

Call for Educational Presentations

The AGC Oregon-Columbia Chapter is now accepting proposals for a limited number of educational sessions that will be offered at the 2019 Summer Convention.

Date and Location

August 8–10, 2019
Salishan Resort, Oregon Coast

Please note: *Educational sessions are being scheduled only on Saturday, August 10.*

Convention Theme

AGC Through the AGES. “AGES” is a theme of the chapter, meaning:

- A = Advocacy
- G = Growth
- E = Engagement
- S = Safety

AGC’s motto is “Skill, Integrity, Responsibility”

Chapter and Convention Background

AGC has served as the voice and choice of the commercial construction industry in Oregon and Southwest Washington since 1920. With over 800 member companies, AGC is the only trade association representing the full range of the commercial construction industry.

Approximately 250 general and specialty contractors and associate members attend the Summer Convention. All educational sessions should be targeted towards these various attendee groups.

Topics

Proposals will be considered for stand-alone education sessions or part of a joint presentation. They should attract mid- to senior level management, project managers, and emerging leaders within construction firms. Each presentation should be geared toward one of the following groups:

- Executives/owners of construction firms
- Financial and risk managers of construction firms
- Project managers and/or safety managers of construction firms

Topics for education sessions should focus on one or more of the AGES themes in a practical way affecting how contractors do their jobs. Topics could include:

- Managing project safety
- How to affect change in the construction industry
- Meeting the challenge of workforce development
- Training leaders and teams
- Current trends or developments in law, accounting, legislation, etc. affecting construction industry growth
- Motivating teamwork and performance
- Best practices for safe workplaces
- Managing human resources
- Communications with employees, on the jobsite
- Integrity, ethics, trust
- Generational differences

Deadline: close of business, Friday, February 1, 2019

Questions should be submitted electronically to Heidi Peterson, events assistant, heidip@agc-oregon.org.

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Presentation Format

- Sixty minutes in length
- No sales pitches
- All interactive formats welcome: group activities, panel discussion, buzz groups, etc.
- Hands-on and interactive workshops are highly encouraged
- Provide meaningful takeaway for attendees

Submission Format

Each proposal must be submitted separately and be no more than one page in length. Please see sample page as a formatting example. *Do not include sample page in proposal.*

Proposals must include the following headers:

- Session Title
- Session Description (100 words or less)
- Presenter Names (with contact information)
- Three Learner Outcomes/Objectives
- Engagement Element

All proposals must be emailed to Heidi Peterson, heidip@agc-oregon.org, by close of business **February 1.**

Summary of Dates

February 1	Written proposals due by COB (<i>Late proposals will not be considered.</i>)
March 1	Notification of approved/not approved presentations
March 23	A high resolution jpg photo and a short bio (50–100 words or less) in paragraph format
Aug 8–10	Summer Convention

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Speaker Registration

- **Selected speakers will receive a complimentary one-day registration for the day they are scheduled to present.** (This complimentary registration includes all sessions and lunch.)
- Evening events must be purchased separately.
- **If the speaker would like to attend the full convention, including the evening events, there is a discounted speaker registration fee of \$400** (regular convention fee is \$695). Speaker registration fees are non-transferable.

Please note: any convention activities that require an additional fee or additional meal tickets for guests or family will be the sole responsibility of the speaker.

- Hotel arrangements, transportation, and mileage to/from the convention are the sole responsibility of the speaker.
- Speakers selected through this process will not receive an honorarium and will not be reimbursed for any expenses incurred in developing content or materials for his/her presentation.

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Proposal

Presenter Contact Information:

(Include name, title, company, email, and phone)

Session Title:

Session Description:

(100 words or less)

Audience:

- Executives/owners of construction firms
- Financial and risk managers of construction firms
- Project managers and/or safety managers of construction firms

Audience level of experience:

- 101 – Beginner, general information
- 201 – Intermediate, manager level
- 301 – Advanced, senior level
- 401 – Executive level

Three Learner Outcomes/Objectives:

(What can the attendees expect to learn by attending this presentation? Why should attendees attend your session?)

- Objective One: *(25 words or less)*
- Objective Two: *(25 words or less)*
- Objective Three: *(25 words or less)*

Engagement Element:

(How will the attendees be engaged with the content, you, and/or each other in 100 words or less)