



AIA Continuing Education System

Registered Provider Content Summary

Brick Veneer Concrete Masonry Construction Checklist

PRESENTATION DESCRIPTION

This course provides specific insight into the inspection of brick veneer concrete masonry components. This presentation will address both proper and improper installation methods, encompassing all possible wall conditions. The book format is divided into three parts: Concrete Masonry, Flashing, and Brickwork. The presentation contains over 100 photographs of actual job site construction with commentary and includes a corresponding 2- page checklist.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- 1) Learn all key components of brick veneer concrete masonry construction.
- 2) Become familiar with acceptable/unacceptable methods of brick veneer concrete masonry construction.
- 3) Prepare a conformance/non-conformance checklist with the assistance of the book.
- 4) Utilize provided photographs to enhance your knowledge and inspection skills of brick veneer concrete masonry.

PRESENTER QUALIFICATIONS

Mr. Laska is President of Masonry Technologies Inc., a masonry consulting firm in Downers Grove, IL. Mr. Laska has in excess of 35 years of specialized masonry experience. His services have included inspections of distressed masonry work, masonry specification development of new/renovated structures, masonry job site inspection, and he has worked as a technical writing and litigation expert. Mr. Laska and Masonry Technologies, Inc. were subcontracted by the Public Building Commission of Chicago to perform over 900 masonry work in-progress inspections of municipal buildings over a 6-year span. Mr. Laska has been a voting member of ASTM Committees C12 "Mortars and Grout for Unit Masonry", and C15, "Manufactured Masonry Units" since 1987. He is also a member of The Masonry Society (TMS) and served over twenty years as a voting member of the TMS Code. Mr. Laska has lectured on masonry design and construction for numerous professional associations and colleges, including University of Illinois, University of Notre Dame, Illinois Institute of Technology, and Ball State. Mr. Laska has produced over 90 publications, including a 218-page book title, "Masonry and Steel Detailing Handbook". Mr. Laska holds three masonry material patents.

PROVIDOR

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AIA CREDITS: 1 LU

HSW: No

A/V NEEDED: Electrical power and presentation screen.

COST: There is no cost for this presentation.

PRESENTATION METHOD:

PowerPoint Presentation with book.

Lunch is provided free of charge.

Books will be disseminated to attendees free

QUESTIONS?

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