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## CONCRETE CALENDAR 2025–2026

*The events, dates, and locations listed were accurate at the time of publication. Please check the website of the sponsoring organization.*

### October 1–15, 2025

#### **PTI Certification Week**

Building Industry Association Hawaii  
Waipahu, Hawaii

### October 2–5, 2025

#### **Carbon Conscious Concrete (C3) Symposium**

Westin Chicago River North  
Chicago, Ill.

### October 20–22, 2025

#### **Midwest Bridge Preservation Partnership Meeting**

Hyatt Regency Columbus  
Columbus, Ohio

### October 20–25, 2025

#### **PTI Certification Week**

Atlanta Marriott Northeast/Emory  
Atlanta, Ga.

### October 23, 2025

#### **PCI Recommended Practice for Strand Bond Webinar**

2 p.m. – 3 p.m. CT

### October 26–29, 2025

#### **ASBI Annual Convention and Committee Meetings**

Hyatt Regency  
Bellevue, Wash.

### October 26–29, 2025

#### **ACI Concrete Convention**

Hilton Baltimore and  
Marriott Baltimore  
Inner Harbor  
Baltimore, Md.

### November 2–5, 2025

#### **CRSI Fall Business and Technical Meeting**

The Drake Hotel  
Chicago, Ill.

### November

#### **17–22, 2025**

#### **PTI Certification Week**

Hilton Austin Airport  
Austin, Tex.

### January 11–15, 2026

#### **Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting**

Walter E. Washington Convention Center  
Washington, D.C.

### January 19–22, 2026

#### **World of Concrete**

Las Vegas Convention Center  
Las Vegas, Nev.

### February 2–6, 2026

#### **PCI Convention at The Precast Show**

Kansas City, Mo.

### February 27–March 2, 2026

#### **NRMCA Annual Convention**

Las Vegas, Nev.

### March 29–April 1, 2026

#### **ACI Concrete Convention**

Hyatt Regency O'Hare  
Rosemont, Ill.

### April 13–16, 2026

#### **CRSI Spring Business and Technical Meeting**

Silverado Resort  
Napa, Calif.



## 2025 NCBC Webinar Series

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## Schedule

Certificates of attendance are available for these free 1-hour live webinars.

**October 22: An Introduction to Concrete Segmental Bridges**

**November 19: Advances in Ready Mixed Concrete for Bridge Applications**

Check our website for recorded webinars and updates.

