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Education & Safety

Competent Person Training: Trenching and Excavations

July 13 ♦ Atlanta
August 24 ♦ Atlanta

If you dig, or if your project has a four-foot or deeper foundation, basement, or excavation work, then you should attend this informative course. This course educates individuals on the proper procedures for before, during, and after trenching and excavation, while meeting OSHA's requirements for a "competent person."

The State Licensing Board approves this course for Utility Contractors.

The course covers the following topics:

- Soil classification
- Sloping and benching
- Timber shoring for trenches
- Aluminum hydraulic shoring for trenches
- Alternatives to timber shoring
- Selection of protective systems

Length: 1 day, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Cost: No Charge for CompTrustAGC of Georgia Clients; however, there is a \$25 Cancel Fee for no shows.

\$175, Georgia Branch, AGC Members; \$275, Non-members

Instructor: Affinity Service Group

OSHA 10-Hour Construction Safety Outreach Course

July 20 ♦ Atlanta, GA
August 10 ♦ Macon, GA

OSHA requires a contractor to have a competent person on-site to qualify for Focused Inspection. This safety course is designed to help contractors develop safety and health competent persons for their job sites. The competent person will learn to recognize potential hazards in construction before an incident occurs. Plus, individuals will be able to identify and implement abatement techniques for hazards found on the construction site.

The course will cover the following topics:

- Fall protection
- Excavation and trenching safety
- Electrical safety
- Hand and power tool safety
- Personal protective equipment
- Heavy equipment safety
- Fire prevention and protection
- Hazard communication
- Recordkeeping
- OSHA's Focused Inspection Initiative

Length: 1 day, 7:00 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Cost: \$175 Georgia Branch, AGC Members; \$275, Non-members

Instructor: Affinity Service Group

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Georgia DOT Flagger Certification (Spanish)

Saturday, July 21 ♦ Atlanta, GA

Spanish-speaking flaggers may now receive their certification through the Georgia Branch, AGC in a convenient time-frame that has the worker's busy schedule in mind.

Meeting the Georgia DOT policy, this course will allow you to have all of your flaggers working on the State Highway System trained and certified. Failure to provide certified flaggers could result in suspension of work until a certified flagger can be provided.

Length: 1/2 day, 8:00 a.m. - Noon

Cost: \$79 Georgia Branch, AGC Members;
\$99 Non-members

OSHA 30-Hour Construction Safety and Health Outreach Course

July 24, 25 and 26 ♦ Atlanta

This three-day course is developed for the person who works with a broad variety of construction standards. The class covers the full spectrum of construction safety, from Subpart A through Subpart Z. Learn how to recognize basic construction hazards and implement corrective measures through classroom instruction and hands-on demonstrations.

Upon successful course completion, attendees will receive an OSHA 30-Hour Construction Outreach Course completion card.

Those who cannot make all 3 days of training can makeup the days missed at the October 2007 scheduled class.

Length: 3 days, 7:00 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Cost: FREE for Zurich Policy Holders and CompTrust AGC Members.

\$255, GA Branch, AGC Members;

\$355, Non-members

Instructors: Dick Dean, Zurich and Brian Wood, Affinity Service Group

Basic Blueprint Reading

July 31 and August 1 ♦ Macon

This course offers not only the basics of blueprint reading, but also the fundamentals of construction methods that make blueprint reading meaningful. The course is designed for office personnel, foremen, superintendents, and anyone who desires a basic knowledge of construction drawings. This course will offer basic descriptions of pictorial drawings, construction materials, construction specs, how to use a scale, and reading plot plans. It will also cover the basics of print reading for concrete footings, structural steel framing, welding, unit masonry construction, framing and finish, plumbing systems, air conditioning systems and electrical systems.

This course will begin at 8:00 a.m. and will end at approximately 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 31 at the Goodwill Conference Center located in Macon, GA. This is a 2-day course and will continue on August 1.

Registrants need to bring a yellow highlighter and an architectural scale.

Length: 2 days, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Cost: \$255.00, Georgia Branch, AGC Members; \$355.00, Non-members

Instructor: Wayne D. Smith, CPE

Fall Protection

August 3 ♦ Austins Cattle Co., Valdosta

OSHA's Subpart M states "Employers have a duty to provide fall protection when employees are at risk of falling 6 feet or more." Last year 33 percent of all fatal workplace accidents were caused by falls, and 70 percent of these falls occurred at construction sites. As a result, OSHA's compliance officers are specifically trained to identify fall hazards and perform on-the-spot inspection and will conduct enforcement operations at worksites.

Most of these falls are preventable by worker training and compliance with the Occupational Safety and Health Administration's (OSHA) Subpart M.

This course offers information on the following:

- OSHA's Subpart M
- Scope and application
- Definitions
- Guardrail systems
- Safety nets
- Personal fall arrest systems
- Positioning devices
- Warning line systems
- Controlled access zones
- Safety monitoring systems
- Fall protection plans
- Training requirements

Length: 1 day, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Cost: \$175, Georgia Branch, AGC Members; \$275, Non-members

Instructor: Dan Sheffer

CPR, First Aid and Bloodborne Pathogens

August 10 ♦ AGC Offices

The CPR/First Aid/Bloodborne Pathogens course is an Emergency Unlimited program consisting of three modules:

Adult Heart Saver. This module includes information about the chain of survival concepts, risk factors, prudent heart living, signals for 911 activation, adult-one rescuer CPR, and Foreign Body Airway Obstruction.

First Aid. This course covers video and guided discussion presentations covering signs, symptoms, and treatments of common medical and traumatic emergencies.

Bloodborne Pathogens. Topics of this module include definition, prevention, universal precautions, immunization, exposure control, and post-exposure reporting.

Length: 1 day, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Cost: \$89.00, Georgia Branch, AGC Members; \$109.00, Non-members

Instructor: Emergency Unlimited

Scaffold Safety

August 15 ♦ AGC Offices

The Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) requires a competent person to supervise when a scaffold is "erected, moved, dismantled, or altered," 1926.451 (a)(4). Participants in this course will be provided the necessary training to be considered a "competent person" by an OSHA inspector. The instructor will also cover the most common OSHA violations related to scaffolds and how to control/eliminate accidents and injuries associated with scaffolds.

Topics covered include:

- Footings and foundations
- Inspection of equipment
- When to tie scaffolding to a building
- Platforms and planking
- Fall protection
- Ladders and stairways
- Systems scaffold

Length: 1 Day, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Cost: No Charge, CompTrust AGC Members -- NOTE: A \$25 Cancel Fee will be applied for CompTrust AGC Attendees who do not show; \$175, Georgia Branch, AGC Members; \$275, Non-members

Instructor: Affinity Service Group

Georgia's Fundamental Seminar

(Level 1A) and Exam for Persons Involved with Land Disturbing Activities

August 17 ♦ Atlanta

The Level 1A Fundamental Seminar and exam is a one-day course ending with the Level 1A certification exam. The course is designed to train contractors, builders, developers, site superintendents, utility and grading contractors, and monitor consultants in the proper installation, maintenance, and inspection of BMP's on construction sites.

Topics covered in this course are fundamentals of erosion and sediment control, the Georgia Erosion and Sedimentation Act, NPDES Permits, maintenance, stream buffers, vegetative and structural BMP practices.

To obtain the "certified personnel" certification you will need to:

- (1) Attend an approved Level 1A Seminar
- (2) Submit an application for certification
- (3) Pass the Level 1A certification exam

Length: 1 day, 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Cost: \$175 Georgia Branch, AGC Members;
\$225, Non-members

Instructor: Jim Spotts

LEED 2.2 Content Overview: Preparing for the LEED Accredited Professional Exam

August 22 ♦ Atlanta

Southface is offering an eight hour intensive course to prepare students to take the LEED Accredited Professional Exam. The class will cover all six categories of the LEED 2.2 rating system, from Sustainable Sites to Innovation and Design Process. Instructors will review the intent, requirements, issues and strategies associated with each of the credits, focusing on the level of knowledge you will need to pass the Exam. Participants will also receive training on the integrated project management and documentation processes that are fundamental to the LEED program and will learn tips for working as LEED Accredited Professionals in the field. The training series will conclude with an overview of recommended study methods, Exam-taking skills and practice questions for the LEED 2.2 accreditation exam.

Length: 1 Day, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Cost: \$210 Georgia Branch, AGC Members;
\$275 Non-Members

Instructors: Southface

Don't see what you are looking for?

Attracting the brightest and best in the workplace is critical. AGC continues to develop the resources required to meet these workforce challenges.

The Georgia Branch, AGC offers over 80 construction-related courses in a year, training over 12,000 construction personnel.

Let us know how we can help you and your employees with your training needs.

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Attendee Registration Form

Please make copies as needed

Check the course(s) you are registering for:

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NPDES Level 1A Seminar and Exam

- August 17 - Atlanta

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Registrant Information

Name: _____ Title: _____

Company: _____ Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Registrant's Email: _____ Fax: _____

Company Phone: _____

Contact Person: _____ E-Mail: _____

Check One:

Check -- Payable to Georgia Branch, AGC Amount: \$ _____

Charge to:

VISA

MasterCard

American Express

Account # _____ Exp. Date _____

Signature _____

Registration Deadline: One Week Prior to the Course

If paying by check: Fax a copy of this registration for to **Shana Freeman** at 678-298-4113 or 4101, **THEN** mail payment along with a copy of this registration form to our lockbox address --- Wachovia Bank/Georgia Branch, AGC • P. O. Box 934023 • Atlanta, GA 31193-4023

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For more information, please contact Shana Freeman at 678.298-4112 or freeman@agcga.org.

Cancellation Policy: The registration fee is fully refundable up to one week prior to the event. If you do not cancel before this one week period or do not attend the seminar, the registration fee will not be refunded. Substitutions are encouraged and may be made by calling Shana Freeman at 678.298.4112. A confirmation letter will be faxed to the contact person one week prior to the event.