

# 2020 PROCEEDINGS

OCTOBER 19-23, 2020 Virtual Convention

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### **Technical Sessions**

# **25 Beacon – Value Added Structural Conversion using PT** *Srinivasan Neelamegam, CCL*

This presentation discusses the post-tensioned slab system that provided temporary structural support to 25 Beacon (Six and Seven Mount Vernon Place), two townhouses located in the historic Beacon Hill area of Boston. The post-tensioned slab provided the strength to permanently support the structure above and facilitate wider spans below, enabling significant cost and logistical savings.

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## 10 Things Your Lawyer Won't Tell You (But Should)

Alex Barthet, The Barthet Firm

This presentation discusses specific strategies construction business owners can implement to better manage outside legal counsel. This course will provide contractors, subcontractors and design professionals with practical information on what to ask to expect from their lawyer.

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# In-Place Strength Measurement in Post-Tension Application Using The Maturity Method

Icaro Mariani, Giatec Scientific

The maturity method allows for faster and safer construction and provides a lot of advantages over regular field-cured cylinder testing. This presentation will cover the main benefits of using the maturity method in post-tension projects, specific considerations for using maturity in post-tension applications, and some case studies.

Video | Presentation

# **Technical Sessions**

# Analysis of the PT Anchorage Zone by the Finite Element Method (FEM)

Fábio Albino de Souza, INAEP

In this work we sought to emphasize the behavior of the anchor plate and the stress flow in which an anchor plate (post-tensioning) with one strand was modeled by the finite element method (FEM) using Solidworks software. The results showed critical points where recommendations were made for a good behavior of the anchorage zones improving the safety of the project and avoiding problems in the initial stressing of the strand.

**Video | Presentation** 

### Code Outlook 2020 (ACI 318-T and ACI 320)

Andrea Schokker, University of Minnesota Duluth

This presentation will describe the role of a companion code such as ACI/PTI 320, and summarize the code development plan for the 2025 cycle. Additionally, the presentation will explain how new provisions are handled and describe the role of PTI input into 320 code development.

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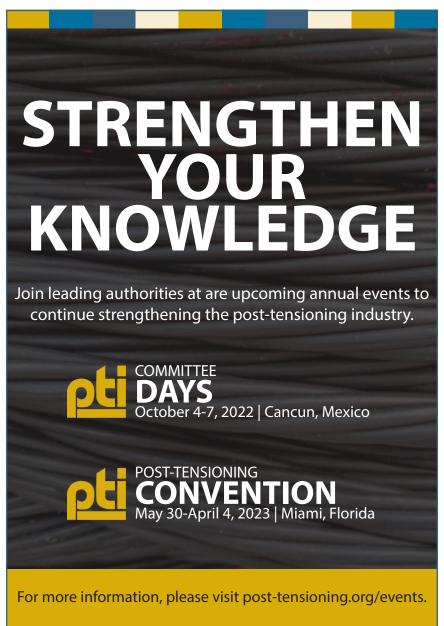








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