



## 2018 CALL FOR SESSIONS

### FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQs)

*Will I receive compensation for presenting a session?*

Speakers receive a free Speaker Badge, which provides complimentary access to exhibits, on-floor education, standard educational sessions, show floor happy hours, the General Session, and the Game Changer Session. Speakers also receive exposure on our website, mobile app, and show directory (as space allows), as well as access to the onsite speaker lounge. If you require additional compensation, please indicate such in the relevant field when submitting your proposal.

*I am a Product Manufacturer (exhibiting or non-exhibiting), can I submit?*

Yes, but you will be held to the same standards as anyone else submitting a proposal. Submissions from manufacturers/suppliers are more favorably reviewed if they include a 3<sup>rd</sup> party on the panel (an architect/specifier/contractor, etc.) who uses the product/service.

*How are sessions selected?*

CONSTRUCT has a dedicated Education Advisory Council made up of a diverse group of AEC professionals who will review the proposals. Final acceptance will be based on many factors, including overall quality, relevance to the industry, practical applications of material, timeliness of the topic and speaker's qualifications. Additionally, preference will be given to session proposals that are creative, unique, foster audience interaction and/or improve the attendee experience. We will accept around 40 sessions with various time slots ranging from 60-90 minutes (and perhaps 2-hours, if there is a need).

*Do I have to be a member of CSI to submit?*

No, anyone is welcome to submit.

*How many speakers can participate in a session?*

We suggest no more than 5 speakers/moderators per session.

*How many proposals can I submit?*

Up to 3.

*What is the submission deadline?*

January 31, 2018

*I still have questions, who can I contact?*

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