

## APPLICATION TO PROVIDE AN EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

## **Educational Programming**

AIA Delaware welcomes your programming ideas and recommendations for live and virtual professional development programs.

#### **Provider**

Do you want to accredit a program or programs for your event in Delaware for AIA education learning units but are not a registered AIA CE provider?

AIA Delaware can serve as the education provider if your program: (a) provides quality education free of advertising or promotion of products/services of interest to the architecture community and (b) permits AIA Delaware members to register and participate.

AIA Delaware charges a small fee to serve as the education provider for events to help cover its expenses in doing so. If your education offering is 1 or 2 hours long, the fee is \$150. If your event is more than 2 hours long, not exceeding one day, the fee is \$300. If you are hosting a large event with multiple programs you would like accredited, please contact us.

#### **Contact Information**

Name:

Company Name:

Telephone number:

**Email Address:** 

**Program Date / Location** 

## **Program Title**

(Succinctly encompass the overall program theme.)

Program Knowledge Level
(See additional information provided.)
Introductory Intermediate
Advanced Update
Program Learning Units
LU/HSW Applies to learning programs when
at least 75% of the content specifically addresses
the protection of the health, safety, and welfare of
the occupants of the built environment.
<b>LU</b> One Learning Unit is equivalent to one
hour of education and participation in a learning
program.
Program Category (Select one topic.)
Art & Architecture
Codes and Regulations
Construction & Evaluation
Construction Administration
Construction Observation
Preconstruction Activities
Project Closeout & Evaluation
Practice Management
Business Development
Business Operations
Firm Finances & Risk Management
Practice Methodologies
Programming & Analysis
Building Analysis & Programming
Environmental & Contextual Conditions
Site Analysis & Programming
Project Development & Documentation
Construction Cost Estimates
Construction Documentation
Integration of Building Materials/Systems
Project Manual & Specification
Project Management Communications Management
Confidence tions Management Contracts
Implementation & Evaluation
Project Quality Control Project Team Management
Project Team Management Project Planning & Design
Building Design
Building Design Building Systems, Materials, Assemblies
Project Costs & Budgeting
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#### **Program Description**

(Provide 2-3 sentences describing the program including key takeaways for attendees.)

## **Prerequisite Knowledge**

(Describe the knowledge required for an attendee to comprehend the content of this program.)

#### **HSW Justification**

(If applicable, describe why this program is eligible for Health, Safety and Welfare accreditation.)

#### **Learning Objectives**

(Provide 4 learning outcomes of the program which clearly express what the adult learner will be able to do after completing the program. For the program to be eligible for HSW accreditation, 3 of the 4 learning objectives must reflect/relay HSW information. See additional information provided.)

Learning Objective 1

**Learning Objective 2** 

**Learning Objective 3** 

**Learning Objective 4** 

#### **Program Instructor**

Program instructors must: (a) be competent and current in the subject matter being presented (provide/attach a brief overview of the Program Instructor's background and expertise of 3–5 sentences or a CV) and (b) read, sign and adhere to a Speaker Agreement prior to presenting.



## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Additional information, as excerpted from the AIA Standards for Continuing Education Programs, October, 2018.

## **Learning Units (LUs) for Programs**

AIA CES Provider learning programs are measured by actual program length, with one Learning Unit (LU) equivalent to one contact hour. A contact hour must be at least 50 minutes (can be followed by Q&A). A minimum of 1.0 full LU is required with additional 0.25 LU increments permitted thereafter.

## **Acceptable HSW Topics**

Technical and professional subjects related to the practice of architecture that safeguard the public and that are within the following continuing education subject areas necessary for the proper evaluation, design, construction, and utilization of buildings and the built environment are considered Health, Safety, and Welfare (HSW) subjects.

Learning programs must address one or more of the following HSW topics to be approved for LU|HSW credit:

**Practice Management** focuses on areas related to the management of architectural practice and the details of running a business.

**Project Management** focuses on areas related to the management of architectural projects through execution.

**Programming and Analysis** focuses on areas related to the evaluation of project requirements, constraints, and opportunities.

**Project Planning & Design** focuses on areas related to the preliminary design of sites and buildings.

**Project Development & Documentation** focuses on areas related to the integration and documentation of building systems, material selection, and material assemblies into a project.

**Construction & Evaluation** focuses on areas related to construction contract administration and post-occupancy evaluation of projects.

#### **Program Knowledge Level**

The relative level of program knowledge covered by a learning program.

**Introductory:** Program knowledge level most beneficial to learners new to a knowledge area, skill, or attribute. No assumption is made that learners have a specific baseline knowledge.

**Intermediate:** Program knowledge level that builds on an introductory program, most appropriate for learners with general knowledge about the topic. It is assumed that learners have at least a cursory understanding of the topic and may possess some direct experience.

**Advanced:** Program knowledge level most useful for individuals with significant knowledge of the topic. This level focuses on the development of in-depth knowledge, a variety of skills, or a broader range of applications. At the advanced level, it is assumed that learners have extensive prior knowledge of the topic and have direct experience (where applicable).



## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

**Update:** Program knowledge level that provides a general review of new developments. This level is for learners with a background in the subject area who desire to keep current. Annual courses on building code changes, for instance, would be update courses that assume learners understand the codes and are most interested, and where and how the codes have changed.

#### **Learning Unit (LU)**

Unit of measure for AIA Continuing Education Programs. One Learning Unit (LU) is equivalent to one hour of continuing education and participation in a learning program. Learning Units are categorized by type: HSW or Elective.

#### **LU|HSW**

Learning programs with at least 75 percent of the content intended to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the occupants of the built environment as defined below:

#### Health

Those aspects of professional practice that improve the physical, emotional, and social well-being of occupants, users, and any others affected by buildings and sites.

#### **Safety**

Those aspects of professional practice that protect occupants, users, and any others affected by buildings or sites from harm.

#### Welfare

Those aspects of professional practice that enable equitable access, elevate the human experience, encourage social interaction, and benefit the environment.

#### LU/|Elective

Learning program topics related to the core competencies of the discipline or practice of architecture but not within the realm of health, safety, and welfare. Learning programs that address professional practice and other aspects of professional development within the field and practice of architecture are still valuable for continuing professional development and education.

## **Prerequisite Knowledge**

AIA CES Providers should make every attempt to equate learning program content and level with the backgrounds of intended participants. All learning programs identified as intermediate, advanced, or update must clearly identify prerequisite education, experience, and/or advance preparation in precise language so that learners can determine if they qualify for the program.

## **Learning Objectives**

Intended accomplishments/goals that learners should realize upon completion of a learning activity. Learning objectives are useful to program developers in determining appropriate instructional methods and allocating time relating to the subjects.

## **Learning Outcomes**

Results that learners have achieved and can reliably demonstrate at the end of a learning activity. In other words, learning outcomes identify what the learner knows and can do by the end of a learning activity.