What some of our members say about CBC:

“I would highly recommend joining CBC. I have found many rewards, both personally and professionally, in my 35 years of participation.”
Richard F. Jagoe
Tomlinson-Hawley-Patterson (General Contractors)

“CBC members represent all aspects of the industry offering expertise and resources to solve job-related issues and provide the highest level of service to our clients. Each year culminates with a celebration of collaborative team efforts with the Project Team Awards Program.”
Catherine J. Ellithorpe, AIA
The SLAM Collaborative (Architecture, Engineering, & Construction)

“Our involvement in CBC and its committees have opened up many opportunities for our minority-owned engineering firm. As a result, we’ve developed sound working relationships with both owners and larger firms, and our business has advanced in terms of size and sophistication.”
Rohan Freeman, PE, LS
Freeman Companies (Civil & Environmental Engineering & Land Surveying)

“The Industry Practices Committee (IPC), set in a round table format, is comprised of experienced professionals who hash out industry issues in an open forum, with candor and respect for all.”
Chris-Philip Onofrio
Langan Engineering (Civil & Environmental Engineering)

“Longevity is what comes to my mind when I think of CBC. Well into its 7th decade, CBC has many long-term members that are committed to helping prepare young professionals to carry the industry into the future. And, they value the strengths and contributions that we have to offer today!”
Richard Bergan
Bergan Architectural Woodworking (Subcontractor)

“The CBC Golf Outing, started in 1995, raises money for the CBC Scholarship Fund, which typically awards 3-5 renewable scholarships every year. Great Cause. Great Course. Great Fun – And, a chance to network in a relaxing atmosphere.”
Ronald Goodin
Crosskey Architects (Architecture)

“CBC meetings and committees are a great resource for discovering trends in the construction industry. Its members are a great treasure of information about almost any topic.”
Gregory Faulkner, Esq
Robinson & Cole, LLP (Construction Attorneys)
What CBC can do for you...

Through the Connecticut Building Congress (CBC), you have access to information and people vital to your business. CBC is committed to strengthening the design and construction industry, as well as CBC’s member firms and their professionals. CBC is an active organization with representatives from every facet of the industry – architects, engineers, & contractors (AEC); owners; suppliers; attorneys; bankers; accountants; insurers; developers; and consultants. Monthly evening programs provide an informal networking atmosphere and feature keynote speakers, sharing insight on industry issues, trends and upcoming projects.

Involvement on CBC committees and attendance at events provide unparalleled networking opportunities and access to AEC leaders to develop strategic alliances often leading to lasting relationships that will increase your value in the firm and your firm’s value to its clients and the industry.

Membership Benefits

- Identification as a CBC Member at networking events and educational programs, providing enhanced access to key decision-makers for both firm and professional development
- Opportunity to work with industry professionals on CBC committees and to serve in a leadership role on the board of directors
- Discounted registration fees to our insightful monthly programs
- Preferred rates for Project Team Award entries
- Favord Sponsorship rates
- Special exposure to potential AEC interns and recent graduates of our strategic alliance colleges and universities, such as Central Connecticut State University and Capital Community College
- Representation at the State of Connecticut Construction Services Division Industry Advisory Council
- Advance notice of advertising and sponsorship opportunities
- Outreach to other industry associations and the community

Industry Influence

CBC’s Industry Practice Committee (IPC) is a diverse group of AEC leaders who discuss industry issues to improve efficiencies and establish best practices. Reports and white papers, including the Connecticut Construction Guidelines: The Manual for Successful Building Projects, are made available to CBC members and key constituencies.

CBC, through its Member representatives, is active on the State of Connecticut Construction Services Division Industry Advisory Council (IAC). CBC serves alongside state agency leaders and related professional organizations to improve and streamline work provided by the industry on state projects. CBC Members have access to our Representatives or may be eligible to represent CBC on the IAC.

CBC’s Annual Project Team Awards program promotes and celebrates project team efforts throughout Connecticut, highlighting excellence in public and private construction projects completed over the past year.

Community Outreach

Each year, CBC awards scholarships to deserving high school seniors who represent the future of our industry. The CBC Scholarship Fund grants scholarships of up to $2,000 per year to college students studying in areas of benefit to the construction industry, including architecture, engineering, construction management, and construction technology. Special CBC events such as the annual Robert J. LeFlohch Memorial Golf Outing in the Fall help fund these scholarships.

CBC Membership Levels (effective January 1, 2018)

Payment is due upon application and is refundable, minus a $50 processing fee, if membership is not approved by the Board.

- Individual .................................................. $ 25
- For individuals with full-time status as a government employee, student, retired, or between employment engagements. One person per membership. No firm affiliation, except for government employees.

- Institutions / Facility Owners ....................... $ 225
- Firm membership for institutions and organizations that own and/or manage their organization’s capital assets (buildings, land and infrastructure). This membership includes an unlimited number of staff members from the organization.

- Small Firm ............................................. $ 450
- Company/Firm/Organization membership with 1-9 total employees*.

- Medium Firm ........................................... $ 675
- Company/Firm/Organization membership with 10-25 total employees*.

- Large Firm ............................................. $ 900
- Company/Firm/Organization membership with 26 or more total employees*.

* Number of employees resident in and/or actively serving Connecticut

Membership is open to any person, company or organization of good standing and involved in the design, construction, and facilities management industry.

Membership dues are payable upon application and are refundable, minus a $50 processing fee, if membership is not approved by the board. All membership levels are entitled to one vote, regardless of size.

Contact cbc@cbc-ct.org or (860) 228-0163 if you have any questions.

CBC offers advertising and sponsorship opportunities to companies that provide materials, equipment, supplies and services to a targeted AEC audience.