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Testing Schedule / Location

Morning Schedule - Written Exam

MORNING LOCATION

The Center at Holiday Inn 7736 Adrienne Drive Breinigsville, PA 18031

7:00 AM - Report to Meeting Room 201 - Sign In

7:30 AM - Review of material for the written exam

11:00 AM - Begin one-hour exam

Noon - Exam time expires - all exams must be completed in one hour

Depart for afternoon performance exam - lunch will be provided at exam site.

Afternoon Schedule - Performance Test

AFTERNOON LOCATION

Casilio Concrete 6729 Ruppsville Rd. Allentown, PA 18106

Lunch will be provided at this location for all taking the performance exam. Performance exams will begin shortly thereafter.

Concrete Field Testing Technician Grade I Certification



Always advancing

<u>Purpose</u>

This program has been developed for the purpose of certifying concrete technicians who have demonstrated the knowledge and ability to properly perform the basic field tests on freshly mixed concrete.

This program is intended as a review in preparation for certification testing. *It is not for instructional purposes.*

Test Procedures

ASTM test procedures covered include:

- ASTM C 138 Test Method for Density, Yield, and Air Content(Gravimetric) of Concrete
- ASTM C 143 Slump of Hydraulic Cement Concrete
- ASTM C 31 Making and Curing Concrete Test Specimens in the Field
- ASTM C 172 Sampling of Fresh Concrete
- ASTM C 1064 Temperature of Freshly Mixed Portland Cement Concrete
- ASTM C 173 Air Content of Concrete by the Volumetric Method
- ASTM C 231 Air Content of Concrete by the Pressure Method

How to Prepare For Your Exam

Be sure to review the entire ACI workbook and complete all study questions at the end of each chapter.

Our examiners suggest that you should read and review each section including the review questions, 2 to 3 times before the exam.

Attendees should have a working knowledge of, *and experience with*, all of the testing methods that will be covered. Practicing these proficiencies prior to performance examination is strongly suggested.

Please note that, while ACI has provided all measurements and calculations in both standard US and metric versions, you need only to study the standard US format.

What to Bring

You should bring the following materials to class:

(Please be sure to review the confirmation letter you will receive with your workbook for items specific to your exam location per that instructor's preferences.)

- Drivers license or photo ID (must be presented at the time you check in at the testing facility)
- Certification practice test (completed)
- ACI Concrete Field Testing Technician Grade I Workbook
- Two #2 pencils
- One simple function calculator (The use of programmable calculators during exams is prohibited)
- Notebook or note paper
- Cell phones/Smartphones must be turned off and not accessible for the duration of the exam

For practice/performance session, participants should bring:

- Safety glasses
- Hard hat
- Gloves
- Boots (preferably steel toes)

Certification Policies / Information

Per the American Concrete Institute (ACI), certification is unique to the individual who participates in, and passes, both the written and performance exam - *REGARDLESS OF WHO PAYS FOR THE EXAM*.

The certification number assigned and certification card distributed belong *SOLELY* to the individual who presents their photo ID, upon their successful passing of both exams. A company or other individual may not claim this certification in any way.

To verify a certification, visit:

 $\underline{\text{http://www.concrete.org/Certification/VerifyACertification.aspx?}}\\\underline{\text{d=}Ask}$

Answers to the following questions are available on ACI's website: http://www.concrete.org/Certification/CertificationFAQs.aspx

- Replacing a lost/damaged certification card
- What to do if a certification card has not been received

- Are you certified? refer to the link mentioned on previous page
- Length of time it will take to receive exam results
- What to do if you fail either the written and/or the performance exam
- Information on your ID number
- Your certification expiration date

For more information, contact the American Concrete Institute at (248) 848-3790.



Pennsylvania Aggregates and Concrete Association

Information & Policies

Registration Information

- Use one registration form per person. Form may be duplicated for additional registrants.
- It is highly recommended to register as EARLY as possible. Exam seating is limited and locations fill up quickly.
- Space in an exam location is not guaranteed until full payment is received. Upon receipt of full payment, exam study materials will be sent to registrant.
- Registrants with a disability or requiring special accommodations should email Kallie Kline at <u>kallie@pacaweb.org</u> to request assistance at least one week prior to exam date.
- Keep a copy of this registration form for your records.
- To register, fax/email (with credit card information) or mail check payable to "PACA".
- We apologize, but PACA does not accept American Express *Visa, MC, or Discover only*.
- PACA reserves the right to charge appropriate registration fees based on membership status and/or date of registration receipt.

Attendee Policies

 We reserve the right to <u>dismiss</u> any registrant for disruptive behavior toward the instructor and/or other participants.
 Registrants dismissed for disruptive behavior are not eligible

- for a refund of their registration fee and will be reported to their employer.
 - The registrant of this certification voluntarily assumes the risk
 of injury to themselves which may result from the training,
 testing or demonstration and releases and discharges PACA,
 the facility providing the training, testing or demonstration site
 and the provider of the training, testing or demonstration from
 all claims or liability by participant resulting therefrom.



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Association Headquarters (NOT AN EXAM SITE)

3509 North Front St. Harrisburg, PA 17110 Ph: 717-234-2603

Fax: 717-234-7030

PLEASE NOTE:

The Association Headquarters is NOT a designated exam site.

Please refer to the exam location(s) included on

PAGE 2 of this brochure.

Websites:

www.pacaweb.org www.specifyconcrete.org www.rcc4pa.org

PLE	ASE SELECT APPROPRIATE PAYMENT CATEGORY.	EARLY FEE	LATE FEE
	Company / Individual is a member of the Pennsylvania Aggregates & Concrete Association (ACI Membership n/a)	\$400.00	\$425.00
	Registrant is an EMPLOYEE of PennDOT / PA Tumpike	\$400.00	\$425.00
	Company / Individual is a NOT a member of the Pennsylvania Aggregates & Concrete Association (ACI Membership n/a)	\$525.00	\$550.00
	Written Retest	\$150.00	\$175.00
	Performance Retest	\$150.00	\$175.00
	Additional Workbook	\$100.00	\$100.00

RETURN THIS PAGE, ALONG WITH PAYMENT, TO:

- Fax: (717) 234-7030 & choose the pay by credit card option. An invoice
 including a "pay by credit card" button will be emailed to the appropriate
 billing contact. Study materials will not be sent until the credit card payment
 has been accepted.
- Email: Kallie Kline kallie@pacaweb.org & choose the pay by credit card
 option. An invoice including a "pay by credit card" button will be emailed to
 the appropriate billing contact. Study materials will not be sent until the
 credit card payment has been accepted.
- Mail with a check made payable to PACA to: WE HIGHLY SUGGEST THAT
 YOU EMAIL/FAX A COPY OF THE CHECK to KALLIE KLINE IN
 ADVANCE OF MAILING TO ENSURE THAT SPACE IS AVAILABLE IN
 EXAM.

PACA, 3509 North Front Street, Harrisburg, PA 17110

CANCELLATION / TRANSFER POLICIES

- There will be a \$200.00 fee charged for cancellations received 15 days or more prior to the start of the exam period (day one) for a full certification.
 There will be a \$75.00 cancellation fee for cancellations of written or performance exam retests.
- No refunds for cancellation notices received less than 7 days prior to the start of the exam period (day one) for full examinations and retests.
 Substitutions welcome.
- No refunds will be honored for failure to attend an exam date for full certifications and retests.
- Substitutions are accepted within the same scheduled exam date and are free of charge.
- Transfer requests from one exam date to another exam date will be subject
 to a \$60.00 fee based on seating availability in requested exam date, after
 first request. Transfers MUST be within the same calendar year. Fee MUST
 be paid by credit card at time of transfer.
- To request a transfer or make a substitution, contact Kallie Kline at kallie@pacaweb.org.
- Cancellation requests must be made in writing to kallie@pacaweb.org or by fax to (717) 234-7030.

Registration Form - July 12, 2016

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Please review this complete brochure relating to all the specifics of this exam.

If you have additional questions, please contact Kallie Kline at kallie@pacaweb.org or by phone at 717.234.2603.

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Company Contact:					
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We apologize, but PACA does not accept American Express—Visa, MC, or Discover only.

- It is highly recommended to register as early as possible to allow adequate time to receive the workbook.
- Number of seats is limited to the first 20 people paid. Registration is accepted on a first come first PAID basis.
- Study materials will **NOT** be sent until **FULL** payment is received.

Per policy, there are no refunds available on late fee cancellations. Substitutions within the same class are permitted. Refunds are not available for failure to attend a test date.