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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Passion is a powerfully strange thing. What are you passionate about? It's safe to say that the lot of us have some sort of career driven passion that keeps us rolling out of bed each day. As construction industry professionals our careers are tied to creating useful and functional buildings for our clients. Our projects don't just snap into existence, they take the passions and drive of whole teams of people to bring to fruition. CSI has been a great organization to help me expand on my career orientated passions and like our projects, it takes a group of very passionate people to build and make successful.

This year, as a new president, I'm looking for those of you who would like to play a closer part in our chapter's growth and success. The circumstances of the last few year's has understandably changed the dynamics of how we interact and participate as a group but that change in dynamics has also muted the fire we share when we are in a room together talking about the things that drive us.

My main goal this year for our chapter is to reignite that passion that drew you to CSI to start and build group participation. Please join us in person for our next chapter meeting and take some time to look into joining a committee or find a way to share your passions and talents with our chapter.

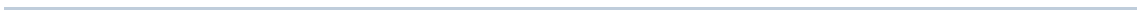
It will be great to see everyone's summer tanned and smiling faces.

~Nick Valdez

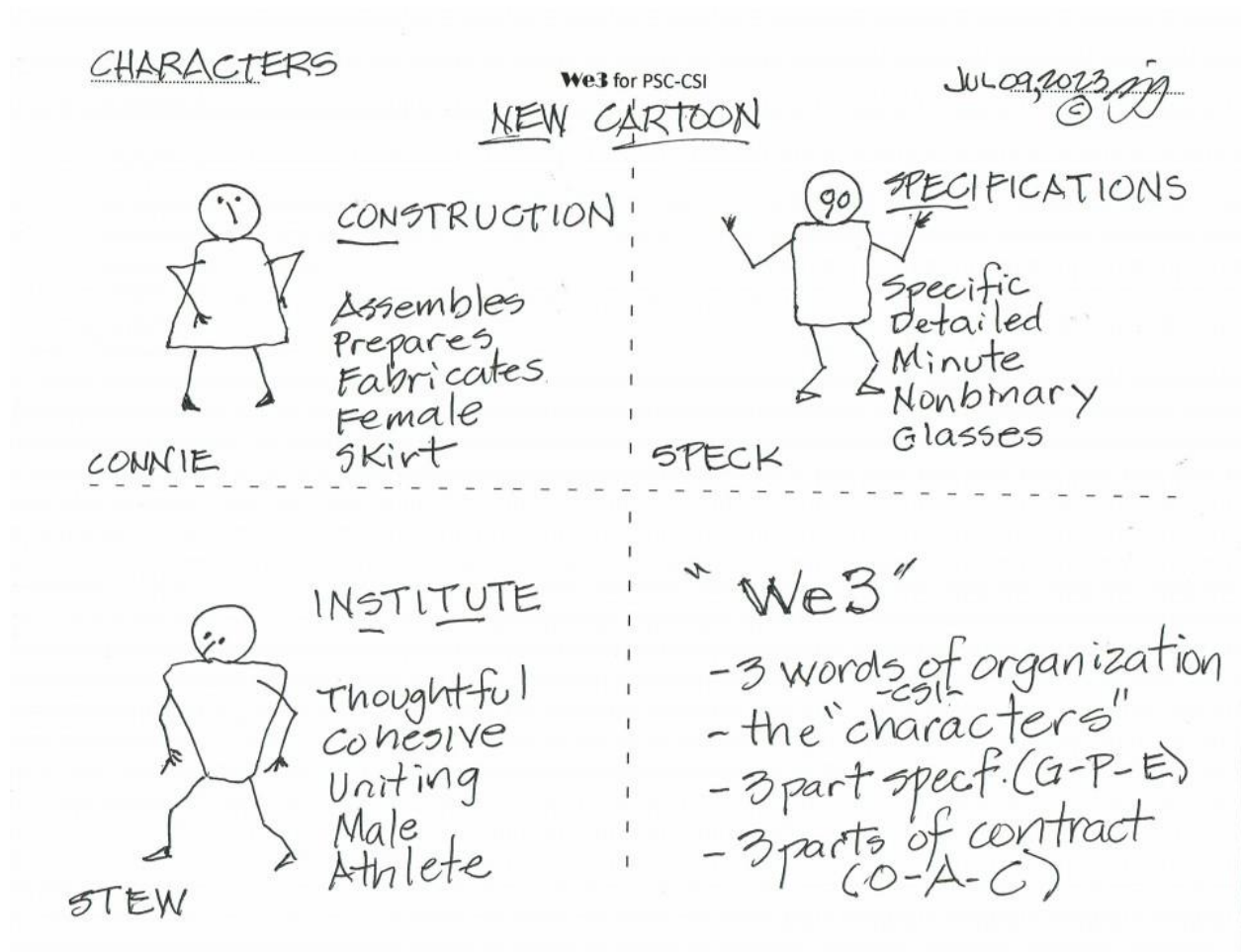
## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

[MG2](#) is seeking a Specifications Writer to join the Seattle office. This position will coordinate, support, and develop specification deliverables. For a full description of the role and to Join the team, click on the link below to Apply.

[Specifications Writer - Careers - MG2](#)



## CHAPTER FUNNY



Illustrated by Matt Gregory

## PRODUCT SPOTLIGHT

### INTRODUCING: BOX RIB Precision Series Wall Panel Systems by Pac-Clad/Petersen

The Precision Series of architectural wall panels includes twelve profiles that provide architects and designers with creative flexibility by combining bold visual effects with easy, cost-effective installation. Multiple profiles are available with a variety of rib patterns in two depths. Each profile is offered in a no-clip (fastener flange) option, or a clip-fastened panel to accommodate thermal expansion and contraction. All Precision Series panels can connect to each other if desired.

Click on the image below to watch a YouTube video about this product.



Want more information? Contact Pac-Clad/Petersen.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Have a wonderful summer, and we look forward to seeing you in September!

Monthly Board of Directors meetings will typically be held at noon on the second Thursday of each month and the Monthly NW Region Board Meeting will be held the third Thursday of each month. Please contact PSC CSI if you would like to attend these meetings as a guest.

## INFORMATION CENTER

### CSI MEMBER SUPPORT PROGRAM

The Member Support Program assists members who are experiencing financial hardship resulting from COVID-19 or related economic impact, cannot pay CSI dues, and want to maintain their membership.

[Please click HERE for the FAQs.](#)

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### VOLUNTEERS

PSC CSI is looking for people to chip in to help plan and execute all kinds of things- even brainstorming! New or old, shy or bold... [EMAIL PSC CSI FOR MORE INFO!](#)

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## COVID-19

Restrictions are lifting and many events will be back in person. Please view [psccsi.org](https://psccsi.org) for more information about each event. We hope you're all staying healthy and safe.

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING MINUTES

### CLICK BELOW TO DOWNLOAD MEETING MINUTES

- [June 2023 Meeting Minutes](#)
- [May 2023 Meeting Minutes](#)
- [April Meeting notes only](#)
- [March 2023 Meeting Minutes](#)
- [February 2023 Meeting Minutes](#)
- [January 2023 Meeting Minutes](#)
- [December 2022 Meeting Minutes](#)
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- [September 2022 Meeting Minutes](#)
- [August 2022 Meeting Minutes](#)
- [July 2022 Meeting Minutes](#)



## CHAPTER LEADERS

### PSC CSI 2022-2023 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

- **President:** Nick Valdez
- **President-Elect:** Vacant
- **Past President:** David Axt
- **Treasurer:** Ken Stillwell
- **Secretary:** Stephanie Shea
- **Director #1:** Charlie Calvano
- **Director #2:** Marty McGarrigle
- **Director #3:** Julie Taylor
- **Director #4:** Chris Hills

## VETTED BY EXPERTS

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To provide our members with the best return on investment, the Puget Sound Chapter has begun to accept top-rate articles, passed on from our industry experts to our members.

If you have read an article that you think would benefit others in our group, [please CLICK HERE to email us](#) to submit articles to be featured.

## HELP SUPPORT CSI'S MISSION

### PUGET SOUND CSI MEMORIAL FOUNDATION



In 2007, the Puget Sound Chapter CSI established the Puget Sound CSI Memorial Foundation, **a separate organization providing scholarships, fellowships, and grants to promote educational programs serving the construction industry** and related endeavors which support the interests and objectives of the Puget Sound Chapter. The Foundation is administered by a board of volunteers, composed of willing past presidents of the Puget Sound Chapter. Any individual or organization can contribute tax deductible donations to the Foundation. You can donate to the Foundation via our PayPal account:

**Puget Sound CSI Memorial Foundation, Inc.**

<https://www.paypal.me/PSCSIFoundation>

**Past donations have been used to award scholarships** to candidates selected on the basis of recommendations by the Foundation Board and by Chapter members. The Foundation is always interested in your **fund-raising ideas and financial support** to promote the Foundation's objectives.

## SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

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Get your name front and center and connect with CSI members!

**Sponsor a portion of the Spectrum** either on a monthly or quarterly basis:

- **Monthly Spectrum** Sponsor
- **Chapter Meeting** Sponsor
- **President's** Sponsor
- **Quarterly Product Spotlight** Sponsor

If you're interested, please [CLICK HERE](#) to contact PSC CSI via email and we will get the word out!

## DISTANCE LEARNING AT LARGE

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Does your company **offer an online lunch and learn**? Feel free to contact us at [office@pscsci.org](mailto:office@pscsci.org) and we will do our part to get the word out to our membership.