

FGI Offering LIVE Virtual Panel Discussion Webinar

Thursday, July 30, 2020 at Noon CDT Free to Industry Professionals & Students 1.0 PDH

This first webinar Panel Discussion will assemble five (5) industry leaders to answer questions about design, specifying, factory testing, fabrication, welding, packaging, shipping, installing, field leak location testing, and maintaining factory fabricated geomembranes and geosynthetics, e.g., geotextiles, for a range of applications. The panelists will also



discuss different labor rates, production per day, quality control, testing, weather impacts, wind, wrinkles and performing leak location surveys, etc. for factory fabricated versus field fabricated geosynthetics. This should result in a lively discussion about current trends in geomembranes, fabrication, testing, and installation.

Panelists:

Doug Hilts, P.E. (Hilts Consulting Group)
Patrick Elliott (Raven Industries)

Ronald Frobel, P.E., (R.K. Frobel & Assoc)

Dan Rohe (EPI)

Duff Simbeck (Simbeck & Associates)

Moderator: Timothy Stark, Ph.D., P.E. (Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign)

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them. Another video podcast reviews a case history on a slope failure of a geomembrane composite liner system in a waste containment facility and features special guest, Doug Evans of the Ohio Department of Natural Resources.

If you have a topic for the FGI to address in an upcoming video or audio podcast, please contactual miller.

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Register & Andy Bittner - Register

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