

#### **About the AIC**

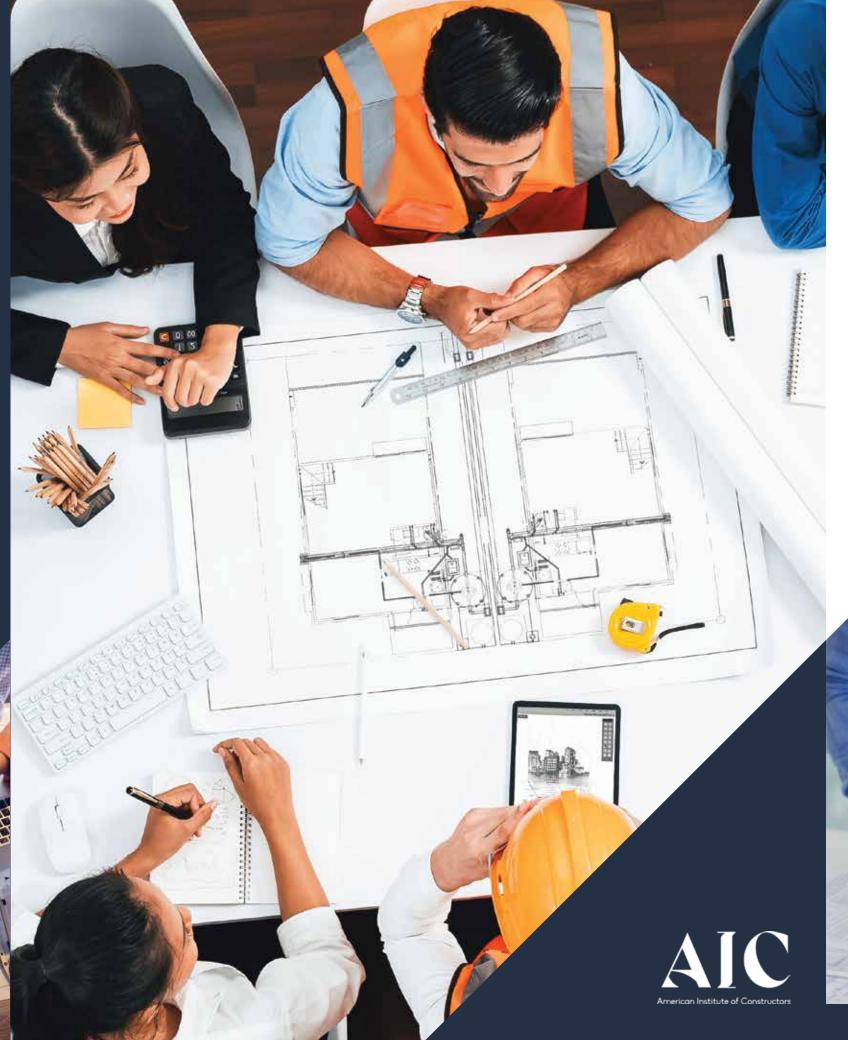
- For 50+ years, AIC has supported the individual constructor through rigorous certification programs.
- Dedicated to promoting professionalism, ethics, and excellence in the related fields of construction.
- Source for education, networking, and career advancement opportunities for AIC members.

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**Upholding Our Commitment to** 

Constructor Excellence



**CONSTRUCTOR CERTIFICATION COMMISSION** 

# **About Construction**

#### **Certification Commission**

- The AIC Constructor Certification Commission (CCC) has tested constructors under the AIC banner since 1996.
- The Commission raises the standards of professional practices amongst constructors across the industry.
- Constructors benefit from a professional image aligned with Engineers and Architects in the AEC industry.
- The Board of Governors is comprised of industry professionals and academic leaders.

# **Growth of the Program**

- Over 35,000 individuals have sat for the Level I CAC exam. and over 1.400 constructors have sat for the Level II CPC exam.
- The CAC exam is given at 70+ testing sites each spring and fall semester at accredited colleges and universities.
- The CPC exam is administered at a network of testing centers across the U.S. each spring and fall.

#### **BENEFITS OF THE CERTIFICATION**

# Benefits to the **Construction Company**

- Provides an independent assessment of an employee's skills and knowledge.
- Improves company marketability to clients.
- Creates added assurance employees will continue to improve their skills and knowledge.

#### **Benefits to the Owner**

- Generates added assurance their projects are being managed effectively.
- Capitalizes on the opportunity to use certification as a pre-qualification requirement.
- Gains confidence that construction teams will be professional and ethical.

#### **Benefits to the Constructor**

of skills and knowledge.



LEVELS OF CERTIFICATION

■ For Students: Graduated from / scheduled to graduate from an accredited 4-year

Construction Management degree program.

- Note: Students who have not graduated yet should be within 12 months of graduating from a 4-year accredited degree program.
- For Professionals: Obtained 4 years of qualifying experience, education, or a combination of the two.

#### The CAC Exam **Body of Knowledge**

- Communication Skills (11%)
- II. Engineering Concepts (8%)



- Must have 8 years of qualifying experience or a combination of 8 years of qualifying experience and education.
- Must have passed or been exempted from the CAC Level 1 Certification Exam.
- Attained 4 years of additional Acceptable Professional Experience beyond that required to sit for the CAC exam.
- Note: Acceptable Professional must include a minimum of 2 years managing the execution of construction work.

## The CPC Exam **Body of Knowledge**

- Project Scope Development (11%)
- **Employment Practices (8%)**
- Working Relationships (11%)
- Construction Start-up and Support (11%)
- V. Construction Resource Management (13%)
- VI. Construction Cost Control (12%)
- VII. Project Closeout (11%)
- VIII. Construction Risk Management (12%)
- IX. Ethics (11%)

