## Herbert F. Pendleton, Jr.\*, FCSI



"In recognition of your distinguished and dedicated service to the Institute, as Section Director, as Treasurer and member of the Executive Committee of the Institute, as a member of Institute committees, and active participation in Institute conventions; for your exceptional abilities in organization, planning, leadership, and attention to details, and for the warm spirit and cooperation you have displayed in performing these services, you are advanced to Fellowship in the Institute on this 31st day of May, 1967."

Miami, Florida



HERBERT FOLSOM PENDLETON, JR., was born and raised in New York City, Brooklyn, to be exact, and attended Pratt Institute, Texas A&M, and Columbia University.

His career in the construction industry began in 1941 when he joined The Peelle Co., NYC., manufacturers of freight elevators, dumbwaiters, aircraft hangar doors, nuclear resistant doors, blast-proof doors, and escalators.

Pendleton's twenty-five year period of employment with the Peelle Company was interrupted in 1942 when he enlisted in the US Marine Corps. He served in the Asiatic-Pacific Theater as Communications Chief, 1942-1946, and was discharged as staff sergeant.

After returning from World War II, he resumed his training program with Peelle, which included parts and service, field survey, engineering drawing, product specification for manufacturer, and field installation. In 1949 he moved into the sales department and joined Producer's Council as Sales Engineering Representative.

Herbert was recalled to active duty for the Korean Conflict, 1950-1951. He returned to the Producer's Council and served on various committees, including the Joint AIA-PC Technical Committee, and was elected Chapter President, serving two terms, 1954-1956.

In June 1955, he joined the Metropolitan New York Chapter, CSI, and served on various committees, including the chapter board, and the advisory and long range planning committees, and served as pre-convention chair for the 1961 National Convention held in New York City.

Pendleton served as CSI Eastern Section Director, 1962 - 1964, became Institute Treasurer in 1965, and was the first Industry Member to serve as Institute Treasurer and member of the Executive Committee. Other committees he served on included Finance, Nominating, Fellowship, and a few ad-hoc committees, including "Interviewing Candidates for Executive Director" and "Study Impact of Industry and Associate Member Qualifications for Institute President/President Elect" (February through September 1985).

He joined The Neogard Corporation. Dallas, Texas, in 1971, as Eastern Region Sales Manager, and served in that capacity until 1991 when he became Product Manager for Surface Applied Waterproofing Systems. In 1995 he became a consultant, and retired in 1996.

Pendleton passed away 23 November 2021.

## **CSI Membership**

Metropolitan New York Chapter, 1955

## Institute Offices, Committees

Director, FY 1964 Treasurer, FY 1966

## **Awards**

Institute President's Plaque, 1961 Certificate of Appreciation, 1986