



The Geology of Dimensional Stone

Program: Exterior Wall Systems for Adhered Veneers

Provider: LATICRETE International Inc. (J-037)

Program #: AIA-33

Credits: AIA HSW SD

Length: 60 - 90 Minutes

Description: Join us as we dive into the world of dimensional stone. A popular choice for interior and exterior veneers, each type of stone comes with its own set of pros and cons. You'll learn the origin and types of natural stone, their composition and properties, and how these factors impact the installation. Separate the facts from fiction and learn how to select the right stone for the job and how to best maintain your installation for years to come.

Learning Objectives:

At the end of the program, the participant will be able to:

- 1) Learn about the origin of natural stone
- 2) Learn about the composition of natural stone
- 3) Discover how these two factors determine all of the characteristics of stone
- 4) Discuss each type of stone individually
- 5) Compare the classifications of stone

Approach:

A highly visual powerpoint presentation that incorporates photo images, and computer animation will be used. There will be a questions and answer period at the end of the program, however, the program is designed to be interactive and questions are encouraged throughout as well.

A/V Needed:

Electric power, projector and a screen, video system or blank wall for the PowerPoint presentation. (The CES facilitator will provide the laptop).

Target Audience:

Architect, Engineers, Specifiers, Owners and other Design Professionals in the commercial, residential and industrial markets.

Facilitator Qualifications: See attached Bio

Cost: Not Applicable. There is no fee for bringing this program into a firm or chapter meeting.