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Subject: Architects and specifiers earn AIA/CES Health, Safety, and Welfare Learning Unit credit through commercial door performance and sustainability program from Special-Lite, Inc.



Special-Lite, Inc. has introduced a new American Institute of Architects Continuing Education System (AIA/CES) program, ***Evaluating Exterior Doors for Performance and Sustainability (AIA No. FRP-201)***. An AIA/CES Registered Provider, Special-Lite offers programs specifically designed for architects and specifiers involved in selecting and installing doors in commercial applications. Special-Lite representatives conduct the course at the participants' location or other site in arrangement with the participants. Upon completion of the course, attendees receive one Health Safety & Welfare (HS&W) Learning Unit credit.

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The new one-hour program reviews how exterior doors are relevant when designing educational, healthcare, commercial and institutional structures for sustainability and high performance.

The class is designed to help participants understand the important role entrance product selection can play in building high-performance, sustainable structures. Specifics include: potential impacts on indoor air quality related to exterior door composition and common maintenance practices; correlations between common types of door construction and performance characteristics; and the evaluation of exterior entrance products based on an evaluation of fitness for purpose and environmental impact over the product's entire life cycle.

Evaluating Exterior Doors for Performance and Sustainability (AIA No. FRP-201) can be scheduled for your firm by contacting your local Special-Lite representative or by calling Special-Lite at 800-821-6531.

About Special-Lite, Inc.

Based in Decatur, Michigan, Special-Lite manufactures complete entrance systems consisting of flush, monumental, colonial doors, panels and framing for new construction and replacement installations in educational, commercial, institutional, industrial and municipal applications. The company was founded in 1971 and pioneered the use of fiberglass reinforced polyester (FRP) material for door skins in the early 1980's, and today is the largest volume producer of FRP doors in the U.S. Special-Lite's entrance products were the first to earn GREENGUARD Indoor Air Quality Certification® and have attained including the stringent Children & Schools Standard™.

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