREE to ASCC members. Extra copies are available on flash drive or downloadable file to members for \$25.00 each (\$75.00 each for non-members)

Safety Resources -These are selected and reviewed by the ASCC Safety & Risk Management Council. The first copy is FREE to ASCC members.

#### **EDUCATION**

Webinars - 45-minute monthly webinars provide members access to speakers and topics from the comfort of their offices. A mix of business and technical topics have included Hardhats to Helmets, Shoring/Re-shoring, Protecting Yourself from Slab Performance Callbacks, Accuracy and Productivity in Estimating, Approaching Business as a Process, Decorative Concrete Applications and Finishes, and Managing Change Orders. Webinars are archived on the website for members only.

Magazine Subscriptions - Free subscriptions to Concrete International and Concrete Contractor keep you and key personnel current with concrete construction technology and business issues.

#### *NET WORKING*

Networking - Annual events, committee meetings, and other special opportunities provide members the opportunity to mix and meet with other outstanding contractors and suppliers. Working committees include Technical, Education & Training, Finishing, Paving, Emerging Leaders, Membership, Constructability and more.

## INFORMATION

Monthly Newsletter - Keeps you current with ASCC activities of value to you and your company, delivered electronically.

Member Directory - The ASCC Member Directory lists all members of the ASCC by company name, delegate and alternate member names; includes all contact information.

Member Certificate - All members receive a certificate of membership suitable for framing and display. Sustaining members receive a special certificate with a mounting plaque.

Company Listing on the ASCC Website - Every member receives a FREE listing on the ASCC website.

#### DISCOUNTS

Member discounts on ASCC events, World of Concrete registration and events, plus valuable industry and technical publications through the ASCC bookstore. In addition, a number of ASCC member suppliers provide discounts to ASCC members.

## ANNUAL E VENTS

**Annual Conference -** This fall event brings together owners and managers, project foremen and superintendents, estimators, safety directors, and other company managers for seminars, roundtable discussions, demonstrations, valuable networking and social outings. Event features the ASCC Safety and Decorative Concrete Awards ceremony.

Concrete Executive Leadership Forum - A unique opportunity each summer to exchange ideas, learn new management and leadership techniques and develop friendships with CEOs, owners and managers from the country's leading concrete construction companies.

World of Concrete - ASCC takes advantage of the major concrete event to host its Annual Meeting, committee meetings, a preshow party, and other networking opportunities. We host two booths and are a co-sponsor of the convention. ASCC members are notable speakers for WOC seminars.

### SPECIALTY COUNCILS

Decorative Concrete Council - The DCC educates contractors on the technical and business aspects of decorative concrete contracting. The Council also promotes decorative concrete to designers, owners and other end users.

> Demonstrations and seminars at ASCC Annual Conference Discounted and **FREE** decorative publications

Awards competition Community Projects

Concrete Polishing Council - The CPC serves as an educational resource for contractors and others in the design and construction industry. Programs include: Certification, Educational Programs, Position Statements, Awards Program

Manufacturers' Advisory Council - The board of this associate member Council advises the ASCC on how the organization can provide the best value to its vendor members. The MAC has a strong voice in all sponsorship decisions that directly affect these companies.

Safety & Risk Management Council - This Council educates and provides materials to contractors on all aspects of safety relating to concrete contracting and insurance matters. The Council also provides oversight to ASCC on publications, demonstrations, etc. where we must display safe practices including On-site Safety Audits, S.T.A.R. self-evaluation program, and monthly virtual roundtables on a variety of topics. All members of ASCC are welcome to join the SRMC.

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