

SCHEDULE APRIL 30TH

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2026

Start	End	Activity	Session Title	Speaker	Expo Status	Where		
1:40 PM	1:50 PM	Transition to Breakrooms (10 min)			Expo Closed			
1:50 PM	2:45 AM	Session A-2 (50 min)	Education Facilities Panel - School Districts	James Krueger AIA, NCARB - Director of Design @ HMC Architects (Moderator) - CONFIRMED	Expo Closed / Patio Open	Breakroom (The Gallery 100px)		
				Alex Belanger - Chief of Operations @ Fresno Unified School District (FUSD) - CONFIRMED				
		Session B-2 (50 min)		LEED v5 - A Whole New Approach: Achieving Sustainable and Resilient Designs with Masonry (CE Credits)			Christine (Tina) A. Subasic, PE, LEED AP, FTMS - Consulting Architectural Engineer specializing in Sustainable Design and Masonry - CONFIRMED	Breakroom (The Deck 2nd Floor - 100px)
				Session C-2 (50 min)			CMU - Fire and Resiliency (CE Credits)	Abdol Bahrami, Assoc. AIA, LEED Green Assoc.: Architectural Manager @ Orco Block & Hardscapes - CONFIRMED
	Outdoor Session D-2 (55 min)	Hands-On Experience	(TBD)	Patio				
2:45 PM	2:55 PM	Transition to Main Room (10 min)			Expo Closed			
2:55 PM	4:15 PM	Concrete Block - CMU Architecture Panel - Award Winning Architects			Expo Closed	Main Stage		
		2:55 - 3:00 PM	Session Sponsor Intro (5 min)	Session Sponsor TBD				
		3:00 - 4:15 PM (65 min)	Moderator	Mark Swanson, AIA, CSI, LEED AP BD+C - North Central Regional Director @ International Masonry Institute (IMI) - CONFIRMED				
			o2 Architecture - Sunnylands Administration & Operations Campus and Engineered Wetlands	Lance O'Donnell - Principal @ o2 Architecture - Educator @ CalPoly Pomona - CONFIRMED				
			SVA Architects - Woodbridge High School Performing Arts Center	Robert Simmons, AIA - Partner & President @ SVA Architects - CONFIRMED				
oo-d-a studio - LeParc Multi-family Building, North Park, San Diego	Dominique Houriet - President @ oo-d-a studio; Architect / Developer / General Contractor - CONFIRMED							
Arcadis - Great Whittier Regional Aquatic Center	Janvi Kanani, AIA, LEED AP BD+C, DBIA - Principal @ Arcadis - Past President @ Assoc. for Women in Architecture + Design - CONFIRMED							
Transition to Expo Happy Hour								
4:15 PM	5:00 PM	Expo Happy Hour (45 min) & Closing Remarks (5 min)		CMC + MC Jodi Holmes Escamilla - Regional Sales Manager @ H.C. Muddox	Expo Open	Main Stage + Patio + Expo		
4:45 PM	5:30 PM	Dismantling / Load Out			Expo Open			

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100 Free Access & Transportation Buses

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Conference, Expo, Lunch, non-alcohol Happy Hour, Spin-the-Wheel

EVENT PASSES

Individual Full-Access Passes

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7:30 AM	9:00 AM	Registration Opens 7:30 / Networking Breakfast Snacks at Expo 8:00 to 9:00 / Architecture Exhibition at Patio Area Opens 8:00 AM			Expo & Patio Open 8:00 AM	Main Stage + Expo	
9:00 AM	9:25 AM	9:00 - 9:05 AM	Host and MC - Welcome and Opening Remarks	CMC + MC Jodi Holmes Escamilla - Regional Sales Manager @ H.C. Muddox	Expo Open	Main Stage	
		9:05 - 9:25 AM	Keynote Opening Session (20 min)	Ben Stapleton, Executive Director @ USGBC California - CONFIRMED			
9:25	9:30 AM	Transition - Same Room (5 min)					
9:30 AM	10:40 AM	Brick - Architecture Panel - Award Winning Architects			Expo Closed	Main Stage	
		9:30 - 9:35 AM	Session Sponsor Intro (5 min)	Session Sponsor TBD			
		9:35 - 10:40 AM (65 min)	Moderator	Sunup Mathew - Director of Industry Development & Technical Services @ International Masonry Institute (IMI) - CONFIRMED			
			ZGF Architects - Cal Poly SATRC Complex	Steven Joonha Chang - Principal @ ZGF Architects - CONFIRMED			
			CO Architects - UCR School of Medicine Educational Building II	F. Arnold Swanborn, AIA, LEED AP - Design Principal @ CO Architects - CONFIRMED			
ZGF Architects - Aggie Square	Steven Joonha Chang - Principal @ ZGF Architects - CONFIRMED						
WRNS Studio - Brickline Flats	WRNS Studio (To be Confirmed)						
10:40 AM	10:50 AM	Transition to Breakrooms (10 min)			Expo Closed		
10:50 AM	11:45 AM	Session A-1 (50 min)	Design-Build Panel - Presenting the "UC Riverside School of Business, Award of Distinction at the DBIA-WPR 2025."	Jose Felsmann - Director of Business Development @ Southland Industries - Board Member @ DBIA Western Pacific Region (Moderator) - CONFIRMED	Expo Closed / Patio Open	Breakroom (The Gallery 100px)	
				Jessica (Scott) Jensen, DBIA - Design Manager @ McCarthy Building Companies - CONFIRMED			
				Jeanne Chen, FAIA - Principal @ Moore Ruble Yudell Architects & Planners - CONFIRMED			
				Andrew Runnoe, PE, SE - Discipline Manager, Structural Engineering @ Coffman Engineers - CONFIRMED			
Session B-1 (50 min)	Beyond Thermal Mass, Concrete Block as a Building Material	Bob Habian AIA, Masonry Expert - Founder & CEO @ Tect App - CONFIRMED	Breakroom (The Deck 2nd Floor - 100px)				
Session C-1 (50 min)	Climate-Responsive Design - Balancing Resilience, Thermal Performance, and Embodied Carbon with Concrete Masonry	Irene Li - Technical Director @ Design Collective from Concrete Masonry Checkoff & Beauty of Block - CONFIRMED	Breakroom (Media Room 50px)				
Outdoor Session D-1 (55 min)	Hands-On Experience , Augmented Reality - Bricklaying with IMI	Mark Swanson, AIA, CSI, LEED AP BD+C - North Central Regional Director @ International Masonry Institute (IMI) - CONFIRMED	Patio				
Transition to Expo & Lunch							
11:45 AM	1:40 PM	11:45 AM - 12:30 PM	Expo Only Time			Expo & Patio Open	Main Stage + Expo
		12:00 PM - 12:15 PM	Student Session - Student Access Sponsor (only students)	TBD - Student Sponsor	Breakroom (The Gallery 100px)		
		12:30 - 1:15 PM	Lunch Served at Expo 12:30 to 1:30 / Expo & Networking	TBD - Lunch Sponsor (5min)	Main Stage + Expo		
			Keynote Speaker during Lunch (20 min) 12:50 to 1:10 PM	Carol Lanham, AIA, Assoc. DBIA - Principal and Board of Directors @ Lionakis - VP of Communications @ AIA California - CONFIRMED			
		1:15 - 1:25 PM	Student Awards Sponsors & Jury Intro (2 sponsors, 10 min)	Student Competition Sponsors - TBD			
1:25 - 1:40 PM	Student's Design Awards (15 min)	Competition Judges Presenting Awards: Toni Lewis, Jessica Orlando, Anthony Damon, Suyama Bodhinayake, Ismar Enriquez, Bob Habian.					
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SPEAKERS & PRESENTERS

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CMSE presents a world-class speaker's line-up!



CAROL LANHAM

AIA, Assoc. DBIA - Principal and Board of Directors @ Lionakis - VP of Communications @ AIA California



BEN STAPLETON

Executive Director @ USGBC California



CHRISTINE SUBASIC

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LANCE O'DONNELL

Principal @ o2 Architecture - Educator @ CalPoly Pomona



ROBERT M. SIMMONS

AIA - Partner & President @ SVA Architects



JOSE FELSMANN

Director of Business Development @ Southland Industries - Board Member @ DBIA Western Pacific Region



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ALEX BELANGER

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