



The American Institute of Architects Continuing Education System

Provider: Record-USA Automatic Doors

Program#: T112071521

Program: ADA Compliant Entrances Meeting Expectations

Length: 1 Hour

Credits: 1

HSW: Yes

Course Description:

We will discuss the history of the ADA and how it has cultivated change in the way the construction industry accommodates entrances, points of egress, and hardware. This course will also offer information on relative standards, codes, and how industry associations inform the law.

Learning Objectives:

1. We will learn about the history surrounding the passing of ADA law in 1991. The participant will understand the different titles as we delve into the section that most commonly affects design: Title III.
2. The participant will learn what the minimum expectations are concerning ADA compliant entrances and the many ways they can shape their design with ADA in mind. This will involve discussion on clear opening, accessible routes, and the hardware options that accommodate ADA compliance.
3. We will discuss what the benefit of using an automatic entrance may be in regards to accessibility and what door to use when. The participant will have a better grasp of what to expect when specifying an automatic door and how ANSI/BHMA as well as IBC codes and standards inform the ADA.
4. The participant will be informed as to what might happen should the law not be followed and how it can affect their firm and the job as a whole.

How taught:

The speaker will present a PowerPoint presentation and seek to actively involve participants.

A/V Needed:

In Person: The speaker will require a conference room with adequate seating for all participants, a screen, and a projector for presentation. Virtually: The speaker will send the coordinator a Microsoft Teams invitation that can then be dispersed to participants.

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