



ACHIEVING A RESILIENT FUTURE

We're less than a month away from the one event that gathers all of the building industry players together to collaborate on important industry-wide solutions. [Building Innovation 2016: The National Institute of Building Sciences Fourth Annual Conference & Expo](#), January 11-15, 2016, at the Renaissance Arlington Capital View Hotel in Metro Washington, D.C., is set to coordinate the efforts of all disciplines toward *Achieving a Resilient Future*. The **International Code Council (ICC)** is the Conference Sponsor.

High-performance and resilient communities and buildings are on the horizon, but coordination and collaboration across all disciplines is required to cross the finish line. The National Institute of Building Sciences serves as the convener of the U.S. building industry. Consistent with its Congressional establishment and its role as an authoritative source of innovative solutions for the built environment, the Institute brings together the thought leaders, the implementers and the influencers within the industry's vast network of voices.

There are a wide range of opportunities for ICC members to gain valuable benefits from attending this unique Conference. Building Innovation 2016 offers ICC members the opportunity to:

- Learn about the important role tools, technology, people and processes play in the achievement of high-performance communities and facilities during [Track One: Guidance and Groundwork — People, Process, Tools and Technologies to Reach Resilience](#)
- Explore the concept of incentivization and find out how an enhanced vision of incentives for investment in resilience can facilitate achievement of resilient communities and facilities in [Track Two: Preparation and Performance — Realizing Resilience through Incentives](#)
- Witness an overview of a high-performance project firsthand from the project team's perspective and hear the Institute's vision for the industry's future during the [Plenary Symposium — Achieving a Resilient Future](#)
- Hear about the new research by healthcare providers and building industry representatives that address challenges in the provision of high-performance facilities at the [Academy for Healthcare Infrastructure 2016 Forum](#)
- Influence the education of future industry professionals at the [Building Science Education in North America Workshop — Building Bridges and Bridging the Gap](#)
- Acquire ways to work with peers to overcome fiscal, personnel and training challenges at the National Council of Governments on Building Codes and Standards meeting
- Discover how quality credentialing programs can enhance achievement of community goals at the Commercial Workforce Credentialing Council meeting

- Discover how to better design spaces for occupants with low vision at the Low Vision Design Committee meeting
- Learn about the expanding use of off-site construction techniques and their intersection with the current regulatory process at the Off-Site Construction Council meeting
- Gain insights on developments in the use of technology to advance achievement of building industry and policymaker goals at the buildingSMART alliance® meeting
- Find out about the latest resources now available on the BRIK Building Research Information Knowledgebase® and WBDG Whole Building Design Guide® during the BRIK meeting and WBDG meeting
- Hear from the Architect of the Capitol about the U.S. Capitol revitalization, building and infrastructure budget, construction forecast and regulatory update during the [Annual FEDCon® Breakfast](#)
- See the latest advancements in innovative products and tools at the Building Innovation Expo
- Connect with industry leaders and experts at multiple networking events
- Get a jump-start on earning valuable continuing education units, with over 20 hours of credit per attendee available to be submitted for AIA approval

Join your industry colleagues for this industry-wide collaboration. Register now to attend Building Innovation 2016. Online registration ends December 31, 2015. Take advantage of the pre-conference savings and avoid long lines at onsite registration. [Register today!](#)