



BRIDGING GAPS

building links in pre-construction meetings to ensure quality concrete projects

August 20, 2009
Birmingham, AL
9 am - 11 am
2 hrs of PDHs or 2 CEUs

Bridging the Gap - Purpose

Learn what issues should be addressed during the pre construction meeting to insure a quality concrete project, and are you meeting your obligations according to ASTM and ACI standards.

Topics to be covered

- Job Site Inspections – Who will inspect the forms and rebar? Who is responsible for curing? Where will cylinders be stored?
- Sampling and Testing – What is the testing frequency? Who will conduct the testing and are technicians certified?
- Acceptance and Rejection – Who has the authority to reject loads? What are the tolerances for slump, air, and unit weight?
- Specimen Handling – How will cylinders be cured? Will transportation and handling of cylinders be in accordance with ASTM C 31?
- Testing of In Place Concrete – How will the test results be evaluated and by whom?

Who Should Attend? Architects, Engineers, Contractors, Testing Firms, Ready Mix Industry

About the Instructor: Johnny Canfield is currently employed by the Alabama Concrete Industries Association as its Technical Director. Johnny has over 40 years of experience in concrete mix design, concrete design and construction, and concrete testing. During his long career, Johnny has served with Alabama Power, as a principal at Qore and Ground Engineering, instructed soil classes at UAB, and owned a firm which specializes in diagnosing concrete problems.

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