2023 West Coast Cement **Industry Conference Committee**

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Conference

SCHEDULE

October 19-20, 2023

Marriott Hotel and Conference Center Provo, UT

Thursday, October 19

12:00-6:00	REGISTRATION VENDOR INFORMATION TABLES Marriott Hotel Conference Center
1:00-5:00 PM	WORKSHOP Marriott Hotel Conference Center
1:00-2:55 PM	Employee Recruitment & Retention in the Cement Industry
	Robert Lovingood, ICR Staffing Services; Steve Tyrrell, Mitsubishi Cement; Worley Pace, Utah Dept. of Workforce Services
	Employee recruitment and retention for skilled labor, supervision and management for the cement industry.
2:55-3:05 PM	BREAK
3:05-5:00 PM	CO2 Reduction Roundtable John Kline, Kline Consulting; Pete Paone, Zap Engineering; Dr. Luc Rudkowski, thyssenkrupp; Larry Baxter, Brigham Young University
	The CO2 reduction roundtable discussion will compare and contrast the various levers and technologies available for reducing emissions, including blended cements, alternative fuels, energy efficiency, and capturing and sequestering CO2.
6:00-10:00 PM	VENDORS NIGHT RECEPTION Marriott Hotel Conference Center
	Friday, October 20
7:00-12:00 PM	REGISTRATION VENDOR INFORMATION TABLES

Marriott Hotel Conference Center

7:00-8:00 AM Continental Breakfast Marriott Hotel Conference Center

Friday, October 20

8:00 AM	TECHNICAL PROGRAM Marriott Hotel Conference Center
	Opening Remarks Steve Tyrrell, West Coast Chairman
8:00-8:25 AM	Plant Air/Overstress of Silo Walls Gerry Lynskey, SSI Consulting
8:25-8:50 AM	Cautions in the Use of Interstices Gerry Lynskey, SSI Consulting
8:50-9:15 AM	Waste Heat Recovery Xavier D'Hubert, XDH-energy
9:15-9:40 AM	The Importance of Accurate & Reliable Metering of Alt Fuels Ernesto Duran, Schenck Process
9:40-10:00AM	BREAK
10:00-10:25AM	Regulatory Update on EPA's PCMACT Risk and Technology Review (RTR) Brett Lindsay, SRMG; Scott Nielson, Ash Grove Cement
10:25-10:50 AM	Reliability/Asset Management Delvi Rodriguez, The Cement Institute
10:50-11:15 AM	Recovered Cement Fines as Supplementary Cementitious Materials Ronen Cohen, Bridge Gap Engineering
11:15-11:35 AM	Features of the Leamington Plant Paul Pederson, Ash Grove Cement
11:35-12:00PM	Boxed Lunch Distribution/Buses Depart for Plant Tour
1:00 - 2:45 PM	Ash Grove Cement Leamington Plant Tour
3:45 PM	Buses Return to Marriott Hotel