



Concrete Cracking Technical Talk - Register Now!

- October 12, 2016
- 11:15 am Registration
- 11:45 am Lunch
- 12:00 pm Presentation
- Cost: \$15 KS ACI Members, \$20 Non Members (includes Lunch)
- 1 pdh credit available for engineers



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His presentation will cover various aspects related to concrete cracking. Often, the key to addressing cracking issues is learning how to properly determine the cause of the crack so it can be mitigated and prevented in future projects. Topics covered in this presentation include:

- Causes and Control of Cracking
- Evaluation Methods
- Mitigation
- Crack Repair

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The [American Concrete Institute](#) has a new three-day webinar series: [Guide to ACI 562-16 Repair Code: Design Examples](#).

This webinar series will run for two hours on each of September 27, 28, and 29, 2016.

Highlights of the webinar include an overview of ACI 562, a typical parking garage repair, a typical façade repair, the adaptive reuse of a historic depot, strengthening of a parking/plaza slab, and repair of a precast/prestressed double-tee.

Expert speakers include:

- Jared E Brewe, PhD, PE, SE, Simpson Gumpertz & Heger
- Kevin Conroy, PE, SE, Simpson Gumpertz & Heger
- Kip Gatto, PE, SE, Wiss, Janney, Elstner Associates
- Tony Gueorguiev, PE, SE, Freyssinet
- Keith Kesner, PhD, PE, SE, FACI, CVM Professional

- Carl J Larosche, PE, FACI, Wiss, Janney, Elstner Associates
- Patrick D Martin, PE, Carl Walker
- Gustavo Tumialan, PhD, PE, FACI, Simpson Gumpertz & Heger.

In addition to reviewing the process behind each design example, speakers will demonstrate how to use the [ACI 562-16 Code Requirements for Assessment, Repair, and Rehabilitation of Existing Concrete Structures and Commentary](#).

The three-day webinar series costs \$150.00, and ACI members can attend for the discounted rate of \$120.00. All webinar attendees receive credits by attending the entire duration of the live webinars or passing a quiz after each webinar.

Based on nearly one century of content from ACI, the ACI 562 repair code combines the Institute's historical knowledge with state-of-the-art resources on the evaluation, repair, and rehabilitation of concrete buildings.

The new [ACI 562 Repair Code Portal](#) showcases ACI's many resources on concrete repair including informational videos, free on-demand presentations on the new code requirements, recent industry articles on concrete repair, and more.

Dates to Save in the Future:

- October 12, 2016, Concrete Cracking Technical Talk
 - October 23 - 27, 2016, ACI National Convention & Exhibition, Philadelphia, PA
 - February 2 - 5, 2017, World of Concrete 2017, Las Vegas, NV
 - February 10, 2017, KS ACI Chapter Board of Directors Meeting
 - February 10, 2017, KS ACI Concrete Awards Dinner Program
 - February 11, 2017, Scholer Peterson Concrete Conference, Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS
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- Kansas City
- Topeka

Certifications offered:

- Concrete Field Testing Technician - Grade 1
- Concrete Flatwork Finisher/Technician
- Other exams are available upon special request and scheduled on a "as needed" basis. Please call for additional information.

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