



Welcome to the Spring 2024 Technical Chair Breakfast



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Introduction, Del Bloem Winners, Incoming and Outgoing TAC Members and Chairs

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Delmar L. Bloem Service Award Winners



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Delmar L. Bloem

Distinguished Service Award



Peter Barlow

“for outstanding leadership of ACI Committee 546, Repair of Concrete; and ACI Innovation Task Group (ITG) 93-11, Statistical Techniques for Assessment of Existing Concrete Structures”

Delmar L. Bloem Distinguished Service Award



Michael C. Brown

*“for outstanding leadership of Joint ACI-ASCE
Committee 343, Concrete Bridge Design”*

Delmar L. Bloem Distinguished Service Award



Thomas Schumacher

*“for outstanding leadership of ACI Committee 444,
Structural Health Monitoring”*



Incoming and Outgoing TAC Members



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Kamal Khayat



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Barzin Mobasher



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Corina-Maria Aldea



Incoming TAC Member



Chris Ferraro





Incoming and Outgoing Chairs



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Incoming Committee Chairs

Alec Zimmer	130	Brett Reid	311
Leonardo Garcia	131	William Thrasher	329
Stacia Van Zetten	134	Andrew Minogue	350
Karthik Obla	214	Jose Pacheco	365
Miguel Angel Vicente	215	Mark Kenneth	370
Thomas Schumacher	228	Matthew Gombeda	377
Doug Hooton	233	Nathan Westin	408
Lisa Burris	240	Robert Barnes	423
Maria Konsta	241	Brock Hedegaard	444
Robert Thomas	242	John Kevern	522
Justin Torkilson	304	Kimberly Waggle Kramer	551



Outgoing Committee Chairs

Sean Monkman	130	Tracy Grover	311
Michael Hernandez	131	J. Scott Keim	329
Loyd Keller	134	Kevin Monroe	350
Rachel Detwiler	214	Kyle Stanish	365
Martin Noel	215	Ganesh Thiagarajan	370
John Popovics	228	Ying Tian	377
Henry Prenger	233	Remy Lequesne	408
Joseph Thomas	240	Jeffery Volz	423
Mahmoud Reda Taha	241	Thomas Schumacher	444
Mary Christiansen	242	Norbert Delatte	522
Will Squyres	304	Andrew McPherson	551





Summary of Revisions to the 2024 TCM and Editorial Board Updates

Kamal Khayat, *TAC*



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TCM Update

Section 2.3.4—Convention Committee Meetings

Updated to include the current process for convention meetings.

ACI Staff will reach out to all committee chairs before each Convention to confirm the committee meeting day and time.

Staff will do their best to try and accommodate a change request and chairs will be notified of their committee meeting confirmation once scheduled.



TCM Update

Section 4.2.6 Coordination of ACI Standards

Section was expanded to define and list core codes and non-core codes.

A core code is defined as any code directly referenced by an SDO or authority having jurisdiction. Codes will work in a synchronized manner based on how they are adopted by a core code.

Non-core codes should be referenced by core codes in either code or commentary, whenever applicable.



TCM Update

Section 6.2.6.1 Scope

Updated to address scopes in single-item specifications

Examples are given to clarify how the scope should be for single-item specifications. The objective is to avoid conflicting requirements if ACI specifications with overlapping scope are referenced in Contract Documents.



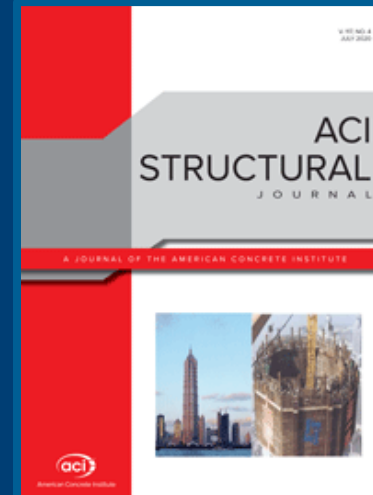
ACI Journal Editorial Boards Update

ACI Structural Editorial Board

- Michael Kreger, Editor-in-Chief, University of Alabama
- Catherine French, University of Minnesota
- Mary Beth Hueste, Texas A&M University
- David Sanders, Iowa State University
- Gustavo Parra-Montesinos, Univ. of Wisconsin–Madison

ACI Materials Journal Editorial Board

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- Shiho Kawashima, Columbia University
- Kamal H. Khayat, Missouri University of Science & Technology



ACI Journal News

- 2017 ACI transitioned to have editorial boards
- New Items Introduced: Special Issues, Page Length 10-12K, AI policies, Dual Units
- ACI has a phenomenal search engine
- ACI papers are available to student members
- Reduced times to publication SJ (11.2 to 8.0), MJ (9.0 to 6.7) months
- Impact Factor Increased -SJ (1.24 to 1.88), MJ (1.22 to 1.83)
- ACI articles will appear more in the concrete smart brief
- Early online access to new information

Special issues are an important component of the *ACI Materials and Structural Journals*. Special issues serve to highlight timely research topics and emerging trends within these disciplines.

Upcoming Special Issues

Learn more about upcoming special issues through the [Call for Papers](#) portal.

Recent Special Issues

[Materials Journal—V. 120, No. 1, Jan. 2023, Role of Concrete and Cement-Based Composites in Sustainability and Resiliency](#)

[Materials Journal—V. 118, No. 6, Nov. 2021, Advances in Rheology and Additive Manufacturing](#)

Past Special Issues

■ 2020

[Materials Journal—V. 117, No. 6, Nov. 2020, Computational Modeling](#)

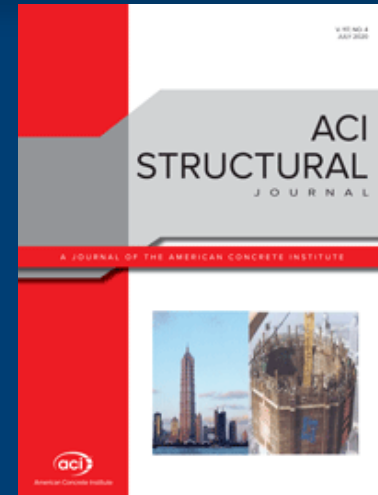
■ 2019

[Materials Journal—V. 116, No. 5, Sept. 2019, Chlorides](#)

[Materials Journal—V. 116, No. 4, July 2019, Pozzolans](#)

ACI Journal Review Process Update

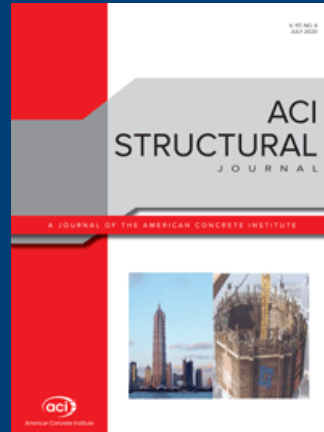
- The journal review process has been evaluated
- The conventional ACI review process will be updated
- The major change involves the introduction of associate editors, as is done in many other journals, to help manage the reviews and interpret them
- AEs may call on you to help review – pls help them
- The goal is that this will help to improve the review while maintaining the improved time to publishing
- Implementation has started and will fully be implemented in the Spring of 2024



Introducing the Associate Editors and Updated Boards

• **SJ – Associate Editors**

- Robert Vollum
- Sarah Orton
- Sriram Aaleti
- Min-Yuan Cheng
- Jose Pinchiera
- Adam Lubell
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- Maria Anna Polak
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- Laura Lowes



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- Mary Beth Hueste
- David Sanders
- Gustavo Parra-Montesinos
- Robert Barnes

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- Zachary C. Grasley
- Burkan Isgor
- Raissa Ferron

ACI Staff – John Glumb and Lauren Mentz (Managing Editor)



Code Advocacy and ACI Committee Work

Steve Szoke, *ACI Code Advocacy Engineer*



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ICC Code Development – 2027 I-Codes

Step	Group A Fire, Egress, Wildland Fire, Swimming Pools	Group B General, Structural, Residential, Existing Building
Submittal Deadline	Jan 8 2024	Jan 10 2025
Committee Action Hearing #1	Apr 7 – 16 2024	Apr 27 – May 6 2025
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ICC Group A ≈ 1020 Proposals

Relevance to ACI Committee Work

ICC Committee	Relevant	Not Relevant	Watch
Administrative	0	1	0
IBC – Egress	0	139	0
IBC – Fire Safety	9	100	35
Fire	0	282	0
Fuel Gas	0	12	0
Mechanical	0	99	0
Plumbing	0	199	0
IRC – Mechanical	0	10	0
IRC – Plumbing	0	13	0
Private Sewage	0	2	0
Wildland Interface	0	55	22
Swimming Pool	2	31	0



ICC Group A – ACI Proposals

- Degree of Restraint for Fire Performance
- Add Steel to Concrete Data Due to Addition of 440
- Reference ACI/TMS 216.1 for Steel Tubes and Steel Column Protection
- Reference ACI/TMS 216.1 for Precast Concrete
- Permit ACI/TMS for Prescriptive Details



ICC Group B – Planned Proposals

- ACI 318 – Administrative Update
- ACI 332 – Administrative Update
- GFRP Reinforced Concrete Foundation Walls
(Transcribe MNL 7 Tables into IRC)
- ITG 12 – 3D Printed Walls
(Tabular Design in IRC)
- Others TBD – October 2024
IBC Structural and General
IRC Building
IEBC



NFPA 5000 Proposals

- ACI 122.1 – Thermal Bridges
- ACI 122.2 – Thermal Properties (Commercial)
- ACI 122.3 – Thermal Properties (Residential)
- ACI 440.11 GFRP
- NRMCA 100 (formerly PCA 100)
- Slabs-on-Ground - Language



References in Standards

- ASCE 24 on Flood Resistant Construction
543R Concrete Piles
- NFPA 59A Storage of LNG
376 RLG Containment
- DOT Pipeline Hazard Materials Safety Admin
376 RLG Containment
- ASHRAE 189.1 Green Buildings
323 Low Carbon Concrete
- ASHRAE 90.1 and IECC
ACI/TMS 122.1, 122.2, and 122.3



References in Standards and Rules

- ASCE XX on Foundations

207 – Mass Concrete 360 – Slabs on Ground
336 – Drilled Piers 543 – Concrete Piles
351 – Equipment (Dynamic/Static)

- ICC 1155 Low-Carbon Alternative Cements

323 Low Carbon Concrete

- ICC 1500 Standard for Existing Building Safety Inspections

222- Corrosion 546 – Repair
228 Nondestructive Testing 562 – Repair Code
364 - Rehabilitation



Thank you!

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Michael Paul, Incoming ACI President



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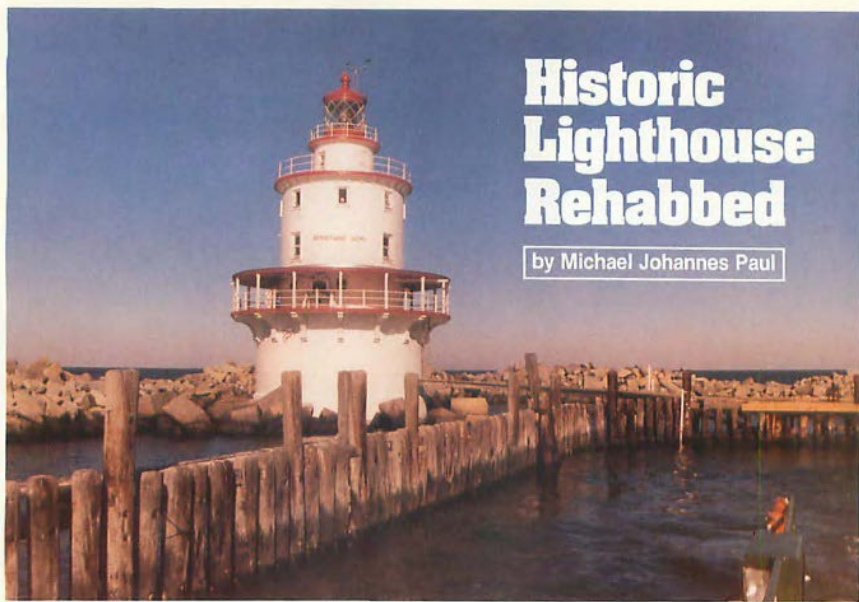
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Historic Lighthouse Rehabbed

by Michael Johannes Paul



Brandywine Shoal Lighthouse, one of seven such facilities maintained by the United States Coast Guard in the Delaware Bay, marks a hazardous shoal along a heavily traveled ship channel. Constructed between 1912 and 1914 at a cost of \$69,850, it was the first such reinforced concrete structure located on a submarine site of the continental United States.

Pervasive deterioration, caused by a hostile, open-water, salt-air environment, and aggravated by a loss of regular maintenance following conversion to an automated facility in the 1950s, led to a decision in 1982 to initiate repairs.

Concrete International first looked at the Brandywine Shoal Lighthouse in 1982¹ with a description of



Lighthouse
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deteriorated concrete and reinforcing. A 1970s shotcrete coating was also removed from the caisson.

Once the caisson was stripped, precast brackets were welded to heavy steel plates that had been bolted through sound concrete of the caisson wall. The ornate brackets immediately supported formwork for casting of the overhang (structural) portion of the first level deck. Forming of the replacement wearcourse for the lantern level deck proceeded simultaneously.

After the structural deck had been cast, precast columns were welded to plates that had been embedded above the brackets. Precast cornice segments were then welded atop the columns and guyed back. The columns and cornice served as support and working lines for veranda roof formwork, which was detailed to allow



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The opportunity to visit Costa Rica and provide a seminar for students and professionals was simply great. Thanks for allowing me to meet and chat with you all!!!





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