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Frequently Asked Questions about Industry Residency

Q. Why do faculty want to participate in an industry residency?

A. It is the best way for construction education faculty to gain valuable and current industry experience that they can share with their students and fellow faculty members, both within and outside of their home institution.

Q. How will an industry residency benefit the construction industry?

A. Hosting an industry resident is an investment in the future of the construction industry. Faculty who are knowledgeable about contemporary issues and state-of-the-art management techniques are best equipped to ensure that students graduating from construction education programs are well prepared to join the industry. Through relationships with industry residents, constructor hosts also gain information about best practices and leading edge methods and technology that faculty have studied through their industry collaborations and research activities.

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