
Association News

Annual Conference Early Registration closing soon



[Register Now.](http://www.nawic.org/annual_conference)

NAWIC Member Awards Accepting Nominations



Nominations for Future Leader Award, Lifetime Achievement Award, and Member of the Year Award are open! Nominate a deserving member from your chapter to have her recognized at Annual Conference.

[Learn More...](#)

OSHA 10 Training offered at Annual Conference

OSHA 10 Training & Certification

Available at Annual Conference 2022

Register at nawic.org/annual_conference

What is OSHA 10 Training?

OSHA 10-hour training teaches basic safety and health information to entry-level workers in construction and general industry. It is part of the OSHA Outreach Training Program, which explains serious workplace hazards, workers' rights, employer responsibilities and how to file an OSHA complaint.

Tuesday, Aug. 16 & Wednesday, Aug. 17

Members: \$50

Non-Members: \$65

\$159 value

Instructors:

Kathi Dobson, CIT, CSP, STS-C, SMS, CHS

Cindy Spiropoulos, CIT, LEED GA

Breaks & Lunch sponsored by



DE&I Awards nominations extended through May 31

DE&I Awards

Corporate Leadership Award

For Organizations

Ideal recognition will be to an entity that serves as a catalyst for change while cultivating a culture that brings about advancement for the AEC industry.

Champions of Progress Award

For Individuals

Changemakers who exemplify through actions, vision, and tools ideals that shift the paradigm for the construction industry.

Act. Achieve. Inspire. Award

Up to 3 awards to Chapters

Recognize and award chapters that have implemented DE&I with dedication and authenticity.

Please look for more information soon on these awards regarding details, applications and due dates for submission. Recognizing contributions to our industry and our association are great ways to show appreciation and realize recognition to move the needle on Project Excellence and Equity!



Carol A Kueker Construction Education Visionary Award nominations open

The Kueker Award recognizes an Educator or Advocate who has passion for and dedication to Construction Education. Nominations are open through May 15.

[Learn More...](#)

Chapter Leadership Training this weekend

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**CHAPTER
LEADERSHIP
TRAINING**

Learn about board roles,
transitions, best practices,
strategic planning & more!

Two sessions available:
May 12 & 13

Register now at
nawic.org.



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Meet the National Board Candidates: Campaign Videos

As we near the polls opening date for the 2022-23 National Board of Directors election, we urge you to get to know the candidates! You can check out their campaign videos below to learn about each candidate and why they are running for a National Board position.



Join NAWIC for the 'Equity in the Construction Industry' panel

Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion and Professional Development & Education Presents:

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EQUITY IN THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY

Our panel will share their stories as a woman in construction and inspire others on how they are moving the needle (society/agencies/corporations) on diversity and equity.

PANELISTS

TUESDAY, MAY 24, 2022

11AM PST / 12PM MST / 1PM CST / 2PM EST

VIRTUAL

REGISTER TODAY: NAWIC.ORG/WEBINARS

Moderator: Brent Darnell

Julie Blazek, AIA, LEED AP, CPHC
Partner @ H&P Architects

Roi Chang, PE, SE, LEED AP
Structural Engineer & Principal @ ROCH Structural, PLLC

Heather Kurtenbach
Business Agent @ Ironworkers Local 88-Union

Vickie Travis
Safety Manager @ SQN Associates

EnvisionEquity

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Education / Training

The Coaching Corner with Michael Riegel: More is Better?



Chinsoku is a Japanese word meaning to feel sufficient or satisfied with what we have. Too often, my clients believe that more is better. More money, more responsibility, more staff, more social media likes...just more. Many never take a step back to ask themselves what having more would mean or the unintended consequences. This applies equally to those working within organizations as it does to business owners.

Some seem hard-wired to believe that there will never be enough. They may have been told at an early age that forward progress and success means striving for and accumulating more. It is a conscious choice to choose and adopt a mindset of chisoku. Sometimes, it is hard to make that choice or to even calculate what enough even means. Let's consider some of the big picture and tactical elements of choosing enough as a default approach.

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Harness Safety



NAWIC Benefits Spotlight

Industry Councils: Find the council for you today!



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Builders.
Building
Leaders.

INDUSTRY COUNCILS

Do you want to network and share best practices with other women in your field? NAWIC Industry Councils provide a warm and welcome environment to connect with our women who understand your daily struggles and triumphs. Make connections, brainstorm new ideas, and learn from other members. Find the council for you today!

- Administration & Finance
- Business Development, Sales, & Marketing
- Human Resources & Legal
- Management/Operations
- Project Management & Safety
- Technology
- Tradeswomen
- Women Business Owner
- Women of Color

For more information, go to nawic.org/committees or email Membership Coordinator Amber Kohut at amberk@nawic.org.

[Learn More...](#)

Industry Update

Round Table: Mental health a key part of jobsite safety

In light of Construction Safety Week, Construction Dive asked experts to weigh in on the high suicide rate plaguing the industry and what employers can do to protect workers.

[Learn More...](#)

New McCarthy CFO: Jobs crisis industry's 'biggest challenge'

Kristine Newman, recently announced as CFO of the St. Louis-based contractor, said she believes building a unified front is key to combating the labor shortage.

[Learn More...](#)

Construction attorney: Compliance ‘weakest part’ of supplier diversity efforts

Paula Finch says diversity goals are designed to help lift all contractors, but enforcement programs are often under-resourced.

[Learn More...](#)

Report: Construction workers on the front lines of climate change risks

A new California legislative analysis suggests climate change poses a particular hazard to employees who cannot avoid outdoor exposure, including construction workers, and that the risk is increasing.

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Groundbreaking Women in Construction 2022

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Chapter Leadership Training Webinar

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Northeast Region Spring Forum

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Technology Industry Council Webinar

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North Central Spring Forum

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PD&E/DE&I - Equity in the Construction Industry Webinar

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Tradeswomen Industry Council Monthly Webinar

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Tradeswomen Industry Council Monthly Webinar

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Aug 2022

NAWIC 2022 Annual Conference

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