



# 2018 STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING SUMMIT

October 24–27 | Sheraton Grand | Chicago, IL

**Call for Abstracts**—The 2018 NCSEA Structural Engineering Summit Committee is seeking 60 minute presentations that deliver pertinent and useful information that the attendees can apply in their structural engineering practices. Submissions on best-design practices, new codes and standards, recent projects, advanced analysis techniques, management, business practices, and other topics that would be of interest to practicing structural engineers, are desired. The 2018 Summit will feature education specific to the practicing structural engineer, in both technical and non-technical tracks.

**The total presentation time will be 60 minutes including Q&A.**

### **Abstract Requirements:**

- **This form must be completed in full and returned by March 30, 2018.**
- Abstract should be emailed to Carrie Johnson, Committee Chair, [cjohnson@wallacesc.com](mailto:cjohnson@wallacesc.com) and Jan Diepstra, NCSEA Director of Education, [jan@ncsea.com](mailto:jan@ncsea.com). **Form may be submitted via email by clicking on the “Submit via Email” button at the end of the form.**

### **Speakers will be notified of abstract acceptance by April 20, 2018.**

Speakers will be provided with required guidelines after acceptance of abstract. Standard AV equipment will be in the room: podium, laptop, wireless microphone, projector and screen. All speakers receive free registration on the day of their presentation. *(Travel expenses are not included.)*

## **Abstract Submittal Form**

*Please fill out as you wish your information to appear online and in the program*

**Speaker Name:**

**Designations:**

**Title:**

**Firm/Institution:**

**Address:**

**City/State/Zip:**

**Phone:**

**Email:**

**Speaker Bio (2-3 sentences maximum):**

**Presentation Title:**

**Abstract (500 word maximum):**

**Brief Presentation Description (2-3 sentences for marketing):**

**Learning Objectives (3 bullet points detailing what the audience will learn):**

**I will be willing to share my slides – in pdf format – with the Summit attendees.**

**I am willing to be recorded during my presentation and understand these recordings will be shared with attendees after the Summit.**

***Upon acceptance of your abstract, NCSEA will require:***

- Your photo – business headshot, high resolution jpg or png by **May 1, 2018**
- Your slides (on the official template provided) – submitted to Jan Diepstra, jan@ncsea.com, by **October 12, 2018**

**Must be returned by March 30, 2018**

*Questions? Call Jan Diepstra, NCSEA Director of Education, 312-649-4600 ext. 202.*

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