



# LESSONS LEARNED IN THE MASONRY FIELD MOISTURE MANAGEMENT IN CAVITY WALLS



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## WHO

Architects, engineers, general contractors, construction managers, building officials, educators and contractors.


## WHEN & WHERE –

Wednesday, February 1, 2012  
5808 South 118<sup>th</sup> Circle  
Omaha, NE 68137

## SCHEDULE

- 8:00 AM Registration and Continental Breakfast
- 8:30 AM Lessons Learned in the Masonry Field
- 10:00 AM Break
- 10:10 AM Moisture Management in Cavity Walls
- 11:10 AM Hands-on Opportunity
- 12:00 PM Program Concludes



 This program meets the AIA/CES criteria for continuing education. AIA members attending this program will receive 3.5 H/S/W learning units, which will be reported directly to the AIA.

## Lessons Learned in the Masonry Field

**Presented by: Steve Bolognese, IMI**

This session will highlight 10 often made masonry construction and design mistakes. These mistakes will tend to lead to on-going building performance issues throughout the course of the building's life. Topics include new material understanding, moisture and movement issues, field testing, supervisory methods and constructability. Cavity wall construction will be used as the wall system for all discussions. Masonry materials will include brick, block, AAC, mortar, grout and plaster coatings. The presentation will use case studies and recommended design guidelines that reduce construction and design mistakes.

## Moisture Management in Cavity Walls

**Presented by: Steven Fecino, MortarNet**

This presentation will address the different types of moisture problems inherent with masonry construction as well as the proper installation of flashing, weeps and vents, and mortar collection devices for cavity wall and single wythe construction. Moisture control for single wythe block applications will also be discussed. Upon completion of the course, attendees should understand the best techniques and materials available for dependable masonry water control.

## Cost

The seminar fee has been waived, however registration is required.

**REGISTRATION FORM** Please use one form per registrant. Feel free to make additional copies of this form

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