

Francis L. Fryberg*, FCSI

“In recognition of his distinguished achievements in the science of construction, as a teacher of construction techniques, as an imaginative speaker at countless meetings of professional and technical societies, as an originator in the development of performance standards for paints, window wall sealants, and exposed aggregate concrete construction, as an innovator of assemblages and new products, as a professional who approached each problem with both theoretical and practical viewpoints, as a man whose good judgment and absolute competence in the fields of specification writing and materials analysis contributed enormously to the refinement and acceptance of the CSI Format; and in further recognition of his subtle wit, contagious enthusiasm and willingness to share his knowledge, he is advanced to Fellowship in the Institute on this 26th day of May, 1965.”

San Diego, California

FRANCIS L. FRYBERG was a member of the New York Chapter. He earned a chemical engineering degree from college.

Fryberg gravitated into specification writing by a circuitous route during the 1940s and 1950s. During the 1950s he was associated with Skidmore Owings and Merrill as a specifier. While with this firm he spent a considerable amount of time in Morocco, working on the design of several major airports.

When curtain wall design was in its infancy, Fryberg contributed toward the development of sealant standards in those areas.

One of Fryberg's most valuable services to CSI was as a member of the 3-man task force that established the CSI Format.

In his honor, the New York Chapter established the Francis L. Fryberg Memorial Award in 1965.

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