

#### **ACCREDITATION • CERTIFICATION • PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**



Since 1974, the American Council for Construction Education (ACCE) has been a leading global advocate of quality construction education that promotes, supports, and accredits quality construction education programs. ACCE is a 501(c)(3) non-profit corporation.



The primary goal is promotion and continued improvement of postsecondary construction education: specifically, ACCE accredits construction education programs in colleges and universities that request its evaluation and meet its rigorous standards and criteria.

The Council offers accreditation for Degree Programs, accreditation of Construction Workforce Education Programs, and certification of industry-related professional development educational programs and examinations.

# SECURING THE FUTURE OF THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY BY ACCREDITING & CERTIFYING HIGH QUALITY CONSTRUCTION EDUCATION PROGRAMS FOR FUTURE INDUSTRY I FADERS

"Now we just recruit from ACCE accredited institutions. Students from accredited programs progress faster and go further in their careers."

Gordon Marshall Retired, Pepper Construction









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#### **OWNERS & USERS**

ACCE serves the interests of owners and users of constructed facilities and the public at large by raising the professional caliber of constructors and the quality of the projects for which they assume responsibility.

#### **STUDENTS**

ACCE serves the interest of potential students by helping them identify institutions and programs that offer quality education in construction.

Students graduating from ACCE accredited and certified programs are better prepared to enter the construction industry

#### **INDUSTRY**

ACCE accreditation and certification enables employers to identify quality employees, who by education, have the demonstrated ability to make lasting contributions to their organization and their profession.

#### **FACULTY**

Through ACCE involvement, faculty have opportunities for developing leadership, networking with peers, and keeping current with trends in construction.

"It is a privilege to work with ACCE members to advance the quality of construction education across the country. Through active participation in ACCE, I have developed a deep appreciation for the strength and diversity of ACCE's accredited two and four-year programs."

> Rebecca Burleson Vice President / Sr. Client Executive Linbeck

### **CREDIBILITY**

"One of the most powerful ways to influence the future of our industry is to partner with the national accreditation process that is—and has been—key to continuous improvement of construction education.

Founded in 1974, this joint effort of industry and academia created the gold standard for rigorous construction accreditation in the US, elevated the recognition of construction education on university campuses, and set accredited programs apart."

Marty Garza
Higher Education Market Leader
Bartlett Cocke General Contractors
Emeritus Board Member
AGC Education & Research Foundation







# **QUALITY**

"It is an honor to serve as a member of an incredible organization like ACCE, an organization driven to support construction education and our industry. With the development of the new work force education initiative, I can say with no hesitation that ACCE is the leading national accreditation agency for construction education."

Dr. Mostafa Khattab President Western States College of Construction

## **PROFESSIONALISM**

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