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Construction Group Out + About

Members of Robinson+Cole's Construction Group have spoken and published on various construction-related topics, been recognized in the community, and participated in high-profile industry group programs throughout the country. We hope to see you while we are "out and about."

Even when we're away from the office, we continue to follow developments and trends in all areas of construction law and to share our insights on those changes in our [Construction Law Zone](#) blog. If you haven't, we encourage you to check it out and sign up to receive e-mails when new content is posted. We welcome your feedback and input on topics you'd like us to cover.

We would also like to congratulate the American Bar Association's Forum on Construction Law for its 40 years of service to the industry. Construction Group members Dennis Cavanaugh, Greg Faulkner, and Peter Strniste will attend the [Annual Meeting](#) on April 28-30, 2016, in Nashville, Tennessee.



June 13, 2016
CBA's Connecticut Legal Conference

Todd Regan will present "Construction Case Law and Legislation: Year in Review" at the Connecticut Bar Association's 2016 Connecticut Legal Conference.

May 15–18, 2016
National Association of Surety Bond Producers

Todd Regan will attend the Annual Meeting of the National Association of Surety Bond Producers (NASBP) in Colorado Springs, Colorado. Todd serves on the NASBP's eight-member Attorney Advisory Council.



April 20, 2016
Management of Legal Exposures

Greg Faulkner taught a professional development workshop entitled "Management of Legal Exposures" for the Construction Institute (CI) at the University of Hartford. This is the CI's fourth presentation of this highly successful program over the past four years.

April 4, 2016
Careers in Construction Law

Greg Faulkner served as a panelist at the University of Connecticut School of Law's "Careers in Construction Law" event in Hartford, Connecticut. He co-led an interactive session that covered the current market for legal services and career opportunities in construction law. He and his co-panelists also introduced attendees to the American Bar Association's Forum on the Construction Industry, which focuses on the education and development of construction lawyers.



April 21, 2016
Construction Institute's 7th Annual Visionaries Forum

Keane Aures assisted the Construction Institute in hosting its Visionaries Forum and introduced one of the speakers for this event. The Construction Institute's 7th Annual Visionaries Forum celebrates innovation during an event that draws together pioneers who are shaping the future of design, construction, and management for the architecture, engineering, and construction industry. See a [photo](#) of Keane at the Forum.

March 10, 2016
Construction Institute's Young Professionals Event

Keane Aures participated in the Construction Institute's (CI) Young Professionals Event. The participants worked with the CI's executive director to plan and shape the future of the young professional segment of the organization. He is involved in multiple aspects of the CI, chairing and sitting on several of its committees.



April 14, 2015
Risks, Liability, and Insurability in Contracts

Marty Onorato served on a panel of experienced attorneys and insurance professionals that discussed contract language directed at design and construction industry professionals involved in public school projects in Connecticut. The presentation offered an in-depth analysis of modifications to AIA contract documents for certain capitol region school projects.

March 8, 2016
Connecticut Building Congress

Marty Onorato moderated a program entitled "Revitalizing Communities Through Public Private Partnerships" for the Connecticut Building Congress. The featured speakers were Matt Hart, town manager of Mansfield; Peter Souza, town manager of Windsor; and Oz Griebel, president of the MetroHartford Alliance.



April 5, 2016
Professional Women in Construction

Elizabeth Wright, who serves on the Board of Directors of the Professional Women in Construction Connecticut Chapter (PWC) and co-chairs its Program Committee, planned and attended the PWC's Meet the Construction Chiefs event. Todd Regan was also in attendance. The program featured panelists from The Whiting Turner Contracting Company, Fusco Corporation, Skanska USA, KBE Building Corporation, Gilbane Building Company, Turner Construction, and Shawmut Design & Construction. It attracted over 200 professionals in the construction industry and examined current trends in the construction market in New England.



March 29, 2016
Construction Law and Leasing Committees

Jonathan Hausner, co-chair of the REBA Construction Law Committee, and Rick Heller, co-chair of the REBA Leasing Committee and senior vice president and general counsel at Legal Sea Foods, co-chaired an open meeting of both committees. They discussed leasing and construction considerations for tenant improvement work in leased space from the perspective of the lessee.



March 4, 2016
ABA Forum on Construction Law

Lisa Andrzejewski, Keane Aures, and Elizabeth Wright attended the ABA Forum on Construction Law's Construction Contracts Conference in Newark, New Jersey.

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