

2014 Annual Meeting and Training Sessions

"Building Strong Connections"

DELEGATES PROGRAM - TECHNICAL SESSIONS



Monday, September 29th, 2014

6:45 am **Continental Breakfast —**
Exhibitor Area - Great Room A&B

7:30 am **Companion Program — Hard Rock Cafe**
Breakfast - Hard Rock Cafe -7:45am Zumba | 9:15am Bus Leaving from the Hard Rock Cafe.

8:30 am **Opening Ceremonies — Great Room C**
M/C VP Alan Shaw, CBCO. Speeches, special guests and awards (OMA-Video Presentation)

9:00 am **ACBOA Meeting — Strategy Room 7**

10:00 am **Break and Trade Show —**
Exhibitor Area

10:30 am **[MMAH Provincial Updates — Niagara Room Crowne Plaza](#)**
Brenda Lewis, Director - MMAH | James Douglas, Manager - MMAH | Chris Thompson, Manager - MMAH - Both Ministry/Ontario Government sessions bookend the conference: The first session lightly covers the chosen... [more](#)

12:00 pm **City of Niagara Lunch — Great Room C**
Great Room C

1:30 pm **Chapter Chairs Meeting —**

[Plumbing - The house and nothing but the house!! — Strategy Room 1](#)

Bill Plewes - Director of Building Services and Chief Building Official - A detailed look into what every inspector needs to know about inspecting plumbing in a single family dwelling.

1:40 pm

[Building Failures and Forensic Engineering — Strategy Room 2](#)

Joseph S Vidican, P.Eng. - Vidican Engineering Inc. - This presentation is about understanding about what is involved in forensic engineering and investigations. Presenting real cases and circumstances...
[more](#)

[2015 OBC Enhanced Barrier-Free Requirements — Strategy Room 3](#)

David Vickers, B.Sc., CET, CFPS | Project Manager, Randal Brown & Associates Engineering Ltd. - This presentation will provide a general overview of the Ontario Building Code enhanced barrier free...
[more](#)

3:00 pm

Break and Trade Show —

Exhibitor Area

[Plumbing - Plumbing Disasters and how to avoid them. — Strategy Room 1](#)

Bill Plewes - Director of Building Services and Chief Building Official- A look into cases that involve plumbing disasters causing injury or death and how the inspector can prevent these from happening...
[more](#)

3:30 pm

[Farm Buildings - Current Building Issues — Strategy Room 2](#)

Steve Adema, Director of Engineering, Principal - A look at current issues surrounding agricultural buildings, structural considerations, design pitfalls and building codes. Issues highlighted by actual... [more](#)

[Brownfields Program - Ontario Reg. 153/04 and OBC — Strategy Room 3](#)

Jennifer Volpato M.Eng., P.Geo., P.Eng. - This presentation will focus on the interaction between Ontario Regulation 153/04 (as amended) and the Ontario Building Code Act including a detailed discussion... [more](#)

6:15 pm

Theme Night Dinner — Great Room C

Sheraton on The Falls - Following Dinner, Experience the mystery and art of illusion with Greg Frewin (Off Site).

7:15 pm

Board Buses to Theater — Hotel Front Entrance

8:00 pm

Greg Frewin Magic Show — (Off-Site)

One of the most decorated magicians in the world. Join us for our Las Vegas Style Magical Review featuring spectacular appearances by our rare and majestic tigers. Your imagination will be captivated and... [more](#)

Tuesday, September 30th, 2014

Wednesday, October 1st, 2014

Thursday, October 2nd, 2014

6:45 am Continental Breakfast —
Exhibitor Area

Continental Breakfast —
5th Floor

7:30 am

Continental Breakfast —
5th Floor

8:00 am Sponsor a Student — Fallsview B,C
Technical Session - Video

8:30 am Annual General Meeting — Great Room C -
President Mike Seiling, CBCO | M/C John DeVries, CBCO, (Exhibitor
Special Recognition Awards, IPEX, Cast Iron Soil Pipe(Bibby Ste.
Croix, CUFCA, Durock, BASF) FaceTime with Target 9:30am

[A Road Map to the Fire Code - How it relates to the Building Code. — Strategy Room 1](#)

A Road Map to the Fire Code - How it relates to the Building Code, its main purposes, and Retrofit (OFMEM) Ms. Susan Clarke - This presentation will explain the purpose of the Ontario Fire Code (OFC)...

[more](#)

[High performance buildings and Passive survival — Strategy Room 2](#)

Jack Laken, P.Eng. B.Sc., President of Termobuild Canada - This session reveals simple and instantly rewarding sustainable initiatives that can be implemented to heat and cool buildings using basic off-the-shelf...

[more](#)

[Operational Excellence — Strategy Room 2](#)

Understanding Your Budget, and Interacting and Communicating with Council. Alicia Italiano, Senior Financial Analyst, City of Kitchener - Mike Seiling, CBO of Kitchener Serve as professional development...

[more](#)

[Product Certification, their Testing and Listing — Strategy Room 3](#)

Specific to Building Authorities, the presentation lays out how Product or Design certification is carried out including the what for and how do they work. Moving forward will be a look at different testing... [more](#)

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10:00 am Break and Trade Show —
Exhibitor Area

Break —
5th Floor

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CSA Group - Declaring Environmental Impacts of Products - From PCRs to EPDs — Strategy Room 1

Want to learn more about the environmental impact of products? Learn why product transparency is increasingly important in today's marketplace CSA Group is pleased to provide a session at the OBOA AMTS...

[more](#)

Farm Buildings - Structural Concrete Considerations — Strategy Room 2

Bart Kanters, P.Eng., MBA (Director of Technical Services) - Agricultural farm buildings continue to increase in size and complexity and some manure storage facilities are equivalent in size to that of... [more](#)

Legal - Electronic Notes, Courtroom Testimony — Strategy Room 3

Ted Allen - Senior Prosecutor, Region of York ELECTRONIC NOTES: Can the inspector rely on computer generated notes for court? COURTROOM TESTIMONY: Part one certificate evidence whereby the inspector...

[more](#)

Recognizing Risk and Reducing Liability for Municipal Building Departments 2014 — Strategy Room 1

Alison Orr, P.Eng., CBCO - Marianne Brown, P.Eng., CBCO - This updated session will help municipal building officials recognize risk and reduce liability associated with plan examination and inspections.... [more](#)

Legal Corner #1 - What's New, What's Significant, What You Need to Know — Strategy Room 2

Leo Longo, John Mascarini | Aird & Berlis - Stephen Lockwood | MMAH - Come attend your annual legal update on significant court decisions and new legislation over the past 12 months which affect how... [more](#)

Overview of the CSAF280 - 2012 — Strategy Room 3

Andrew Oding CEA, LEED AP, Senior Building Science Associate - As the OBC continues to elevate the envelope efficiency requirements for part 9 homes, the need for right-sized mechanical systems has become... [more](#)

Organizational Effectiveness — Strategy Room 2

Leading in the Political Environment: Issues, Tools and Roles. Jack Grosvenor, Jack Grosvenor & Associates Serve as professional development and network opportunity for CBOs, DCBOs, Managers,...

[more](#)

10:30 am

12:00 pm

Exhibitors & Past Presidents Lunch — Great Room C

Charity Fundraiser —
(draw)

Lunch —

1:00 pm

Industry Relations — Strategy Room 2

Risk Management: New Competency Requirements for Residential Builders
Howard Bogach, President and CEO of Tarion Warranty Corporation - Joe Vaccaro, CEO of Ontario Home Builders Association - Mike...

[more](#)

Mid Rise Construction — Strategy Room 1

Steven Street-Technical Director, Canadian Wood Council - This presentation will focus on Mid-rise wood construction. The presentation will briefly touch on code history to provide context for pending... [more](#)

Radon Mitigation in Can. New Exposure Guidelines, Research & Stand. Dev. — Strategy Room 2

Dr. Mainul Husain - Regional Radiation Specialist, Health Canada, Environmental Health Program, Ontario Region - Learn more about effective radon mitigation techniques described in Health Canada's Reducing... [more](#)

Alternative Solutions to use Non-ULC Listed Combustible Sprinkler Pipe. — Strategy Room 3

Mr. Don Casey, LEL, C.E.T., CFPS, BCIN - Randal Brown & Associates Engineering Ltd - This session will discuss the use of the Alternative Solution Proposal provisions in the 2012 Ontario Building Code... [more](#)

PowerBlades Industries Inc. — Niagara - 615 Rusholme Road, Welland

Bus leaves after lunch on Tuesday (1:30pm) This year's tour will focus on wind power generation. Already home to the mighty Niagara Falls, perhaps the 'greenest' generator of power in the country, over...

[more](#)

Design Opportunities-Smoke Rated Curtains and Fire Rated Barriers — Strategy Room 1

Jeff Sokol, LEED AP, GSC | LPA Group - To introduce alternate technologies for rated fire door assemblies, discuss Fire and Life Safety Code requirements and how those Code requirements drive placement... [more](#)

Legal Corner # 2 What's New, What's Significant, What You Need to Know — Strategy Room 2

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Health & Safety for Building Inspectors — Strategy Room 3

Monica Szabo, Regional Director - Central Region, Jayne Smith - Health and Safety Consultant, Public Service Health Safety Association - This session will review the health and safety responsibilities... [more](#)

1:40 pm

2:30 pm

Break —

3:00 pm

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Emergency Management for CBO's — Strategy Room 2
Building Department Emergency Preparedness and Response: Tornado in Town of Angus. Heather Rutherford, CBO of Township of Essa - Daphne Farrell, Field Officer - Emergency Management Program Delivery...

[more](#)

Passivhaus Standard — Strategy Room 1

Craig England, B.E.S., M. Arch., OAA, LEED AP BD+C, Architect | Terrell Wong, BArch, OAA, Architect | Danny Harvey, Ph.D., M.Sc., B.Sc. - Ontario Association of Architects - Emerging sustainable rating... [more](#)

3:30 pm

The Goderich Tornado And The Aftermath — Strategy Room 2

Jason Dykstra CBO - The Town of Goderich, Jim Spence - Former CBO of The Town of Goderich - There are no details for this sessions at this time.

Marijuana Production Facilities — Strategy Room 3

Ms. Patricia A. Douel, P.Eng. - Steve Wever, MCIP, RPP - Senior Planner, GSP Group Inc. Federal regulations, the different types of operations and typical building/location requirements.

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6:15 pm

Presidents Dinner — Great Room C -

Cocktails @ 5:00 - 6:00pm | Dinner @ 6:15pm
