



The Owners Voice to the Construction Industry
CONSTRUCTION USERS ROUNDTABLE

CURT Member Meeting

Tuesday, May 7, 2024 | Wyndham Grand Clearwater Beach | Clearwater, Florida

8:00-8:15 AM

Welcome/Hotel Safety/Introductions

Greg Sizemore, President, CURT

8:15-9:00 AM

Coffee Chat – CURT Updates

Greg Sizemore, President, CURT

Jim Ellis, Chairman of the Board, CURT

9:00-10:00 AM

What to do TODAY About (A)rtificial (I)ntelligence

Facilitator: Nicholas Johnson, Chief Evangelist, Kahua

Cosmin Ticu, Data Scientist, Kahua

Gaurav Saxena, Manager, Deloitte

Steve Stankiewicz, Project Specialist, Kahua

With so much talk about the future of AI and the future with AI, it's easy to become frozen from uncertainty. Join us for a conversation about the concrete things your company can do today to take advantage of AI and to prepare for whatever tomorrow brings. We'll discuss AI and data strategies from the perspective of a construction owner, a general contractor, and a specialty contractor.

10:00-10:15 AM

Networking Break

10:15-11:00 AM

Recap of the CURT Construction Safety Blueprint

Herb Strong, Corporate Account Manager, HazTek Safety Management

The 2017 CURT Construction Owners' Safety Blueprint has been updated to the more inclusive and current recommendations provided in the CURT Construction Safety Blueprint. This presentation will cover the highlights. Register for the training session on May 6 for more in-depth coverage.

11:00-12:00 PM

Effective Talent Development - What You Need to Know

Facilitator: Greg Sizemore, President, CURT

Participants: Jeff Forlenza, Senior Manager Construction, Procter & Gamble

Rich Dazzo, Specialist, Merck Global Engineering Solutions

Gretchen Schroeder, Senior Project Manager, Duke Energy

12:00-1:00 PM

Networking Lunch

1:00-1:45 PM

How to Identify and Avoid Skilled Labor Risk

Daniel Groves, Director of Special Projects, CURT, and CEO, Construction Industry Resources

Josh Callegan, Training & Development Manager, Wood.

Are your projects equipped with an effective, robust workforce development and training plan? Are they backed by metrics and accountability to help ensure success? Without such, projects risk serious skilled labor challenges, which will impact budget, schedule, quality, and safety. Whether an owner or contractor, labor risk is knowable and preventable with the Contractor Workforce Development Assessment (CWDA) tool and early planning.

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- 1:45-2:30 PM **Building Success: Strategic Planning for Construction Industry Leaders**
Tips for Developing, Implementing and Managing a Strategic Plan
Brian Gallagher, Vice President Corporate Development, Graycor
- This session focuses on strategy development for architecture, engineering, and construction (AEC) firms and is a must-have for any business or organization looking to improve its business outcomes. Growth requires clarity and intentionality about the future, and the discipline of strategic planning offers organizations a path to their intended future. The session provides insights into the “What” and “How” of strategic planning, but most importantly, the “Why of strategic planning for owners and contractors.*
- 2:30-2:45 PM **Break**
- 2:45-3:45 PM **CURT Connects**
Directed *small group discussions on the construction industry concerns that matter to you and your organization.*
- 3:45 – 4:00 PM **Closing Remarks**
Greg Sizemore, President, CURT

Register at www.curtevents.com

Upon completion of the Meeting, attendees are eligible for 6.5 CEU/PDH hours to submit to their designated organizations (note: these organizations make the final decision on credit hours).

Contact Ronna DuBro, Director of Membership & Member Services, via email at rdubro@curt.org or phone at 513-981-2773 with any questions and/or assistance needed with registration.