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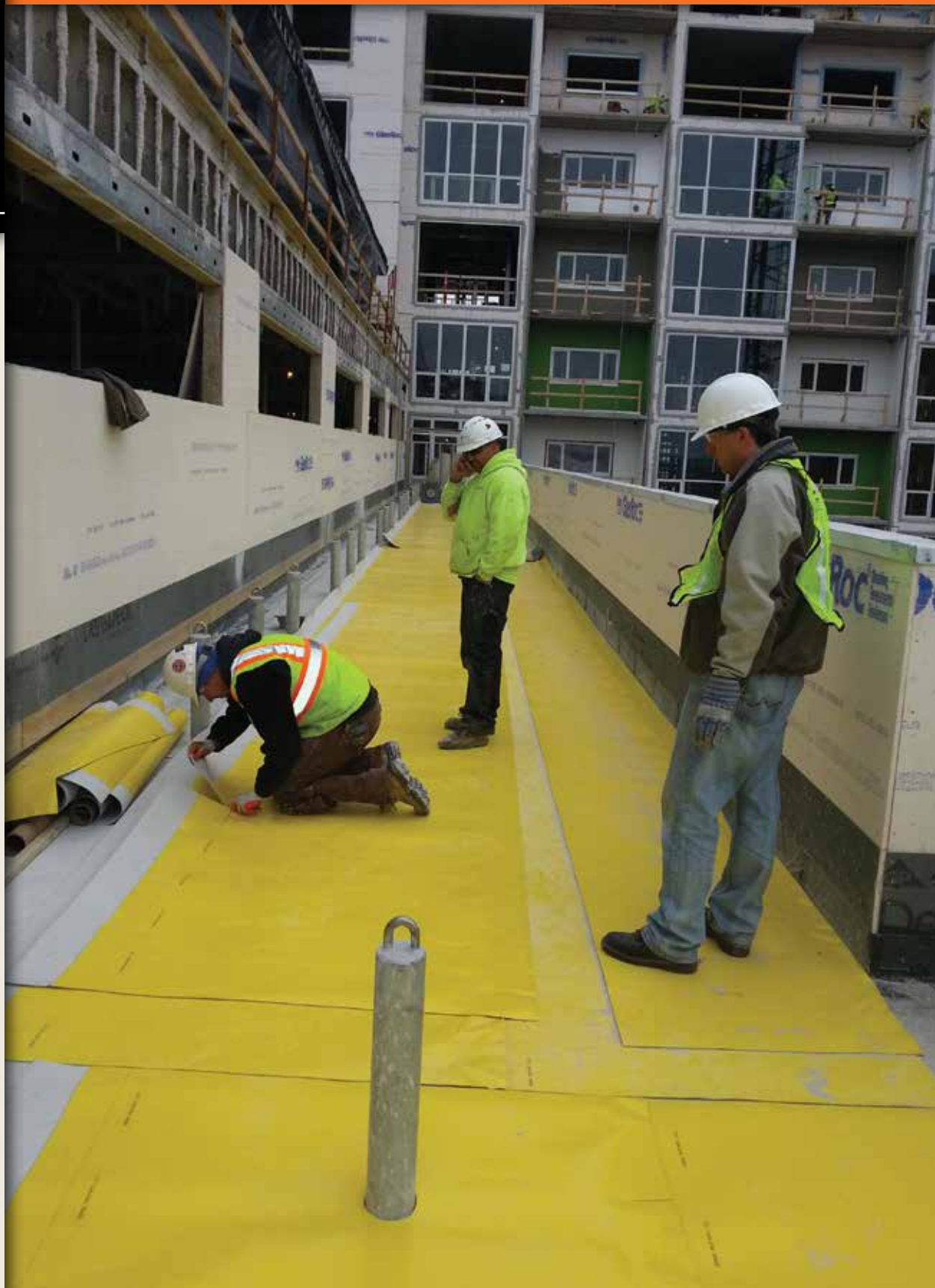


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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SEPTEMBER

- 20 **Dinner meeting**
"An Introduction to Shotcrete"
Westwood Tavern
Schaumburg, IL
- 23 **ICRI Chicago Cubs Rooftop Event**
Chicago Cubs vs. St. Louis Cardinals
1048 Sky Lounge
Chicago, IL

OCTOBER

- 31 **Award Applications Due.**
See call for entries in this issue or
icrichicago.org for more details.

DECEMBER

- 8 **ICRI Chicago Holiday Social**
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OUR MISSION...

The mission of the International Concrete Repair Institute is to be a leading resource for education and information to improve the quality of repair, restoration, and protection of concrete and other structures in accordance with consensus criteria.



LETTER FROM OUR PRESIDENT



Heading into the "turn" of our construction season in Chicago, I hope that each of you has had a productive summer and that things are looking bright for the remainder of 2016. It's around this time each year that most of us again review our business and make adjustments to our work practices to insure that we meet our planned goals for the year.

We should also do the same for our work outside of the business. Whether it's enjoying our friends and families, completing a home repair project or just tossing a lure in the water, our successes in business are only part of who we are as individuals, and we must find balance to enjoy those other things that not only make us who we are, but are many times the reason why we put so much effort into our success at work. The cold months of winter will be among us sooner than you think, so make sure to schedule time to enjoy the warm days while you can.

Along those lines, our chapter has again negotiated with Wrigley Field Rooftops for our summer social event. The Cubs are having a truly memorable season and the date we have selected is the last Friday home game against the rival St. Louis Cardinals. It will be a great time to relax and take in the game while networking or hanging out with friends and family. I hope to see you there.

Other upcoming events that we have planned are our September Dinner Meeting and October Seminar, both focused on opportunities to include Shotcrete into your concrete repair projects. We have partnered with American Shotcrete Association (ASA) to provide PDH opportunities and a wealth of information on all aspects of including the process into your projects. Our November Dinner Meeting will be a panel discussion focusing on Bid Documents, RFIs and the Submittal Process. And to round out the year, our Holiday Social in December is moving to Top Golf in Naperville where we will continue the tradition of our Texas Hold 'em poker game after having a chance to swing the clubs and participate in other "reindeer games."

Please join us and others in our industry as we continue to build our industry through Education, Communication and Partnership.

Sincerely,

Sean Meracle
 2016 ICRI Chicago Chapter President



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Over 60 members attended the April 19th Chicago Chapter dinner meeting at the Erie Cafe to network and watch Edward "Ned" Lyon, Staff Consultant of Simpson Gumpertz Heger Inc.'s Boston Office, present "A Little More Background About Moisture in Concrete As It Relates to ASTM F3010." He did a wonderful job informing the chapter on his experiences in analyzing and solving problems involving condensation, moisture migration, air infiltration, and water leakage. As usual the Prime Rib was supreme.



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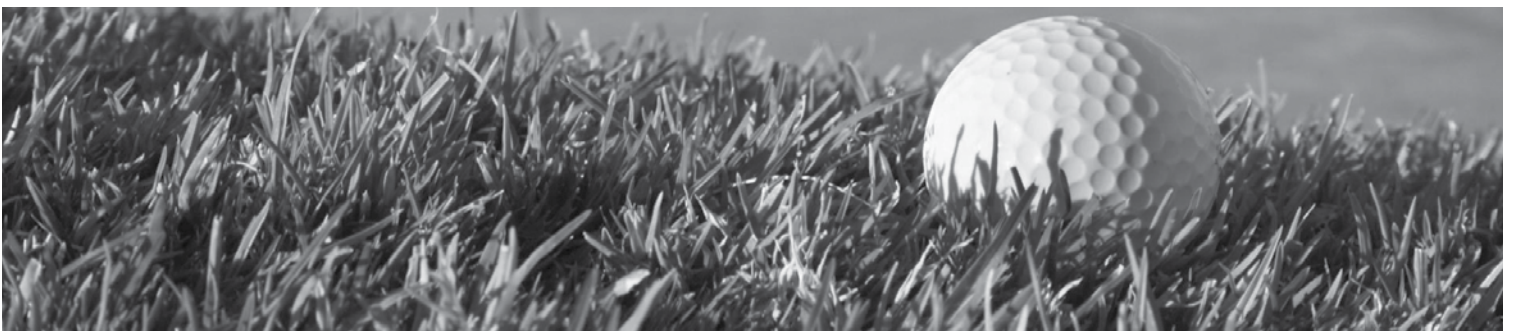
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On Thursday, June 2nd, the ICRI Chicago Chapter held its 21st Annual Golf Outing and Scholarship Fundraiser. As usual, this event was extremely well attended, and all proceeds allow for continued outreach to educational programs in the Chicagoland area and provide for scholarship opportunities for future leaders in the Industry.







ICRI CHICAGO CHAPTER SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM AWARDS

The ICRI Chicago Chapter Scholarship Program's goal is to assist local under-graduates who have decided to study Engineering, Architecture, Construction Management, Concrete Industry Management, or a related field. Many qualified applicants participated in the submittal process this year and we are proud to announce that two \$2,500.00 scholarships were awarded.

They are as follows:

- 1) Abbey Buehler - Bradley University
- 2) Michael Martin - Purdue University Calumet

The ICRI Chicago Chapter Board of Directors would like to officially congratulate the recipients! We would also like to thank the Scholarship Committee for putting forth a tireless effort in the selection process and look forward to the 2017's Scholarship Program.



Chapter Dinner Meeting & Educational Seminar....

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AWARDS PROGRAM

Award Criteria. Entries will be judged on uniqueness, use of current technologies & materials, functionality, value engineering and aesthetics. The Judges - ICRI Chicago Chapter Awards Board of Directors and Committee Members - consist of Engineers, Contractors and Manufacturers working within the Concrete Repair Industry.

Eligibility. The project must be at substantial completion phase by October 1st, 2016. A single-phase of a long term project may be submitted provided it meets the same timeline. Concrete repair or restoration must be the MAJOR component of the overall project. The project must be designed, performed or supplied by an ICRI Chicago Chapter member.

Deadline for Entry. The deadline for receipt of the entry application is October 31, 2016 to:

Awards.ICRI.Chicago@gmail.com

Awards. Winning Projects will be announced in the November issue of the Concrete Reinforcer and presented at the ICRI Chicago Chapter 2017 February Dinner Meeting & Educational Seminar.

Complete Rules and Entry Forms can be reviewed and downloaded from www.icrichicago.org

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No. 03732	Guideline for Selecting and Specifying Concrete Surface Preparation for Sealers, Coatings, and Polymers Overlays - Guideline Only	\$ 28.00
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