

ACI Fall 2013 Convention Preview

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Invitation to Attend

On behalf of the ACI Arizona Chapter Convention Committee, we invite you to join us at the ACI Fall 2013 Convention, October 20-24, 2013, in Phoenix, AZ. The convention will be held at the Hyatt Regency & Phoenix Convention Center.

At the convention, you will have the opportunity to participate in the development of industry codes and standards during over 300 committee meetings; network with many of the world's leading concrete professionals at events such as the Opening Reception, Women in ACI Reception, and Concrete Mixer at the Arizona Science Center; and learn about the latest in concrete technology from industry experts while fulfilling your continuing education requirements.



We have created an educational and technical program that will cover several angles of the convention theme, "Innovation in Conservation." Convention highlights include the Student Pervious Cylinder Competition, Concrete Sustainability Forum VI, the Opening Session and Reception, and Contractors' Day events. The convention will feature special lunch presentations by authorities in their field, including Ryan Abbott from Sundt Construction and Ken Atha with OSHA. Additionally, we have put together tours of historical and local landmarks to help you experience everything Phoenix has to offer.

We are thrilled to have the opportunity to host the convention, and look forward to seeing you in Phoenix this fall!

About the ACI Convention

ACI conventions are dedicated to bringing together the leaders in the concrete industry. These individuals work to improve the design, construction, maintenance, and repair of concrete projects. Conventions provide a forum for networking and education and an opportunity to provide input on the concrete industry codes, specifications, and guides.

Committees meet to develop the standards, reports and other documents necessary to keep up with the ever-changing world of concrete technology. Committee meetings are open to all registered convention attendees.

Technical and educational sessions provide attendees with the latest research, case studies, best practices, and the opportunity to earn Professional Development Hours (PDHs).

Additionally, ACI conventions offer numerous networking events where you can expect to meet with many of the industry's top engineers, architects, contractors, educators, manufacturers, and material representatives from around the world.

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Convention Information

Fulfill Continuing Education Requirements

Session attendees may earn Professional Development Hours (PDHs) during the ACI convention. A session attendance form to track attendance will be provided and may be submitted to state boards that allow self-reporting of continuing education activities as evidence of participation. In most cases, one nominal hour is equal to one PDH. (Note: New York does NOT allow self-reporting.) Check with your state board for acceptance criteria. **Please note: ACI does not track and cannot provide documentation confirming attendee participation or attendance at any ACI session held during the convention, unless otherwise noted.**

Start a Career at the Career Center

Looking to start your career in concrete? Visit ACI's online Career Center in the exhibit area. This job search engine is specifically designed to target jobs in the concrete industry. Job seekers will have the opportunity to post résumés and view, apply for, and save available job opportunities. Employers will have the opportunity to search résumés, post internships FREE of charge, and target the individual they want to attract.

Child Care

As all convention events are intended for adults, you may wish to take advantage of the child care offered through the Hyatt Regency. For more information, speak to a Hyatt representative upon making your reservation or while checking in. The Hyatt also offers a Babies Travel Lite program, making traveling with small children easier. Visit <http://babiestravellite.com/hyatt> for more information.

ACI's Green Initiatives



It is ACI's practice to reduce waste from convention meetings and events. **New this convention, attendees have the option to elect to use the electronic version of the program**

book rather than receiving a hard copy at the convention. Look for this option when you register! For a complete list of the green practices at this convention, contact ACI Event Services at (248) 848-3795 or conventions@concrete.org.

Stay Connected



We know your time is valuable! For that reason, ACI provides internet access for convention attendees. Visit the convention mobile site,

mobile.concrete.org/convention for access to the Meeting Schedule, My Schedule, Sessions, and Future Conventions from virtually anywhere you have service or wifi.



Don't miss out on important convention announcements and updates! Follow the ACI convention on Facebook and Twitter at



#aciconvention. To sign up for Twitter, visit <https://twitter.com>.

Become a Convention Mentor

Remember your first ACI convention and all of the sessions, meetings, and events you had to choose from? Use your experience to help first-time attendees navigate the convention, meet new people, and contribute to ACI's codes and standards. Convention mentors are required to attend the convention orientation breakfast on Sunday, October 20, 2013. Become a convention mentor by emailing jennifer.darichuk@concrete.org, by calling (248) 848-3818, or indicate your interest on your registration form.



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Schedule of Events

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Friday, October 18, 2013

8:30 am – 5:30 pm 8th International Workshop on Structural Concrete in the Americas and Beyond *(invitation only)*

Saturday, October 19, 2013

8:30 am – 5:30 pm 8th International Workshop on Structural Concrete in the Americas and Beyond *(invitation only)*

12:30 pm – 6:00 pm ACI Registration
1:00 pm – 5:00 pm Concrete Sustainability Forum VI *(pre-registration required)*

Sunday, October 20, 2013

7:30 am – 5:00 pm Registration
8:00 am – 9:00 am Convention Orientation Breakfast
8:00 am – 9:00 am Guest Overview
8:00 am – 5:00 pm Exhibits
8:00 am – 5:30 pm Committee Meetings
10:00 am – 5:00 pm Art of Concrete Student Competition
11:00 am – 4:00 pm Student Pervious Concrete Cylinder Competition
11:00 am – 4:00 pm ✓The Southwest Story Tour
11:30 am – 1:30 pm ✓International Lunch
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm **Sessions**
• Advancements in Concrete Pavements
• Conservation of Historic Concrete, Part 1 of 2
• Fiber-Reinforced Concrete for Sustainable Structures, Part 1 of 2
• Roadmap to Convention Participation
• Structural Concrete Design—The Legacy of Dr. W. Gene Corley, Part 1 of 2
3:30 pm – 5:30 pm **Sessions**
• Conservation of Historic Concrete, Part 2 of 2
• Emerging Technologies in Civil Infrastructure Application
• Fiber-Reinforced Concrete for Sustainable Structures, Part 2 of 2
• Structural Concrete Design—The Legacy of Dr. W. Gene Corley, Part 2 of 2
5:45 pm – 7:00 pm Opening Session and Katharine & Bryant Mather Commemorative Lecture Series
Approx. 7:00 pm Opening Reception

8:00 pm – 10:00 pm Hot Topic Session: High-Strength Reinforcement

9:00 pm – 10:30 pm Student & Young Professional Networking Event

Monday, October 21, 2013

6:30 am – 8:00 am Workshop for Technical Committee Chairs *(invitation only)*

7:00 am – 8:30 am Speaker Development Breakfast
7:30 am – 5:00 pm Registration

8:00 am – 5:00 pm Exhibits

8:30 am – 10:30 am **Sessions**

- Concrete with Recycled Materials, Part 1 of 3
- Electrical Methods to Characterize and Monitor Concrete, Part 1 of 2
- Innovative Design and Construction in Concrete Columns, Part 1 of 2
- No Need to Doubt, When You Grout: Advances in Cementitious Grouting, Materials, and Applications, Part 1 of 2
- Research in Progress, Part 1 of 2

8:30 am – 6:30 pm Committee Meetings

9:00 am – 1:00 pm ✓Musical Instrument Museum Tour

11:00 am – 1:00 pm **Sessions**

- Concrete with Recycled Materials, Part 2 of 3
- No Need to Doubt, When You Grout: Advances in Cementitious Grouting, Materials, and Applications, Part 2 of 2
- Research in Progress, Part 2 of 2
- The Role of Silica Fume in the Conservation of Resources, Part 1 of 2

11:30 am – 1:30 pm ✓Student Lunch

1:30 pm – 3:30 pm **Sessions**

- Concrete with Recycled Materials, Part 3 of 3
- Electrical Methods to Characterize and Monitor Concrete, Part 2 of 2
- Innovative Design and Construction in Concrete Columns, Part 2 of 2
- The Role of Silica Fume in the Conservation of Resources, Part 2 of 2

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- 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm **Sessions**
- A Fresh Look at Cementitious Materials and Admixtures
 - Design Detailing to Mitigate Cracking
 - Laboratory Test Methods for Corrosion Assessment: Technical Review and Practical Implications, Part 1 of 2
 - Recent Advances on Soil-Foundation-Structure Interaction in Seismic Bridge Design
 - Undergraduate Research on Concrete Materials, Structural Design, or Construction

6:00 pm – 7:00 pm Women in ACI Reception

6:00 pm – 9:00 pm ✓Rawhide Western Town Event

6:30 pm – 8:30 pm 123 Forum

Tuesday, October 22, 2013

- 7:30 am – 5:00 pm Registration
- 8:00 am – 12:00 pm ✓Talesin West – Design Studio of Frank Lloyd Wright Tour
- 8:00 am – 5:00 pm Exhibits
- 8:00 am – 6:30 pm Committee Meetings
- 8:30 am – 10:30 am **Sessions**
- Contractors' Day Session: Help I'm Being Sued—The Deposition
 - Design and Construction of Durable Concrete Parking Structures, Part 1 of 2
 - Innovation in Cooling Mass Concrete
 - Laboratory Test Methods for Corrosion Assessment: Technical Review and Practical Implications, Part 2 of 2
- 11:00 am – 1:00 pm **Sessions**
- Admixtures for SCC
 - Design and Construction of Durable Concrete Parking Structures, Part 2 of 2
 - Sustainable Solutions for Seismic Repair of Bridges
 - Tablets in the Workplace
- 11:30 am – 1:30 pm ✓Contractors' Day Lunch
- 1:30 pm – 3:30 pm **Sessions**
- Contractors' Day Session: Economic Forecast for the Concrete Industry
 - I'm Cured! What's New in Curing Concrete?, Part 1 of 2
 - Open Paper Session, Part 1 of 2
 - Workability of Sustainable Concrete

- 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm **Sessions**
- Blast Blind Predict of Response of Concrete Slabs Subjected to Blast Loading
 - Contractors' Day Session: Lean Construction Principles
 - I'm Cured! What's New in Curing Concrete?, Part 2 of 2
 - Open Paper Session, Part 2 of 2

5:30 pm – 6:30 pm Faculty Network Reception

6:30 pm – 9:00 pm Concrete Mixer at the Arizona Science Center

Wednesday, October 23, 2013

- 8:00 am – 12:00 pm Registration
- 8:00 am – 6:30 pm Committee Meetings
- 8:30 am – 10:30 am **Sessions**
- Cast-in-Place Concrete Pipe Then and Now
 - Cracking the ASR Mystery, Part 1 of 2
 - Performance-Based Seismic Design: Lessons Learned from Recent Earthquakes, Part 1 of 2
 - UHPC Innovations for Durability and Resiliency
- 10:30 am – 2:30 pm ✓A Taste of Old Town Scottsdale Tour
- 11:00 am – 1:00 pm **Sessions**
- Bio-Inspired Construction Materials
 - Cracking the ASR Mystery, Part 2 of 2
 - Performance-Based Seismic Design: Lessons Learned from Recent Earthquakes, Part 2 of 2
 - The Evolution, Durability, Cost Effectiveness, and Performance of Cast-in-Place Concrete Pipe
- 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm President's Reception
(invitation only)

Thursday, October 24, 2013

- 8:00 am – 5:00 pm ✓Educational Seminar
- 10:00 am – 5:00 pm Board of Direction Meeting





Exhibits

The exhibit area is the perfect place for attendees to stop for a break or to stay connected to work and home! Exhibits will be open daily October 20-22, 2013, from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm.

The American Concrete Institute and the ACI Arizona Chapter would like to thank the following exhibitors for their support and participation (Exhibitors listed as of 5/15/2013).



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Not yet an exhibitor?

The American Concrete Institute and the ACI Arizona Chapter would like to invite your organization to showcase your products and services during the ACI Fall 2013 Convention. Exhibiting at the ACI convention is a great opportunity to network with the leaders in the concrete industry from around the world.

ACI seeks to provide exhibitors with a venue and atmosphere that will maximize visibility and marketing potential. The exhibit area has been specially designed to include convention registration; a cyber café; free wireless hot spots; and a place where attendees can meet between events to network, enjoy refreshments, or just catch up on what is happening at work or home.

Booth rates are \$1500 for a 10 x 10 ft space and include up to four exhibitor name badges giving you access to convention sessions, committee meetings, and networking events. As an exhibitor, you will have the opportunity to meet and build relationships with over 1400 concrete professionals. The benefits of this exposure will go beyond your time at the convention. Exhibitors will also be promoted in event publications, on the ACI website, and throughout the convention.

Exhibitors will have the opportunity to give a product demonstration or presentation. Should you choose to participate, you will be allotted a time slot to give a presentation featuring a specific product or service of your company. This is a great way to gain company exposure and is an added benefit of exhibiting. For more information on product demonstrations or to sign up, please contact Jennifer Darichuk ((248) 848-3818 or jennifer.darichuk@concrete.org).

For more information on becoming an exhibitor, contact us:

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Sponsors

Sponsorship investments help make the ACI convention possible, providing a place for industry professionals to advance their knowledge of concrete. Your donation is essential in the success of the ACI Fall 2013 Convention, as well as the development of our industry that occurs as a direct result of ACI conventions. Sponsors of the ACI convention will be given exposure to and the opportunity to meet with decision-makers from the international concrete community. In return for your generous support, ACI will help to promote your organization throughout the convention. For a complete listing of sponsorship levels and sponsorship opportunities visit www.aciconvention.org.

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Become a Sponsor!

Plenty of sponsorship opportunities are still available. To become a sponsor, please contact Teresa Coleman at (480) 204-9266 or tcoleman@azmatl.com.





Special Events

Friday, October 18, 2013 – Saturday, October 19, 2013

8th International Workshop on Structural Concrete in the Americas and Beyond

8:30 am – 5:30 pm

Invitation only

The 8th International Workshop on Structural Concrete in the Americas and Beyond is a workshop that is held every 18 to 24 months in conjunction with the ACI convention. The primary purpose of this workshop is to gather and share information on the development and application of concrete design standards throughout the Americas and beyond. Attendance at this workshop is by invitation only. For additional information, please contact 318wkshp@concrete.org.

Saturday, October 19, 2013

Concrete Sustainability Forum VI

1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

(Preregistration required)

ACI's sixth annual Concrete Sustainability Forum will include presentations from industry experts on concrete materials and structures, representatives of international concrete organizations, and concrete- and construction-related ISO experts, and followed by a panel discussion that will challenge speakers and attendees to identify sustainability opportunities.

Sunday, October 20, 2013

✓ International Lunch

11:30 am – 1:30 pm

\$30 U.S. per person

Join other ACI attendees for the International Lunch, where a special guest will give a presentation highlighting the beneficial role concrete has played in projects around the globe. For more information on the speaker, topic and lunch, please visit www.aciconvention.org.

Art of Concrete Student Competition

10:00 am – 5:00 pm

The Art of Concrete Student Competition, sponsored by the ACI Arizona Chapter, will be held during the ACI Fall 2013 Convention. The objective is to explore the artistic nature of concrete and display its many varieties of form, function, and beauty through a work of art. This competition is open to individual undergraduate or graduate students or those students on cooperative or internship assignments. Entries will be displayed in the exhibit area beginning at 10:00 am on Sunday. Convention attendees will have the opportunity to view the artwork and vote for their favorite. Voting will be open from 10:00 am on Sunday, October 20, through 10:00 am on Monday, October 21. The winners will be announced during the Student Lunch on Monday, October 21; and the top three entries will receive prizes.



Special Events



Sunday, October 20, 2013 (cont.)

Student Pervious Concrete Cylinder Competition 11:00 am – 4:00 pm

Teams are challenged to apply sustainability concepts and to use their knowledge of concrete mixture design by producing pervious concrete that balances permeability and splitting tensile strength. Additionally, each team is challenged to develop a mixture design that develops the highest load-to-cost ratio. Winners of the Student Concrete Projects Competition will also present their work during a brief break in the competition. To learn more and to sign up, visit www.aciconvention.org.

Opening Session and Katharine & Bryant Mather Commemorative Lecture Series 5:45 pm – 7:00 pm



Speaker: H. Celik Ozyildirim, Principal Research Scientist, Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT)

The ACI Fall 2013 Convention officially begins during the Opening Session and Katharine & Bryant Mather Lecture Series. H. Celik

Ozyildirim will give a special presentation, titled "Katharine and Bryant Mather: Pioneers and Visionaries." He will touch on the interests and contributions of the Mathers to the industry, as well as the VDOT applications that were adopted following their teachings. Bryant and Katharine Mather devoted a remarkable 98 combined years as members of the American Concrete Institute. They were very active in numerous other industry-related organizations and associations. Their individual and joint efforts ranged from both working for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers for over 40 years to serving on presidential committees at the White House.

Following the presentation, several individuals and groups will be recognized for their contributions to the concrete industry, including the winner of the Young Professional Essay Contest.

Opening Reception Approx. 7:00 pm

Make your way to the exhibit area after the Opening Session. Reunite with colleagues, network with new acquaintances, and learn about the products and services offered by the exhibitors. The ACI social media team will gather for a TweetUp to build awareness about ACI's social media efforts. A cash bar and light refreshments will be available.

Student and Young Professional Networking Event 9:00 pm – 10:30 pm

The ACI Collegiate Concrete Council and ACI Student and Young Professional Activities Committee invite all convention attendees to the Student and Young Professional Networking Event. Meet fellow students and young professionals while networking with ACI members in a fun and casual environment. Attendees to the event will be entered into a drawing for door prizes. Food and beverages will be available for purchase.

Monday, October 21, 2013

✓ Student Lunch

11:30 am – 1:30 pm

\$36 U.S. per person; FREE to students who preregister by September 29, 2013

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Speaker: Ryan Abbott, Project Director, Sundt Construction

Join students and other ACI attendees for the Student Lunch. Speaker Ryan Abbott, Project Director at Sundt Construction, will give a presentation titled "The things I wish I had known about concrete before I got hired."

He will engage students and other attendees with advice and tips for succeeding in the post-Great Recession era. The results of the student competitions will be announced during the lunch.

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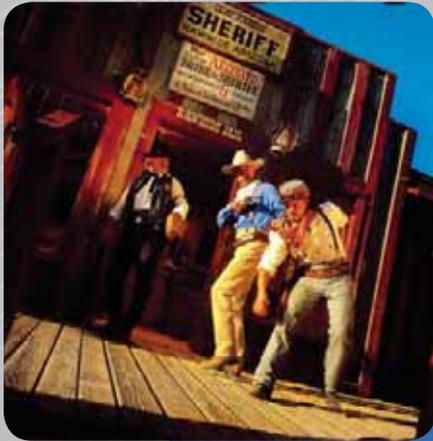
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✓ Rawhide Western Town Event

6:00 pm – 9:00 pm

\$103.00 U.S. per person

Join us for a true Arizona experience! The evening begins with a western buffet and cash bar. You will then experience a Rough Riders show, Stagecoach ride, and tour the Wagon Wheel Plaza. Rawhide Western Town is approximately 30-minutes from the Phoenix Convention Center.



Concrete Mixer at the Arizona Science Center 6:30 pm – 9:00 pm

The ACI Arizona Chapter has a fun-filled evening planned just a short stroll or ride from the Convention Center at the Arizona Science Center. With so much to do and see, the only question is "Where to begin?" Explore four floors of hands-on exhibits, wander throughout the building tasting savory Southwestern cuisine, and enjoy a cool drink while visiting with friends and peers. You can explore an outdoor water display or venture up to the weather center to experience a simulated monsoon storm indicative to the Arizona desert. Or, if you prefer, enjoy one of two outdoor terraces overlooking downtown Phoenix and possibly see a beautiful sunset! A good time is guaranteed to be had by all in this beautiful concrete structure.

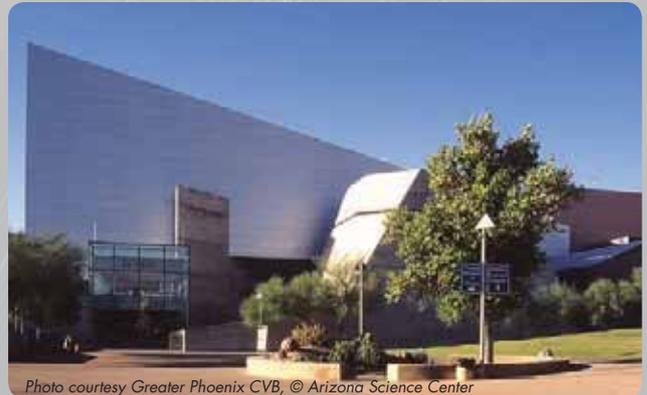


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Tuesday, October 22, 2013

✓ Contractors' Day Lunch

11:30 am – 1:30 pm

\$37 U.S. per person



Speaker: Ken Atha, Region 9 Administrator for Federal OSHA

Join other ACI attendees and contractors for a special presentation by Ken Atha. Atha, a veteran of Desert Shield, Desert Storm, and Operation Allied Force, began his safety career with the Department

of Defense as a Safety and Occupational Health Manager at Moffett Federal Airfield in California. For additional information on the Contractors' Day Lunch, please visit www.aciconvention.org.



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All buses will depart from the North Lobby doors of the Hyatt on the Monroe Street side.

Sunday, October 20, 2013

✓ Southwest Story Tour

11:00 am – 4:00 pm

\$85.00 U.S. per person

Travel to the Desert Botanical Gardens for a self-guided tour of beautiful desert blooms and native plants. Trail maps will be provided for all participants and it is recommended that you wear comfortable shoes, as the paths are not paved. Hats, sunscreen, and sunglasses are strongly encouraged. A gourmet sack lunch will be provided at the Gardens before departing for the Heard Museum. This museum offers self-guided tours through various exhibits that will educate you about the arts, heritage, and daily life of the indigenous people of the Americas.

Monday, October 21, 2013

✓ Musical Instrument Museum

9:00 am – 1:00 pm

\$48.00 U.S. per person

Spend the morning on a guided tour of the Musical Instrument Museum (MIM). This museum showcases the artistry, diversity, and movement of musical instruments from around the world. Instruments and musical culture from over 200 countries and territories, such as Chinese operas, big-band jazz ensembles, and mariachi bands, are featured in unique exhibits. Highlights at the MIM include the Steinway piano on which John Lennon composed "Imagine," Carlos Santana's Yamaha guitar, and one of the enormous drums played during the Opening Ceremony at the 2008 Olympic Games in Beijing. To learn more, visit www.mim.org.



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Tuesday, October 22, 2013

✓ Taliesin West – Design Studio of Frank Lloyd Wright

8:00 am – 12:00 pm

\$65.00 U.S. per person

Taliesin West is a National Historic Landmark built by Frank Lloyd Wright between 1937 and 1959. He used this desert masterpiece as his personal winter home, studio, and architectural campus. The living quarters and the dramatic "Garden Room" are the highlights of this tour, which also includes a visit to the Cabaret Theater, Music Pavilion, Seminar Theater and Wright's private office—all linked by dramatic terraces, a garden, and walkways overlooking the Sonoran Desert. Tour this amazing facility and experience Wright's brilliant ability to integrate indoor and outdoor spaces, as well as what it might have been like to be a guest in this famous home.

Wednesday, October 23, 2013

✓ A Taste of Old Town Scottsdale

10:30 am – 2:30 pm

\$102.00 U.S. per person

Old Town Scottsdale takes you into the past—to a time when the Little Red Schoolhouse taught Scottsdale youth how to read and write, as well as housed the town meetings and church services; a time when residents and visitors alike would stop in the Sugar Bowl for both general store purchases and automotive services; and a time when blacksmiths, saloons, and western wear clothing stores filled in the rest of the storefronts of the dusty roads. This tour walks you through Old Town, allowing you to experience it with all five senses—sight, sound, feel, smell and, of course, taste! Sample food and beverages that were, are, and always will be favorites of Old Town Scottsdale.



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Destination Information

Join Us in Phoenix!

As one of the fastest-growing cities in the United States, downtown Phoenix has so much to offer those who are visiting. Learn about the city's art and culture amenities, sports and recreation activities, and dining opportunities. Because the weather in Phoenix is nearly perfect year-round, you will be able to enjoy activities of all sorts when you visit! Come see why Phoenix is such a dynamic and exciting city! Follow this link to view a special welcome from Downtown Phoenix:

<http://www.downtownphoenix.com/aci1310>.

Dining

Phoenix offers an exceptional dining scene, featuring everything from savory steaks to exquisite Southwestern fare and south of the border favorites. Restaurants feature unique atmospheres indicative of the culture in Arizona. Is Southwest cuisine not for you? Phoenix has something for all appetites and palates. Authentic Thai, Chinese, Indian, Persian, Vietnamese, Italian, and other ethnic delights are scattered around the city, and most all restaurants offer outdoor seating so that you may continue to enjoy the weather.

Weather

The average daily high in October is approximately 80°F (26°C) and the average low is approximately 60°F (15°C). The humidity levels are lower than average, so the heat does not feel as hot. Phoenix averages less than one inch of rain in October. Visit www.weather.com for the latest weather forecast.

Sunrise: 6:37 am

Sunset: 5:48 pm



Time Zone

Phoenix, AZ, is in the Mountain Standard Time Zone (MST).

Additional Local Information

Downtown Phoenix has so much to offer those visiting this great city. Several museums and attractions give visitors a unique Southwestern experience, including the Phoenix Art Museum and Desert Botanical Gardens. The Herberger Theatre, Orpheum Theatre, and Symphony Hall offer excellent shows for those interested in the arts. Located in one of the most colorful deserts in the world, there are plenty of reasons to explore the outdoors while in Phoenix. Opportunities to hike, bike, take a balloon ride, and swing a golf club are endless. However, if you need time to relax or experience the Southwest at a slower pace, there are plenty of local shops and spas as well. Phoenix is home to two professional sports teams: the Arizona Diamondbacks (MLB) and the Phoenix Suns (NBA). Visit www.visitphoenix.com for more information on attractions and other activities. For Phoenix information at your fingertips, download the Free Phoenix Official Travel Guide 2013 app for iOS and Android!



Travel Information

The Hyatt Regency and Phoenix Convention Center are approximately 4 miles from the Sky Harbor International Airport. The following are suggested modes of transportation to get you to the convention.

Airport Shuttle

Shared ride service to and from the airport is available from SuperShuttle Phoenix. Ticket counters are located in each of the four terminals at the Sky Harbor International Airport. Advance reservations are highly recommended. To make your shuttle reservations in advance, please call (800) 258-3826 or (602) 244-9000 or visit www.supershuttle.com. Please note that SuperShuttle may make additional stops at other hotels that may delay your anticipated arrival/departure time.

Rental Cars

Hertz is the official car rental agency for the ACI Fall 2013 Convention. Receive discounts on upgrades, weekly rentals, and weekend rentals. To make advance reservations, call (800) 654-3131 or visit www.hertz.com. Provide the group code **1993380** when making your reservation.

When you arrive, use the Rental Car Shuttle, making continuous stops every 5 minutes at the curb on baggage claim levels of all terminals, to take you to the Hertz Car Rental Center.

Taxis

Taxis are available as follows: Terminal 2: East of the North curb, outside door #8. Terminal 3: North curbside, outside door #7, and Terminal 4: Level 1, North curbside, outside door #7.

The following taxis are contracted to pick up passengers at Phoenix Sky Harbor:

- Apache Taxi: (480) 557-7000
- AAA/Yellow Cab: (480) 888-8888
- Mayflower Cab: (602) 955-1355

Rates remain the same regardless of company, number of passengers, and number of bags. The first mile is \$5. Each additional mile is \$2.30. Each hour of a traffic delay is \$23. The approximate taxi fare from the Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport to the Hyatt Regency and Phoenix Convention Center is \$15. Each per-trip airport surcharge is \$1.



Travel Information

Valley Metro Light Rail and Bus System

The Metro Light Rail and Bus System is a convenient method of transportation in Phoenix. Stations are located at the Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport in Terminal 4 and the East Economy Parking Lot. The 3rd Street/Washington station is the closest station to the Hyatt Regency and Phoenix Convention Center. The Central Ave./Adams St. station is closest to the Renaissance Phoenix Hotel. Trains run **every 10 to 15 minutes during peak hours** and typically every 20 to 30 minutes at other times of the day.*

*Be sure to check the most accurate light rail schedule at www.valleymetro.org.

Fares

Valley Metro bus fareboxes accept all U.S. coins (except 50-cent coins) and \$1, \$2, and \$5 bills in good condition. Please have exact fare ready, as the bus operators and fareboxes do not provide change. An all-day pass may be purchased to transfer between routes or for multiple same-day trips, as transfer slips are no longer issued.

Note: It is not possible to pay for more than one rider using the same bill.

- Tickets are sold at ticket machines at the rail stations.
- Single ride: \$2.00
- All-day pass: \$4.00
- Seven-day pass: \$20.00
- 15-day pass: \$33.00
- For more information, visit the Valley Metro website at www.valleymetro.org.

Parking

Several parking options are available.

Hyatt Regency

Overnight Valet:

\$27.00 per 24 hours

Short-Term Valet Parking:

\$12.00 for the first hour, +\$1.00 each additional hour. After 10 hours, \$27.00.

Self-parking is available for \$19 per day in the Regency Parking Garage located adjacent to the Hyatt and convention center on N. 1st Street. In-and-out privileges are available in this lot.

Renaissance Hotel

Overnight Valet:

\$27.00 daily

Short-Term Valet Parking:

0-3 hours: \$12; 3-6 hours: \$15; 6-10 hours: \$18; 10+ hours: \$27.

Visas

ACI is unable to offer any financial assistance to attendees from outside the United States traveling to the convention but will provide a letter of invitation upon request. ACI strongly encourages attendees to request a visa letter **6 months prior** to the convention. ACI staff does not communicate directly with consulates or embassies on your behalf. Please contact ACI Event Services at conventions@concrete.org or (248) 848-3795 to request a letter. Please include your complete contact information (name, address, phone number, and e-mail address) in your request. To determine if a visa is required for your trip, go to <http://UnitedStatesVisas.us>.

Individuals from the countries listed in the above link should register on the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's Electronic System for Travel Authorization website and fill out an application before traveling by air or sea to the United States. If approved, this application is good for 2 years. You will not need to fill out the I-94W form before each trip. This program is designed to speed up the process for travelers, enable customs officials to screen passengers in advance, and improve security. For more information, please visit <https://esta.cbp.dhs.gov/esta/esta.html>.



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Hotel Reservations

Headquarter Hotel Information

The Hyatt Regency is located just steps from the Phoenix Convention Center and several other attractions in Phoenix. All convention events will take place in the Hyatt Regency & Phoenix Convention Center.

The Hyatt Regency has an assortment of amenities to offer guests—relaxing and comfortable guest rooms, a business center, a 24-hour fitness center, indoor pool, sauna, and more!

Occupancy	Rate
Single/Double	\$235 + 13.27% tax
Triple	\$275 + 13.27% tax
Quad	\$315 + 13.27% tax

To reserve your sleeping room at the Hyatt Regency, please call (602) 252-1234 and identify yourself as being with ACI and/or the American Concrete Institute. To reserve online, please visit https://resweb.passkey.com/Resweb.do?mode=welcome_ei_new&eventID=10586232.

Reservation cutoff is **September 27, 2013**. The convention rate is first-come, first-served and based on availability.

All reservations must be guaranteed with a credit card. Reservations may be made using American Express, Discover, MasterCard, Visa, and Diners Club International credit cards.

During your stay, you may be contacted at:

Hyatt Regency
122 North Second Street
Phoenix, AZ 85004
(602) 252-1234

Check in: 3:00 pm MST
Check out: 12:00 pm MST



Overflow Hotel Information

ACI also has a limited number of sleeping rooms at the Renaissance Phoenix Downtown Hotel. The Renaissance is located two blocks from the Phoenix Convention Center and there are no convention events being held at this hotel. To reserve your sleeping room at the Renaissance Phoenix, please call (602) 333-0000 and identify yourself as being with the American Concrete Institute. To reserve online, visit <https://resweb.passkey.com/go/americanconcrete>. Reservations must be guaranteed with a major credit card and first night room deposit. Reservation cutoff is **September 27, 2013**, and the convention rate is available on a first-come, first-served basis.

★ Please note: The convention rate listed below is only available for the nights of October 19 through October 22. Reservations for additional nights will have to be made separately at the current prevailing room rate.

Occupancy	Rate
Single/Double	\$199 + 13.27% tax
Triple	\$219 + 13.27% tax
Quad	\$239 + 13.27% tax

The Renaissance Phoenix Downtown is located at: 50 E Adams Street
Phoenix, AZ 85004

Special Needs

If you have special requests for your room type, please indicate this when you are making your reservation. Should you require a wheelchair-accessible room, please contact Alex Linerode at (248) 848-3785 or alex.linerode@concrete.org to assist you in making a reservation.

Cancellation Policy

Room reservations may be cancelled up until 3:00 pm MST 24 hours prior to the day of arrival without penalty. After this time, one night's room rate plus tax will be charged.

Hotel contracts require ACI to be financially liable for unused sleeping rooms. The sleeping room rate covers the cost of meeting space and the labor to set up each meeting room. Staying at the convention hotel also provides you with the benefit of after-hours networking and easy accessibility to meetings and sessions. Please help ACI avoid unnecessary penalties and keep registration fees low by booking your sleeping room at the Hyatt Regency or Renaissance Hotel.





Registration Information

Register before September 29, 2013, to take advantage of reduced registration fees!

How to Register

To register for the ACI Fall 2013 Convention, please visit the ACI convention website (www.aciconvention.org) or complete the registration form on pages 18 and 19. To register additional attendees, please copy the registration form and submit a separate form for each registrant. It is not necessary to include separate checks when submitting more than one registration form.

Register by mail, phone, fax, or Internet:

Mail: American Concrete Institute
C/O Fall 2013 Convention
38800 Country Club Drive
Farmington Hills, MI 48331
USA

Phone: (248) 848-3800

Fax: (248) 848-3801 or (248) 848-3701

Internet: www.aciconvention.org
(until October 6, 2013)

Only registration forms with payment will be processed.

Preregistration rates are available until **September 29, 2013**. Online registration closes on **October 6, 2013**. After 10/6/13, please register on site at the ACI Registration Desk located in the exhibit area at the Phoenix Convention Center.

Registration Fees

Registration Type	Through 9/29/13	After 9/29/13
Member	\$419	\$518
Nonmember	\$551	\$651
1-Day Member	\$215	\$304
1-Day Nonmember	\$294	\$383
Guest	\$100	\$100
Student	\$10	\$10

Registration fees cover the cost of meeting room rental, audiovisual equipment, coffee breaks, cyber café and wireless hot spot equipment and fees, signs, pre-convention and on-site materials, registration staff, and materials.

ACI Registration Desk Hours

Saturday	12:30 pm – 6:00 pm
Sunday	7:30 am – 5:00 pm
Monday	8:00 am – 5:00 pm
Tuesday	8:00 am – 5:00 pm
Wednesday	8:00 am – 12:00 pm

Guest Registration

There is a separate **Guest Registration Form** on page 19. To process a guest registration, ACI must receive the registration form of the convention attendee along with the guest registration. The guest registration fee includes a continental breakfast Sunday through Wednesday and attendance at the Opening Reception, Guest Social, and Concrete Mixer. **Guest registration does NOT include attendance to any of the technical sessions or committee meetings.**

Student Registration

To qualify for the student rate, you must be a currently enrolled, full-time student. All students who are not current members of ACI will need to provide a copy of their class schedule or a letter from their advisor. Please fax your proof of enrollment to (248) 848-3801 or e-mail it to carole.berrelez@concrete.org. **Registrations will not be processed until this information is received.**

Registration Information

Student Lunch

The Student Lunch is free to students who preregister by September 29, 2013. You must register for the lunch separately to receive a ticket.

Special Events and Tour Tickets

Registration for special events and tours may be found on pages 18 and 19. You must be a registered attendee or guest to purchase tickets for special events and tours (one ticket per attendee or guest). Tickets may be purchased up until 24 hours prior to the event for all special events and tours, subject to availability. Times for tours are subject to change.

Cancellation Policy

You may cancel your registration in writing and receive a full refund through September 29, 2013. After 9/29/13, there will be a \$100 service charge for attendee cancellations and a \$10 service charge for guest registration cancellations. No refunds will be given for registration or special events after 10/19/13. **Tour tickets are nonrefundable at any time after registration has been processed.**

Name Badges

Only registered attendees with name badges will be permitted to attend ACI functions. Attendees are encouraged to recycle their name badge holder. At the end of the convention, drop off your badge in our recycling bin.

Responsible Drinking Policy

Alcohol will not be served to anyone under the age of 21. All ACI-sponsored receptions will offer nonalcoholic beverages.

Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)

ACI conventions are ADA-compliant. Individuals requiring special assistance must contact ACI Event Services (conventions@concrete.org or (248) 848-3795) for further information. All requests for special accommodations under ADA are handled on a case-by-case basis and must be made allowing enough time for evaluation and appropriate action by ACI.

Photographs/Video

ACI will take photographs and video during the ACI Fall 2013 Convention and reproduce them in ACI educational, news, or promotional material—whether in print, electronic, or other media—including the ACI website. By participating in the ACI Fall 2013 Convention, you grant ACI the right to use your name, photograph, and biography for such purposes.

 Photographing, audio recording, or videotaping a speaker or presentation is prohibited without the speaker's prior written consent.



Attendee Registration Form—ACI Fall 2013 Convention

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Register online at www.aciconvention.org, fax completed form to (248) 848-3801, or call (248) 848-3800.

Please Print Clearly Mr. Miss Ms. Mrs.

Given Name		Last Name (Surname)	
Nickname for Name Badge		Member Number (required for member rate)	
Company or Affiliation		Occupation/Title	
Cell Phone	Phone	Fax	
Address			
City	State/Province	Zip Code/Mail Stop	
Country	E-mail Address		
Emergency Contact Name		Emergency Contact Phone	

Check Here if You Are:

- First-Time Convention Attendee
- Contractor
- Session Moderator/Co-Moderator
- Speaker
- Media
- Interested in becoming a convention mentor

Employer's Principal Business _____

Where will you be staying during the convention? (hotel name) _____

Check Here if You Wish To:

- Download a PDF or ePub of the convention program book in lieu of a hard copy on site.
- Receive information for future conventions via e-mail.
- NOT release your contact information to exhibitors at this convention.

 **Special Needs**

- Please check if you require assistance.

Dietary Restrictions—Type: _____

Cancellation Policy

A full refund will be issued for cancellations requested in writing prior to 9/29/13. After 9/29/13, there will be a \$100 service charge for attendee cancellations. No refunds will be given for special events and for registration after 10/19/13. Tour tickets are nonrefundable after registration has been processed.

Registration Fees—Preregistration rates are available until 9/29/13. Online registration closes 10/6/13. After 10/6/13, please register on site at ACI Registration located at the Phoenix Convention Center. All registrations must be prepaid to be processed.

	Before 9/29/13	After 9/29/13	AMOUNT
ACI Member (dues must be current to receive the member rate)	\$419 U.S.	\$518 U.S.	\$
Nonmember	\$551 U.S.	\$651 U.S.	\$
1-Day Member (Day: _____)	\$215 U.S.	\$304 U.S.	\$
1-Day Nonmember (Day: _____)	\$294 U.S.	\$383 U.S.	\$
Student (Please attach a copy of current semester class schedule to this form). You must register for the Student Lunch separately to receive a ticket.	\$10 U.S.	\$10 U.S.	\$

Special Events

Day	Event	#	Amount	Total
Saturday	Concrete Sustainability Forum VI	#	\$0 (F6)	\$
Sunday	International Lunch	#	\$30 U.S. (FIL)	\$
Monday	Rawhide Western Town Event	#	\$103 (F3)	\$
Monday	Student Lunch (Free to students who preregister by 9/29/13)	#	\$36 U.S. (FSL)	\$
Tuesday	Contractors' Day Lunch	#	\$37 U.S. (FCL)	\$
Thursday	Educational Seminar			
	Member rate	#	\$457 U.S.	\$
	Nonmember rate	#	\$597 U.S.	\$
	Student rate	#	\$125 U.S.	\$
*SUBTOTAL GUEST REGISTRATION and TOURS (from page 19)				\$
TOTAL AMOUNT DUE:				\$

Method of Payment:

Visa MasterCard American Express

Acct.# _____ Exp. Date _____

Signature _____

Check enclosed (please make checks payable to ACI in U.S. funds drawn on a U.S. bank)

For ACI Use: _____ PREV

Date rec: _____ Check # _____

Payment: _____

Ck pers: _____ Ck bus: _____

Mail completed registration form with payment to: ACI, c/o Fall 2013 Convention, 38800 Country Club Dr., Farmington Hills, MI 48333-9094 USA

Guest and Tour Registration Form—ACI Fall 2013 Convention

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Check here if you wish to receive information for future conventions via e-mail

Are you a first-time ACI convention guest? Yes No

Please print clearly

Attendee/Member Given Name		Attendee/Member Last Name (Surname)	
Attendee/Member Number	Home Phone		Cell Phone
Guest Given Name (please complete if guest registration fee is paid)		Guest Last Name (Surname)	
Home Address			
City	State/Province		Zip Code/Mail Stop
Country	E-mail Address		
Special Needs: <input type="checkbox"/>  Please check here if you require assistance. <input type="checkbox"/> Dietary Restrictions—Type:			

Guest Registration Fee				
	Guest Registration	#	@ \$100 U.S. =	\$
Tours (One ticket per registrant)				
Sunday	Southwest Story Tour	#	\$85 U.S. (F1)	\$
Monday	Musical Instrument Museum	#	\$48 U.S. (F2)	\$
Tuesday	Taliesin West—Design Studio of Frank Lloyd Wright	#	\$65 U.S. (F4)	\$
Wednesday	A Taste of Old Scottsdale	#	\$102 U.S. (F5)	\$
SUBTOTAL Guest Registration & Tours:*				\$
(All prices are in U.S. dollars)				

Guest Registration and Tour Cancellation Policy

A full refund will be issued for guest registration fees for cancellations requested in writing prior to 9/29/13. After 9/29/13, a \$10 service charge will apply. No refunds will be given on guest registration fees requested after 10/19/13.

Tour tickets are nonrefundable after registration has been processed.

Guest Registration Fee—Includes continental breakfast Sunday through Wednesday and attendance at the Opening Reception, Guest Social, and Concrete Mixer. Guest Registration does not include attendance to any of the technical sessions or meetings.

*See page 18 to register for special events and lunches.

Please transfer Guest Registration and Tours Subtotal to page 18.

This form must accompany attendee's registration form to be processed.





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