



WHAT IS ACI?

The American Concrete Institute (ACI) is technical and educational consensus organization dedicated to improving the design, construction, manufacture and maintenance of concrete products and structures. Among ACI International's 18,000 members are designers, architects, civil engineers, educators, contractors, concrete craftsmen and technicians, and manufacturers from around the world.

THE PURPOSE OF ACI

ACI was founded in 1905 as a nonprofit membership organization dedicated to public service and to representing user interests in the field of concrete. It gathers and distributes information on the improvement of design, construction and maintenance of concrete products and structures. ACI's committees, and the Institute as a whole, operate under a consensus format. Activities include the development of building codes and specification standards; analysis of research and development results; presentation of construction and repair techniques, and education. ACI is often considered the world's leading authority on concrete technology.

WHAT IS THE OREGON CHAPTER OF ACI?

Like ACI International, the Oregon Chapter of ACO (OACI) is a consensus organization in that its membership reflects the leadership of the Oregon concrete industry through participation by: specification writers and designers; educators; contractors; concrete producers; public officials; consultants; testing laboratories; various materials suppliers; and others. The composition of the OACI Board of Directors is intended to reflect, as best it can, the Chapter's general membership in terms of industry type and divergent interests.

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Although the Oregon Chapter of ACI does not directly involve itself in many of the activities of ACI International (such as the authorship of specifications standards, etc.) it does attempt to mirror ACI in one very important area – discussion and dissemination of technical information relating to concrete. In this respect, the primary interest of the Oregon Chapter of ACI is technical education. OACI may use a variety of means, including the presentation of technical seminars on subjects thought to be of interest to its constituency to satisfy that interest.

BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP

- Dues are only \$75 a year and are tax deductible.
- Discounts on the cost of attendance at OACI sponsored Technical Seminars.
- Discounts on the cost of the many Technical Publications and general literature published by ACI (order literature directly through the OACI office).
- We support a Student Scholarship Program to aid engineering students at Oregon's leading universities.
- Free use of our Technical Library located in Portland. Many of ACI's most popular and useful books are available for check-out.
- You receive free, "**Consolidations**", a periodic newsletter produced by OACI to keep you abreast of upcoming seminars, and other chapter news.
- We support and cosponsor Oregon's **Excellence in Concrete** Awards program that gives significant recognition to construction projects – large and small – which are especially innovative otherwise "excellent" in their use of concrete.
- You become part of a nonprofit industry consensus organization whose primary purpose is the "advancement of concrete technology through education".

Note: Membership in the Oregon Chapter of ACI does not constitute your personal membership in ACI International, and conversely, membership in ACI International does not make you a member of OACI. They are two separate organizations as far as personal membership and dues are concerned.



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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

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Please send mail to: _____ mailing address _____ business address

Please Check one:

____ Architect ____ Engineer ____ Contractor ____ Student

____ Supplier ____ Educator ____ Other

DUES

Annual Dues: \$75

(Payable each July 1 for the period of July 1—June 30)

Please make checks payable to: **O.A.C.I.**

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