

April 26 – 27, 2010 – Toronto, ON

PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

Monday, April 26, 2010

9:00 am - 10:15 am

New Exterior Insulation Finish System Standards

CAN/ULC S-716.1 – Standard for Exterior Insulation Finish System – Materials & Systems

The Materials & Systems standard is the first part of ULC S-716 series to be published, and is being revised for inclusion in the National Building Code. This section applies to testing of systems and component materials for suitability for use in the Canadian environment. The development of testing criteria for a drainage cavity and fluid-applied water resistive barrier is based on unique research done in Canada and now is being proposed for use outside the country. As this Standard applies immediately to choice of materials and manufacturers, you owe it to yourself to learn how it will impact you and your projects.

CAN/ULC S-716.2 – Standard for Exterior Insulation Finish System – Installation

The installation Standard is being proposed for either the 2011 revision to the National Building Code, or for the new 2014 Code. It has been passed by ULC Standards and will soon be published. It will impact installers from both a technical and operational point of view. This Standard is reflected in the EIFS Quality Assurance Program. As such, you need to know what it means for you.

CAN/ULC S-716-3 – Standard for Exterior Insulation Finish system – Design

This is the first National Standard of any type directed to the design. The standard will be very important to Architects and Designers. The proposed standard is out for comment, and, when the ballot process is complete, will be proposed for incorporation in either the 2011 revision to the National Building code, or in the new 2014 Code. While this is still developmental, it represents an important step in Standards preparation, and as such is well worth your time and attention.

10:15 am - 11:00 am

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11:00 am - 12:00 noon

New Exterior Insulation Finish System Standards continued

12 noon - 1:00 pm

Buffet Luncheon viewing of Table Top Displays

1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

EIFS Quality Assurance Program (EQI)

Over the past 40 years, more than 4 billion square feet of EIFS have been installed in commercial and residential construction in North America. To address the anticipated future demand and exponential growth of the EIFS industry in the next decade, the EIFS Council of Canada has developed and introduced the EIFS Quality Assurance Program (EQI). The EIFS QAP is the first, certified, Quality Assurance Program in

the cladding industry in North America and will serve to provide the users of EIFS the highest possible benchmarks for the design, installation and inspection of EIFS. In this session, you will be introduced to these design, tendering and execution approaches provided by EQI and learn what you will need to be aware of to be compliant.

2:30 pm - 3:00 pm

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3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

New Exterior Insulation Finish System Practice Manual

The EIFS Council of Canada is in the process of developing the new EIFS Practice Manual. The Practice Manual, which is intended to replace the CMHC EIFS Best Practice Guide that is no longer in circulation, will contain the latest EIFS updates as well as complement the EIFS industry standards. When used in concert with the standards, the EIFS Practice Manual will assist in explaining the requirements of the standards, as well as providing guidance as to appropriate design and installation practices that will meet and/or exceed the minimum requirements of the standards. The session will be of definite assistance to both designers and owners using EIFS in their understanding of the available best practice options for the industry.

Tuesday, April 27, 2010

9:00 am - 10:30 am

Case Studies by Industry Experts

This discussion will feature members from a variety of stakeholder groups – Panel members will consider research project undertaken by Oak Ridges National Laboratories, project case studies, the use of EIFS as a New building cladding and as a retrofit product, energy efficiency, and impact on LEED and energy efficiency. Given the popularity of EIFS as a cladding technology and changes happening in design and regulation around EIFS use, you owe it to yourself to attend and learn about the impact, use, regulation and development of this product group.

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Case Studies by Industry Experts continued

12:30 pm - 1:30 pm

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1:30 pm - 2:15 pm

Detailing for Sustainable Design

Tarion Warranty Corporation has undertaken numerous changes to Builder Bulletin 19 in the risk areas for assessment including EIFS installation. Learn about how Tarion will be responding to EIFS from the design construction and claim perspective.

2:15 pm - 2:45 pm

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2:45 pm

Industry Experts Q&A Panel

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