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noun

- a room or building in which goods are manufactured or repaired. synonyms: workroom. studio. atelier: More
- a meeting at which a group of people engage in intensive discussion and activity on a particular subject or project. synonyms: study group, discussion group, seminar, class; support group

verb

1. present a performance, using intensive group discussion and improvisation in order to explore aspects of the production before formal staging.

Thank you for your interest in hosting a Let's Fix Construction interactive workshop! Each two hour workshop is good for two AIA HSW LU's.

We facilitate a program centered around common conflicts, issues and solutions in AEC. These issues can be either identified by YOU and customized to fit your needs or we can provide issues common to the industry and culled from previous workshops.

This workshop is facilitated by Eric Lussier and Cherise Lakeside. Their diverse backgrounds offer unique perspectives in addition to a dynamic presentation style.

To date, workshops have been conducted at CSI Region Conferences, Chapter meetings, at CONSTRUCT and within firms or offices. While workshops that are attended by multiple-disciplines offer more diverse solutions, we have also found that inter-office workshops have created a stronger bond and more open communications between co-workers and leadership who may not interact often.

As Let's Fix Construction is an unsponsored and self-funded endeavor, we do request reimbursement of expenses, at a minimum, and we do accept donations and encourage sponsorships to support our effort at your event. We will attempt to book other workshops near your location, when feasible, to defray overall travel expenses.

Our presentation needs are minimal. We can work with or without audio/visual and do not use Power-Point as the workshop is interactive and we do not want to distract from the overall message.

FORMAT

- Attendee introductions and issues.
- Speaker Introductions and LFC Mission.
- Group problem solving exercise to demonstrate activity going forward.
- Break into multi-discipline teams. Encourage moving out of comfort zone & friends.
- Identify captains. Each voice at the table should have input and be represented.
- Explain problem solving worksheets.
- 10-15 minutes for team brainstorming. 3 bullet points, 10 words or less each.
- Team presentations of solutions to the room plus group discussion.
- Should the solutions be backward thinking, negative or finger pointing, teams will be reminded of the mission and goals of LFC.