# Welcome! Industry Forum Participants

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AMERICAN COUNCIL FOR CONSTRUCTION EDUCATION PARTNERSHIP FOR EXCELLENCE ACCE Mission is to be a leading global advocate of quality construction education and to promote, support, and accredit quality construction education programs. ACCE is committed to Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

### **Updates: American Council...**



- Worldwide Scope for accreditation of Construction & related programs
- Recent initiatives: Work Force, HVACR Programs, Concrete industry Management Programs (CIM), & Fire Emergency and Disaster Management (FEDM), Work Force Programs, Professional Development & Training Programs
- Merger of Construction Industry Caucus and IAB Liaison Committee to form Industry Partnership Committee
- ACCE Continuous growth and improvement 2025 Strategic Plan

#### **ACCE Expectations...**



- Partnership of Excellence: Requires participation from Construction Industry Representatives like you
- Need your inputs to plan the Forum next year: Schedule a Session on Topics & Speakers every year
- Your assistance in growing the forum participation bring along one industry professional or organization next year

### Some thoughts...



- Size and Scope of a Capstone project at school
- Setting up a credit-bearing (or not) paid internship program
- Sharing organization experiences on Recruiting Methodologies
- Skill set sought for an entry level recruit or intern
- ACCE assisting in recruiting activities

# Thank You & all Forum ACCE Sponsors!

- ACCE Mission and organization updates
- Expectations
- Ideas for future

#### **Any Questions or Comments**

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