

INSTRUCTOR

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Dick Bidwell graduated as a Distinguished Military Graduate from Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University in 1950 with a BS degree in Mechanical Engineering. Dick was chief engineer of two Reynolds Metals plants, and then was transferred to its Richmond Executive Offices in 1967, where he served as Corporate Director of Energy Resources for 13 years, and Corporate Director of Contracts and Regulations for six years negotiating large energy contracts worldwide. He retired in June 1993, and served as a consultant to Reynolds for 7.5 years, continuing to negotiate energy contracts. He was licensed as a Professional Engineer in VA in 1951, and in Michigan in 1963. He served on the VA State APEL-SCIDLA Board from June 1977 to June 1982, serving as president in 1978. Dick served as President of VSPE, 1992-1993, received VSPE's Engineer of the Year Award in 1974, and has received several Distinguished Service and Outstanding Service Awards. He was elected a Fellow of NSPE in 2001. In 1980, he was appointed to the "Committee of 100", College of Engineering, Virginia Tech. Dick remained active in the Air Force Reserves after serving active duty, and retired as Lieutenant Colonel in 1988.

3 REASONS WHY YOU SHOULD ATTEND

1. Gain a better understanding of the APEL-SCIDLA Regulations and how they impact your practice as a professional.
2. Become familiar with the ethical responsibilities of licensed design professionals.
3. Earn 5 of the 16 continuing education credits required to renew your professional license.

VIRGINIA SOCIETY OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS



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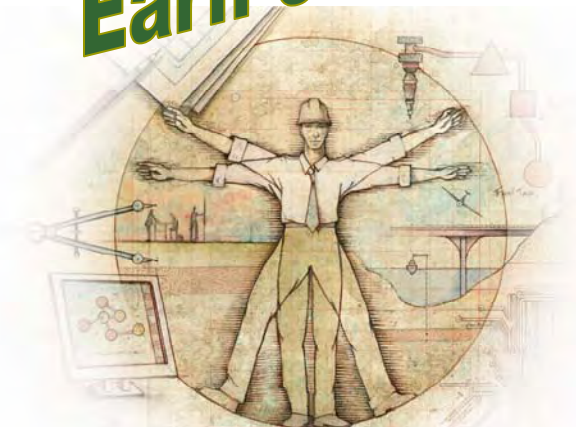
- * Providing educational opportunities
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**VA STATE LICENSING BOARD
(APELSCIDLA)
REGULATIONS REVIEW
SEMINAR
TO INCLUDE ETHICS AND
OPEN BOOK EXAMINATION**

Who Should Attend:
Professional Engineers
Engineer Interns
Architects
Land Surveyors
Certified Interior Designers
Certified Landscape Architects
Government Reviewing Agents

SEMINAR AGENDA

Introduction and purpose of seminar.

APELSCIDLA Regulations and Ethics

- * *Review APELSCIDLA Regulations.*
- * *Review ethical responsibilities of licensed design professionals.*
- * *Discuss practical examples and case studies dealing with ethics and the Regulations.*

Examination

- * *Open book examination of Virginia APELSCIDLA Regulations and portions of the Code of Virginia pertinent to the regulations.*

Grading of Exam & Review

- * *Exam will be graded in class and all questions will be reviewed and cross-referenced with the Regulations.*

Handouts will include a copy of the current Virginia APELSCIDLA Regulations, its Resource Guide, and the various codes of ethics for professional engineers, architects, land surveyors, landscape architects and interior designers.

Each participant will receive a certificate at the conclusion of the seminar verifying the earning of five Professional Development Hours.

Seminar includes continuous break service and a box lunch.

Additional seminars to be held throughout VA.

Contact Info@VSPE.org for locations.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Tuition: \$275 for VSPE members; \$375 for non-members. Register 3 or more from the same company/firm/agency at the same time & receive a 10% discount. Make check payable to *VSPE*. Each registration includes a copy of the *Board for Architects, Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors, Certified Interior Designers & Landscape Architects (APELSCIDLA) Regulations, its Resource Guide, and copies of the various codes of ethics for professional engineers, architects, land surveyors, landscape architects and interior designers.*

Pre-registration is required.

Send registration to: VSPE, 3420 Pump Rd #240, Richmond, VA 23233. You may also register via fax at 804-364-0606.

Date: Friday, April 17, 2009

Location: Embassy Suites Hotel & Executive Meeting Center, 2925 Emerywood Parkway, Richmond, VA 23294; 804-521-1603.

Schedule: Registration 8:30-9:00 a.m.

Morning Session 9:00-10:00 a.m.

Exam & Box Lunch 10:00–Noon

Grading & Review Noon-2:00 p.m.

Continuing Education Credit: This program meets the continuing education requirement in Virginia and qualifies for 5 Professional Development Hours. Please refer to other state rules to determine if this program qualifies for credit in that state.

Cancellations: If you contact us at least 48 hours before the start of the seminar, we will offer you a tuition refund, minus a \$25 service charge for each registration. If you contact us after that time, we will offer you a credit toward this seminar at another location. If you desire, you may send another person to take your place at the seminar.

REGISTRATION

Registration Deadline: Friday, April 3, 2009

Space is limited so register early. Attach duplicate forms if necessary.

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