

# CONSTRUCTION **SUPERCONFERENCE** 2021

DECEMBER 6-8, 2021

J.W. Bonnet Creek Resort & Spa  
Orlando, FL.

## **BUILDING INSIGHT** STRENGTHENING 2021 CONNECTIONS

Meet and network with representatives from  
leading construction firms and the industry's  
top construction attorneys



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# NEW CHALLENGES DEMAND NEW INSIGHT.

## ABOUT US

The Construction SuperConference, now in its 35<sup>th</sup> year, is recognized as the preeminent construction conference developed for mid-to senior-level professionals who work in any of the legal and commercial construction markets. Impactful panel discussions and compelling workshops are led from top legal and consulting firms, along with leaders of construction companies bringing the forefront of challenging issues and new insights into the legal, business, and economic challenges that are apparent in today's construction industry.

Participants will walk away with invaluable information, new connections, and resources to assist them in meeting today's challenges. The construction conference will showcase many notable and expert in-house and outside construction counselors and consultants who will take up the many challenges of advising construction industry participants in a challenging economy. The program design of the conference allows ample opportunity to meet and network with representatives from the leading construction firms and the industry's top construction attorneys.

There are over 30 sponsoring companies\* showcasing the latest products and services directly to you.

### TOPICS ADDRESS AT THE CONFERENCE:

- ▶ Ethics and Compliance ▶ Innovative Litigation Strategies ▶ Risk Management ▶ Dispute Resolution ▶ Contract Management
- ▶ Workforce and Labor and Diversity ▶ Insurance and Surety ▶ Infrastructure and Transportation ▶ Economic Forecasts

### INDUSTRY SEGMENTS THAT ATTEND

- ▶ Construction Owners
- ▶ Senior Executives
- ▶ General Counsel
- ▶ Construction Attorneys (In-House Counsel & Contracted)
- ▶ Lawyers
- ▶ Consultants
- ▶ Design Professionals
- ▶ General Contractors
- ▶ Construction Managers
- ▶ Subcontractors
- ▶ Suppliers
- ▶ Insurers
- ▶ Sureties Professionals

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# KEYNOTE SCHEDULE

## TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7

8:15 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

K01 Welcome and Opening Keynote

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12:45 p.m. - 2:15 p.m.

K02 Luncheon Panel Keynote

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## WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8

11:45 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

K03 Closing Keynote Luncheon



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## SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE

### MONDAY, DECEMBER 6

11:00 am - 7:00 pm	<b>Registration</b>
1:00 pm - 2:30 pm	W01 Women's Leadership Workshop <i>Sponsored by Ankura</i>
2:30 pm - 3:45 pm	S01 Remote Dispute Resolution: Temporary Band-aid or Long-Term Solution? The Pros and Cons of Remote Dispute Resolution in Arbitration, Mediation and Discovery
	S02 How to Protect Your Business from the Increased Risks of Design-Build by Using Informed Bidding Practices, Innovative Project Management Techniques, Specialized Agreements, and Appropriate Contract Terms
4:00 pm - 5:15 pm	S03 Hardhats in the Cloud - The Pitfalls and Liabilities of Cloud-Based Operations for Contractors
	S04 Protect Yourself: Strategies to Mitigate the Risk of Material Price Escalation and Material Shortage Delay
	S05 Building the Claim From the Bottom Up on Mega-Projects
	S06 The Biden Administration, Government Stimulus, and PPP: The Return of the Regulators
	S07 Discovery In Aid of Foreign Proceedings: Section 1782 - Using and Defending Against Claims
5:15 pm - 6:45 pm	Welcome Reception <i>Sponsored by The Rhodes Group and Jones Walker</i>

### TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7

7:00 am - 6:00 pm	<b>Registration</b>
7:45 am - 8:30 am	Knowledge Exchange Expo Hall - Pre-Keynote Coffee Service
8:15 am - 9:30 am	K01 Welcome and Opening Keynote: <b>TBD</b> Presented by <b>Cozen O'Connor</b>
9:45 am - 11:00 am	S08 ABA - Ethics in Construction and Engineering
	S09 Managing Multiple Experts in Complex Construction Disputes
	S10 A Day in the Life of In-House Counsel: Required Skills for the Job
	S11 Concurrent Events and Other Breaking News Affecting the Recovery of Delay Damages
11:00 am - 11:30 am	Knowledge Exchange Expo Hall - Refreshment Break <i>*Prize Giveaway</i>
11:30 am - 12:45 pm	S12 Managing Insolvency in Multi-Party Litigation
	S13 AAA - How did you like your last construction litigation? Why is arbitration different than litigation?
	S14 ABA - Theory Meets Practice in Construction Risk Management
	S15 The Most Heavily Negotiated Terms in Construction Contracts from the Perspective of the Owner, Contractor, and Subcontractor
12:45 pm - 2:15 pm	K02 Luncheon Panel Keynote: TBD Presented by: <b>Peckar &amp; Abramson</b>
2:30 pm - 3:45 pm	S16 Minor League Park - Major League Problems: Litigation Lessons Learned from Dunkin' Donuts Park
	S17 The Best Defense is a Good Offense: Keys to Effective Risk Mitigation in the Life Cycle of a "Typical" Construction Project: A.K.A-A Train Wreck
	S18 The Role of Insurance in Resolving Complex Construction Disputes
	S19 Using the Mechanical Contractors Association of America's Labor Productivity Factors: Is it a Modified Total Cost Approach in Disguise?
3:45 pm - 4:15 pm	KE3 Knowledge Exchange Expo Hall — Networking & Refreshment Break <i>Sponsored by: Secretariat</i>
4:15 pm - 5:30 pm	S20 ABA - The More The Merrier: Trials and Tribulations of Presenting and Defending Construction Claims involving Class Actions, Multi-Plaintiff and Multi-Defendant Jury and Bench Trials
	S21 Effective Use of Experts in Alternative Dispute Resolution, Including the Areas of Mediation, Dispute Resolution Boards, and the Employment as an Independent Expert
	S22 Preparing for the Unknowable: Lessons Learned from the Construction Industry's Response to Significant Disruptions
	S23 Are These Claims Viable? Evaluating and Using Liquidated Damages, Stipulated Sums, Disincentives/Incentives and Other Common Owner Claims
5:30 pm - 7:30 pm	Cocktail Reception Sponsored by <b>Peckar &amp; Abramson, P.C.</b>

### WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8

7:30 am - 3:00 pm	<b>Registration</b>
7:30 am - 8:15 am	Knowledge Exchange Expo Hall - Coffee Service
8:30 am - 9:45 am	S24 Construction Contract Disputes Financing: Non-Recourse Litigation Finance as an Option
	S25 Improving Efficiency in Construction Disputes: An In-Depth View of the November 2019 Queen Mary University London (QMUL) / Pinsent Masons (PM) International Arbitration Survey
	S26 AAA - Failure to Properly Consider Damages Could Be Catastrophic for Your Claim
9:45 am - 10:15 am	Knowledge Exchange Expo Hall - Refreshment Break <i>*Prize Giveaway</i>
10:15 am - 11:30 am	S27 Maximizing Mediation Results and Overcoming Obstacles (Including Your Own Subconscious Bias)
	S28 Infrastructure Construction in the Biden Administration: What will the Build Back Better Plan mean for the Construction Industry?
	S29 Decoding the Mystery of Productivity Claims
11:45 am - 1:30 pm	K03 Luncheon & Plenary: The Construction Law Practice Today and Beyond: Weird is the New Normal
1:45 pm - 3:00 pm	S30 Hot Issues in Design-Build between Design-Builders and their Lead Designers
	S31 Combat Boredom: Using Computer-Generated Animation and Simulation Evidence at Trial
	S32 Show Me the Money: Attorney Fee Awards in Construction Cases

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# PRICING CHART

Full Conference * Most popular	Single Day Conference One day only	Expo Only Networking Pass
\$1449	\$999	\$449
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ All conference sessions &amp; keynotes</li> <li>▶ Access to Knowledge Exchange Hall</li> <li>▶ All hosted receptions</li> <li>▶ Both luncheons/breakfast (Tuesday &amp; Wednesday)</li> <li>▶ All networking sessions</li> <li>▶ Access to all workshops</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ All conference sessions &amp; keynotes</li> <li>▶ Access to Knowledge Exchange Hall</li> <li>▶ All hosted receptions</li> <li>▶ One luncheon/breakfast (Tuesday or Wednesday)</li> <li>▶ Networking sessions for one day</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶ Access to Knowledge Exchange Hall</li> <li>▶ All hosted receptions</li> <li>▶ All networking sessions</li> </ul>

DESCRIPTION	Smart Saver JUL 21 – AUG 13	Early AUG 14 – SEP 26	Advance SEP 27 – NOV 27	Standard NOV 28 – DEC 09
Full Conference	\$1449.00	\$1649.00	\$1849.00	\$1949.00
Full Conference – Government Rate (credentials required)	\$1199.00	\$1299.00	\$1399.00	\$1499.00
Full Conference – Group Rate (5 or more)	\$999.00	\$1099.00	\$1149.00	\$1299.00
Single Day Conference	\$999.00	\$1199.00	\$1349.00	\$1449.00
Expo Only	\$499.00	\$499.00	\$499.00	\$499.00



# TOP 10 REASONS TO ATTEND

For 35 years, this conference has brought together leading lawyers in the construction industry, top construction executives from the largest players in the field, and the designers/consultants that support them day in and day out.

1. Maintain your **Continuing Legal Education** (including all the ethics you need!).
2. Bring home practical, “**put-into-action**” takeaways to share with colleagues.
3. Receive **valuable information** and resources to assist you in meeting today’s construction challenges.
4. **Re-energize professionally** with new, forward-thinking innovative ideas.
5. Participate in **insightful plenary sessions and compelling panel discussions** from top legal, consulting, and construction companies.
6. Get ahead of **emerging topics** that reflect today’s headlines.
7. Learn how to be an effective partner in **construction crisis management as well as dispute resolution**.
8. Participate in one of the **best networking opportunities all year** – a great way to get new clients!
9. Experience a **wide range of the latest products/services solutions** that your firm/business might be looking for.
10. Absorb valuable information and **resources to assist you in meeting today’s construction challenges**.

## KNOWLEDGE EXCHANGE

### Dedicated Hours

#### Monday, December 6

5:15 PM – 6:45 PM

Welcome Reception

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#### Tuesday, December 7

7:45 am – 8:30 am

Pre-Keynote Breakfast

11:00 am – 11:30 am

Knowledge Exchange

Networking & Break Service

3:45 pm – 4:15 pm

Knowledge Exchange

Networking & Break Service

5:30 pm – 7:00 pm

Cocktail Reception

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#### Wednesday, December 8

7:45 am – 8:30 am

Knowledge Exchange

Networking & Breakfast

9:45 am – 10:15 am

Knowledge Exchange

Networking & Break Service