



PROFILE OF INNOVATION

The American Institute of Architects Continuing Education System

AIA/CES Registered Provider Program Summary Handout

Provider:	SchluterSystems L.P.	Program #:	SCHL19A
Program:	Specifying with Confidence - Floors	IDCEC Class Code:	117277
Length:	60 minutes	HSW:	Yes
Credits:	1 L.U.		
Description:	This seminar will examine the advantages and disadvantages of commonly used specifications for tiled floors, all of which are recognized by the Tile Council of North America's Handbook for Ceramic Tile Installation.		
Learning Objectives:	At the end of this program, the participant will be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. List the challenges of installing tiled floors in different environments.2. Describe the consequences of specifying one installation method across different job site conditions.3. Explain the concept of uncoupling in the context of a tiled floor assembly.4. Explain how uncoupling membranes serve as universal underlayments in virtually all job site conditions.		
Approach:	A PowerPoint presentation incorporating photo images, video clips, and computer animation will be used. There will be a question and answer period at the end of the program; however, questions are encouraged throughout.		
A/V needed:	Electrical power and a screen for the PowerPoint presentation. (The CES facilitator will supply the laptop and projector)		
Target Audience:	Architects, specifiers, owners, and other design professionals in the residential and industrial/commercial markets. Ideal audience size: 10 to 20 people.		
Facilitator Qualifications:	All of Schluter-Systems' facilitators have been with the company a minimum of 3 years, and average 10 years in the tile industry. The CES facilitators receive in-house training on CES guidelines and presentation skills.		
Cost:	Non-applicable. There is no fee for bringing this program into a firm or chapter meeting.		
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