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February SPECTRUM

Newsletter of the Puget Sound Chapter CSI

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THIS MONTH'S SPECTRUM SPONSOR



NEW AWI Member Benefit

AWI manufacturing and industry members can now receive a one-time free test battery of base, wall and tall cabinet construction methods and materials. Participation in this benefit will aid your company as well as grow the member resource of compliant methods and materials. Contact [Hunter Morrison](#) for full details.

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AWFS®, AWI, WCA Partner to Produce Career Awareness Video

The Association of Woodworking & Furnishings Suppliers® (AWFS®), the Architectural Woodwork Institute (AWI), and the Woodwork Career Alliance (WCA) have come together to produce a video about careers in the wood industry in partnership with the “In Depth with Laurence Fishburne” program. The six-minute feature video will be distributed to public television stations nationwide beginning in June. Watch the 6-minute full length video [here](#) or the 1-minute commercial [here](#).

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS



Puget Sound Chapter Awarded in Nashville

Congratulations to the Puget Sound Chapter of CSI for being awarded on September 23rd, 2021 at the CSI National Conference in Nashville for Outstanding Chapter Commendation! We worked very hard last year and were able to put out 3 different PSC CSI Videos promoting our chapter as well as CSI as a whole! It's something we are very proud of. Not allowing the pandemic to hold us back from bringing the best content to you all and we were able to add in some fun interactive activities. This is the second year in a row we have been awarded this honor and we are striving to go for year three this year! Thank you everyone for all your hard work, I know this last year wasn't easy, but we did it!

VOLUNTEER TO BE A CSI "BUDDY"

New chapter members, beginning in 2021, will be assigned CSI Buddies who will be current members willing to take our newest members under their wings, introduce them to other members at their first in-person events and shows, and answer questions. If you would like to volunteer to be a CSI Buddy, [email Susan Williams](#).

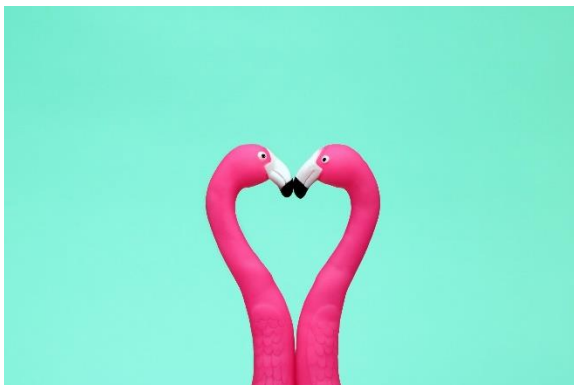
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Seattle WA,
98107



THIS MONTH'S CHAPTER MEETING INFORMATION:



LOOKING AT INTERIORS: A VIRTUAL TOUR OF CORIANDER DESIGNS



<https://www.corianderdesigns.com>

WHEN

February 10, 2022
12:00 AM - 1:30 PM

WHERE

Zoom

[REGISTER HERE](#)

Case Studies: [T-Mobile](#) [Hyatt Regency Seattle](#)

Presentation Speakers:



**Mark Jacobsen, VP Business Development,
Coriander Designs; mark@corianderdesigns.com**



**John Wells, VP of Meyer Wells Division of
Coriander Designs; <https://www.meyerwells.com>**

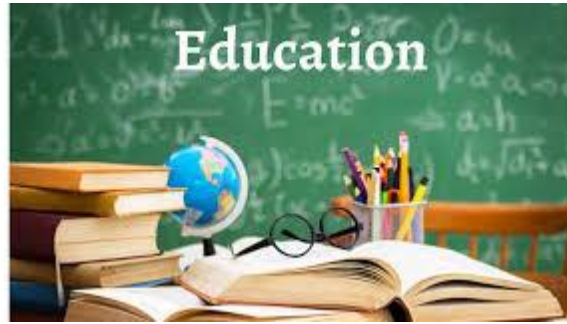
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info@CorianderDesigns.com**

**Q&A follow the presentation. The Nominating Committee will also
present a slate of candidates for open Board positions for the
upcoming election in March.**

**Save the date and time to your calendar and be sure to register for this
free event.**

PS CHAPTER POLL



[Click here to start February poll.](#)

January PSC Poll Results

Happy New Year! What are your 2022 New Years resolutions?

- **50%** Get more organized
- **50%** Get out and explore the world
- **0%** Make healthier choices
- **0%** Spend more time with family and friends
- **0%** Get more focused on work
- **0%** It's just another day and I'm going to keep doing what I'm doing

PRODUCT SPOTLIGHT





EDUCATIONAL SERIES – CLASS 1: SPECIFICATIONS 101



The End Goal: The Point of Specifications

The first in this season's five-part Specifications 101 Series, Class 1 "The End Goal: The Point of Specifications" will show us the goals of specifications and why they're so important to our industry.

WHEN

February 09, 2022

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

WHERE

Zoom Meeting Online

[REGISTER HERE](#)



This series will kick off with [Beth Stroshane, Managing Partner of Applied Building Information](#), who has spent the last couple decades “knees deep” in specifications. She will teach you what it *really* means when people mention “well-coordinated specifications” and will discuss the traits that make an effective specifier.



Our second speaker, [Heather Skeeahan, Head of Strategic Design Implementation at citizenM hotels](#), will introduce drawings and the specifications-drawings connection, pulling from her career experience working as an Architect, General Contractor and Owner/Developer. She will share her experience from all sides of specifications and where she commonly sees issues.

Don't miss these two excellent speakers as they share their expertise with the PSC CSI!

Many thanks to our Specifications 101: Class 1



CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Winter/Spring 2021-2022

[HOW TO BE A SPECIFIER – Education Series](#)

When: Feb9, Mar 9, Apr 13, May 11 & Jun 8 12:00PM to 1:30 PM (PT)

Where: Zoom

February 2022

[LOOKING AT INTERIORS - Chapter Meeting](#)

When: Feb 10, 2022, from 12:00 PM to 01:30 PM (PT)

Where: Zoom

March 2022

[GET LUCKY WITH CODES - Chapter Meeting](#)

When: Mar 10, 2022 from 05:00 PM to 07:30 PM (PT)

Where: Stay tuned, TBD, Seattle, WA 98107

March 2022

[PROSPEC 2022 – Annual Tradeshow](#)

When: Mar 22, 2022, from 02:30 PM to 08:30 PM (PT)

Where: Bell Harbor International Conference Center, 2211 Alaskan Way,
Seattle, WA 98121, Seattle, WA 98121

April 2022

[WATERPROOFING, APRILS SHOWERS BRING MAY FLOWERS - Chapter Meeting](#)

When: Apr 14, 2022, from 05:00 PM to 07:30 PM (PT)

Where: Someplace dry, TBD, Seattle, WA 98107

May 2022

[ESTIMATING PERCENTAGES - Joint Chapter Meeting with ASPE](#)

When: May 12, 2022, from 05:00 PM to 07:30 PM (PT)

Where: Still unresolved, TBD, Seattle, WA 98107

June 2022

[ANNUAL AWARDS AND INSTALLATION - Chapter Meeting](#)

When: June10, 2022, from 05:00 PM to 07:30 PM (PT)

Where: In Planning, TBD, Seattle, WA 98107

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

February 2022 Newsletter Message

Matt Gregory, 2021-2022 PSC CSI President



Many of us have a heart for the Construction Specifications Institute. Being February, it is a good time to show that CSI love. The chapter welcomes your membership and needs your warmth, friendship, and participation. Here are some ways you can be involved in this relationship.

Chapter Meetings: On January 20th, our joint meeting with SeaBEC, who hosted, was a success. 34 people participated including the two excellent speakers and at least nine members from our Puget Sound Chapter. This February 10th we have a Virtual Tour of Coriander Designs as shown on the Chapter website Events, so watch for a StarCHAPTER email notice about how to register.

Chapter Board: At our February Chapter meeting, per our Bylaws, the Nominations will present a slate of candidates to fill open positions for Officers and Directors. I will be moving to Immediate Past President, and since we have no current President Elect, we will need at least candidates for President, President Elect and Vice President. Yes, the January 13th Board meeting was held on my 75th birthday.

Chapter Education: The Education Committee details for the 2022 Education Series will be posted on the website Events and in your email box soon. It is scheduled run from February through July, and information may be in this February newsletter. Signup to learn about how to be a specifier.

Chapter Trade Show: **PROSPEC** 2022 is March 22nd! This annual event is planned to be back live in person at the Bell Harbor Conference Center in Seattle. Seminar and Keynote speakers are confirmed, so go to the Chapter website to get current information. We will need to comply with local pandemic restrictions to make this annual event happen safely. Design Professionals should be getting invitation from exhibitors to attend and get a table assignment.

Chapter Relations: The Northwest Region Board meets monthly with the seven active chapters. Capitol Chapter in Oregon is being dissolved and merged with Willamette and Portland Chapters. The chapter boundary maps

are in final negotiations to set zip codes assigned to each chapter to determine one's home chapter unless you opt otherwise. Draft Institute Affiliate Agreements with Chapters and Regions are also being reviewed so they can be released in February. Full details can be found on the Institute website about the "Realignment" as well as CSI Board Governing Policies for "Relationships with CSI Chapters and Regions".

Thank you to our members and Board who lead our Chapter forward. *"Life has taught us that love does not consist in gazing at each other but in looking outward in the same direction."* by Antoine de Saint-Exupery

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. [CLICK HERE FOR ALL THE FAQs](#)

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 PSCCSI FOR MORE INFO!](#)

COVID-19:

PSC CSI is committed to the safety of our members. As a result, in-person meetings will be rescheduled for a later date and/or will be moved to an online format. Please view Upcoming Events below for more information about each event change. We hope you're all staying healthy and safe.

SAVE THE DATE

[PROSPEC 2022](#)

[Keynote Presentation](#) | [Seminar](#) | [Be a Sponsor](#) | [Interest in Attending](#)

MARCH 2022

Bell Harbor International Conference Center, 2211 Alaskan Way, Seattle, WA 98121, Seattle, WA 98121

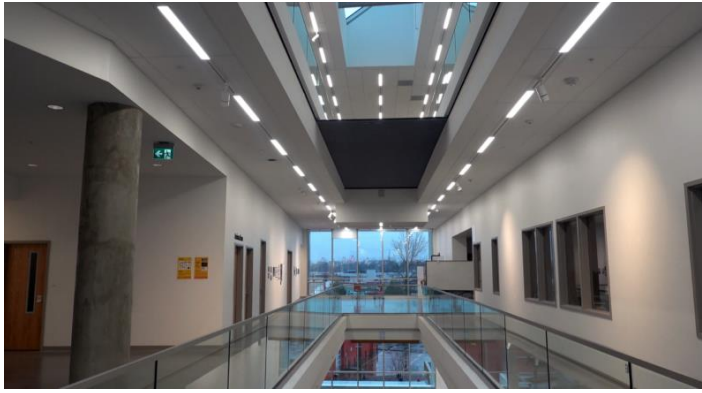
PROSPEC 2022 will be from 2:30 to 8:30 PM Tue 22nd March 2022. We will be back in person at the Bell Harbor International Conference Center, 2211 Alaskan Way, Seattle, WA 98121, Seattle, WA 98121.

For 35 years, PROSPEC has earned a reputation as the perfect combination of technical learning, trade show presentations, and network interaction for the AEC Puget Sound Community. Participants will engage in vendor booth displays and have opportunities to socialize, plus hear a before dinner seminar speaker and after dinner keynote presentation.

This event will connect design teams, construction professionals, and facility owners with industry leading building product manufacturers; something we have all missed this past year. Product technical experts are there to answer questions, discuss recent design challenges, explain new innovations that manage risk, improve installations, and ensure code compliance

PROSPEC 2022 EXECUTIVE SPONSOR

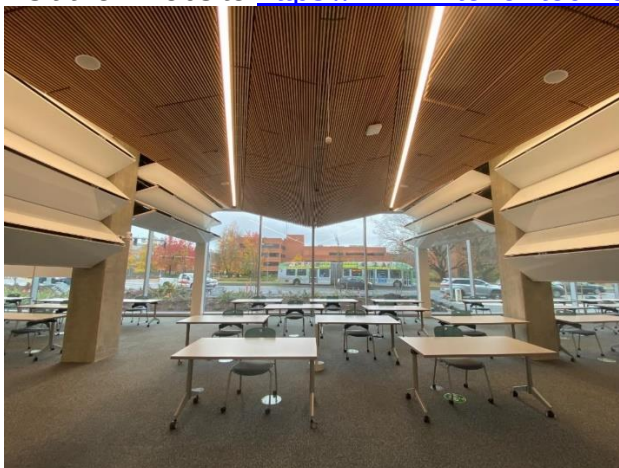




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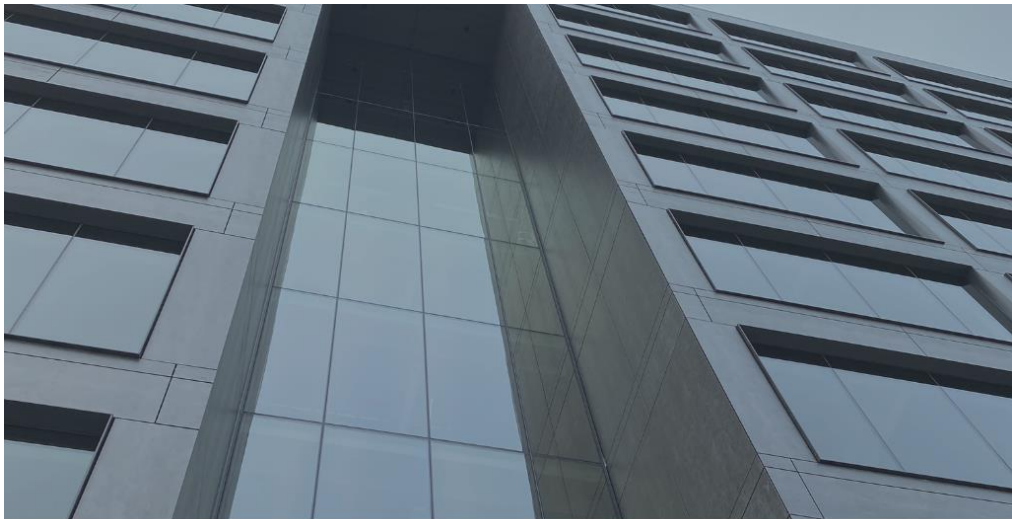
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BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING MINUTES

Board Meeting Minutes:

- [April Meeting Minutes](#)
- [May Meeting Minutes](#)

- [June Meeting Minutes](#)
- [July Meeting Minutes](#)
- August - *Pending*
- September - *Pending*
- October - *Pending*
- November - *Pending*
- December - *Pending*

CHAPTER LEADERS

PSCCSI 2021-22 Board of Directors

BOARD MEMBERS

President: Matt Gregory*, Architect-Planner-Specifier

President-Elect: Vacant

Vice President: Melissa Falcetti*, Applied Building Information

Past President: April Stokesberry*, Duradek Northwest

Treasurer: Erika Anderson, Anderson Specialties

Secretary: Candice Clinton, ASSA ABLOY

Director #1: David Axt*, Axt Consulting LLC

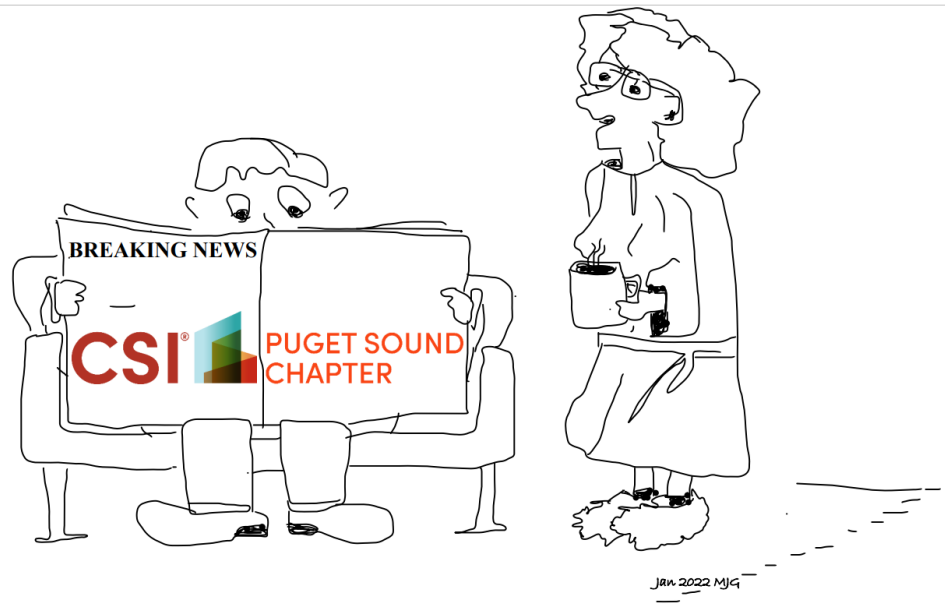
Director #2: Nora Vivarelli*, Pacific Mat

Director #3: Julie Taylor, Integrus Architecture

Director #4: Mary Rowe, Integrus Architecture

* Past Presidents

CHAPTER FUNNY



THERE IS NO CSI CRIME REPORT IN THIS EDITION, HONEY.

Breaking News - Illustration by Matt Gregory

VETTED BY EXPERTS

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 email April at April@duradeknorthwest.com to submit those articles to be featured here.

HELP SUPPORT CSI'S MISSION



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

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**

[Contact April Stokesberry](#) if you're interested and we will get the word out!

DISTANCE LEARNING AT-LARGE

Does your company **offer an online lunch and learn?** Feel free to contact us at office@pscsci.org or april@duradeknorthwest.com and we will do our part to get the word out to our membership. Offerings will run in the monthly Spectrum and in mid-month announcements for 2 months.