

ACI's New Fellows

30 members will be awarded at the spring convention



William Klorman Honored As ACI Fellow

In Tampa, FL, at the upcoming ACI Spring 2011 Convention, ACI will recognize 30 members who have been honored with the rank of Fellow of the American Concrete Institute (FACI). The new Fellows will be introduced during the Opening Session and Awards Program on April 3. The spring convention is scheduled for April 3-7 at the Marriott Tampa Waterside and Westin Harbour Island. More information on the convention can be found at www.concrete.org/Convention/Spring-Convention/Front.asp.

As stated in the ACI Bylaws, a Fellow is an individual who has made “outstanding contributions to the production or use of concrete materials, products, and structures in the areas of education, research, development, design, construction, or management.” The Fellows Nomination Committee selects those to be considered for the award, and then forwards its recommendations to the Board of Direction for final action at each fall meeting of the Board. Nominations may come from the committee itself, from local chapters, from the International Committee, or by petition signed by at least five current ACI members.

The ACI Board of Direction approved the nominations of this latest group of honorees at the ACI Fall 2010 Convention in Pittsburgh, PA. Including the new honorees, 761 members have attained the rank of FACI, first established by the Institute in 1973.

ACI's new Fellows are:

William M. Klorman is the President, CEO, and Founder of W.M. Klorman Construction Corporation, established in 1980 and located in Woodland Hills, CA. He is a licensed general contractor, concrete contractor, and licensed deputy

inspector for reinforced concrete who specializes in design-build concrete buildings and structures. For more than 30 years, Klorman has been personally involved in the design and construction of more than 300 existing commercial structures.

Active in ACI on local and national levels, he is a past Chair and member of the Responsibility in Concrete Construction Committee, the Construction Liaison Committee, and the Joint ACI-ASCC Task Group to Address Contractor Needs in ACI. He is a member of ACI Committees 131, Building Information Modeling of Concrete Structures, and 349, Concrete Nuclear Structures. He is a past member of ACI Committee 350, Environmental Engineering Concrete Structures, and ACI Subcommittee 301-E, Prestressed Concrete. He is a member of the Strategic Development Council's (SDC) ATI Team for Building Information Modeling (BIM) and the Applied Technologies Council (ATC) Project 81 Strategic Development Plan for IFCs in Cast-in-Place Concrete.

Klorman published a case study of an internally post-tensioned concrete water reservoir for California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo, CA, in *Concrete International* (September 1999), and recently contributed to *The Sustainable Concrete Guide—Applications* published by the U.S. Green Council, for which he co-authored Chapter 9—Planning and BIM.

In 1997, he received the Best Concrete Project Award in the state of California from McGraw-Hill's *F.W. Dodge Construction Link Magazine* for the water reservoir at California Polytechnic State University, a design/build project. He regularly lectures and is a guest speaker for various industry groups and universities around the U.S., where he presents and teaches concrete construction and building information modeling.

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