From the Board of Directors of the Great Lakes Region to all of you:

We want to wish you the happiest of holidays!

Merry Christmas

Happy New Year!
Use. Items are now available such as caps, shirts, jackets, pens, cups, and other accessories that can be ordered with your Chapter or Region logo or CSI logo. A great gift idea!

This will accompany the already open CSI Bookstore to purchase current construction-related books as Guides for the upcoming CDT, CCS, and CCCA Certification Exams being offered in the Spring of 2020 and Bookstore feature discounts with you CSI Membership savings.

The CDT Spring 2020 Certification Registration has been posted to the Certification portion of the Institute Website:

- Exam Window: April 20 – May 22, 2020
- Early Registration: February 19 – March 19, 2020 – Best Registration Rates
- Late Registration: March 20 – May 20, 2020
- Results Notification: June 2020 via email


The 2020 GLR Conference will be held April 23-25, 2020 in Covington KY, across the river from Cincinnati OH. The Covington Radisson Hotel will be the venue. Currently, the organizing committee is seeking sponsors for the Conference. Shortly, you will be able to reserve your rooms at a great rate. Stay tuned for additional information concerning the GLR Conference found in this and future GLR Newsletters.

I want to wish everyone this holiday season a happy, joyous, and prosperous experience!

Drop me a line or call about any concerns or questions about CSI.

Thanks!

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CERTIFICATION QUIZ ANSWERS


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The TOP TEN reasons to attend the Great Lakes Region Conference.
April 23-25 2020
Host Chapter: Cincinnati
Radisson Hotel
668 W 5th St, Covington KY 41011

1. **Chapter Presidents** are Directors of the Region Board.
   Required to attend the annual board meeting as a voting member/send a proxy.
2. **New Chapter Officer Leadership Training**
   Recently Elected Chapter Officers. Get training to be the best you can be.
3. **Share Best Practices.**
   Officer, Committee or General member- See how other chapters celebrate success.
4. **Leadership Training.**
   Industry best practices benefit everyone.
5. **Fun, Fun, Fun.**
   Zoo Tours. Ball Games. Shopping. Building Tours. Host Chapter events focus on fun.
6. **New to CSI?**
   Find out what the Region is all about
7. **Get an Award!**
   Comprehensive Awards program- submit and show off!
8. **See the Host City**
   Come see the host city. Experience it with someone who lives in the area/show you all the best places!
9. **See old friends.**
   One of the best things is seeing good friends from year to year.
10. **Meet New People.**
    One of the best things is meeting new people from year to year.
11. **Vote!**
    The Region has one face to face meeting each year. It happens at the Region Conference. Come and let your voice be heard.
The 2020 CSI Great Lakes Region Conference
Cincinnati, Ohio - April 23 - 25, 2020

Call for Sponsors

The purpose of CSI is to bring all partners from the construction industry together. The 2020 CSI Great Lakes Region Conference will bring together CSI members and guests from Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana, Michigan, and West Virginia. Through your sponsorship, you will be able to reach the design, contractor, and supplier communities from five states at the same time by sponsoring a single event. Being a Great Lake Region Conference sponsor will provide you with a great connection of your product, and company (and your face if you attend) to many CSI members and guests throughout the region.

Click [HERE](http://www.csicincinnati.org/great-lakes-region-conference) to go to the 2020 Great Lakes Region Conference page on the CSI Cincinnati website. There you will find out all about the conference. Purchasing a sponsorship online is easy!

Thank you for your support of CSI!

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1. It is important to establish the site condition prior to:
   a. Notice to proceed
   b. Mobilization
   c. Negotiation Procurement
   d. Signing the Contract

2. Which of the following is not a document for Negotiating?
   a. Invitation to Bid
   b. Request for Proposal (RFP)
   c. Drawings and Specifications
   d. Reduction in Scope of Work

3. All of the following could be Articles in PART 1- GENERAL of a Specification except:
   a. References
   b. Action Submittals
   c. Source Quality Control
   d. Measurement and Payment

4. Outline specifications aid in the design process for all of the following except:
   a. Revising Cost Estimates and Schedules
   b. Value Engineering Studies
   c. Checklist for Selecting Products
   d. Serving as the Basis for Subcontracts in Fast Track Construction

5. All of the following activities are associated with the Project Conception Stage except:
   a. Predesign
   b. Planning
   c. Commissioning
   d. Programming

Answers can be found at bottom of Page 2.
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