# Lee Ann M. Slattery, FCSI

"For creating public awareness of the construction industry through the Let's Build Construction Camp for Girls, Canstruction of the Greater Lehigh Valley, and Homes for Our Troops; for initiating change to broaden the membership reach of CSI and expand the educational offerings of the Middle Atlantic Region events; and for being an outspoken champion of the value of CSI certifications, memberships, emerging professionals, corporate partnerships, and Master Specifier Retreats, you are hereby advanced to Fellowship in the Institute on this 5th day of November 2020."



Alexandria, Virginia (virtual)

LEE ANN SLATTERY joined the design and construction industry when she took a job as a receptionist at United Panel, Inc., a former wall panel manufacturer in eastern Pennsylvania, shortly after she moved to the area. Within a couple of months, she was promoted to the position of customer service manager, then marketing manager, and ultimately northeast region sales manager, in her 14-year career there.

In 2006, Lee Ann joined ATAS International, Inc., as their eastern Pennsylvania territory manager. After just a few months, she was promoted to the position of national sales manager, which she held for seven years. Lee Ann is now the sales support manager at ATAS and is very involved in ATAS's architectural education programs, their participation in industry conferences and special events, and the creation of case studies, press releases, and industry articles. She was instrumental in ATAS's commitment to the CSI Corporate Partner Program, becoming a platinum level partner and the second company to join the program from its inception.

Lee Ann is involved in educating ATAS sales team members and has been a strong proponent of the CDT and CCPR certifications. Over 20 ATAS employees have earned a CSI certification, due to Lee Ann's encouragement and endorsement. She feels the most significant contribution she

has made to CSI would be her five years of service as a member of the certification committee, and her advocacy of the CSI certifications. Whenever given the opportunity, she encourages anyone involved in the AEC industry, regardless of their role, to obtain the CDT. Lee Ann also endorses the CCPR certification for product representatives.

Lee Ann became the Institute director for the Middle Atlantic Region when she was appointed to complete the current director's term, as he was elected as board chair elect. After serving in that position for one year, Lee Ann was elected to continue in the position for a three-year term. While serving as institute director, she has also served on the membership connection committee, working with CSI marketing and chapter relations staff to improve communications between CSI members, the board, and the staff.

Some of Lee Ann's favorite CSI moments happen at the chapter level. As a former chapter president, and chair or member of many committees, she was involved in several different projects, which included planning the area's premiere education and product expo, involvement in a "Homes for our Troops" build, and also planning and participating in two Middle Atlantic Region conferences hosted in the Lehigh Valley. As well, Lee Ann assists each year in the planning of the Canstruction competition, and the Let's Build Construction Camp for Girls.

### CSI Membership

Greater Lehigh Valley Chapter, 2002 Philadelphia Chapter, 2011-2018

# Institute Offices, Committees

Institute Certification Committee, FY 2013-18 Institute Director, Middle Atlantic Region, FY 2018-22 Institute Membership Connection Committee, FY 2018-22

## Middle Atlantic Region Offices, Committees

Region Conference Oversight Committee, FY 2011 Region Nominations Committee, FY 2015 Region Second Vice President, FY 2017

# **Awards**

## Institute

Letter of Commendation from Institute President, 2012 Special Award and Letter of Commendation, 2013 President's Plaque, 2015

#### Middle Atlantic Region

Region Robert P. Brosseau Memorial Award, 2014 President's Award, 2018 Distinguished Service Award 2019

## Chapter

President's Award, 2006, 2010, 2017