Security and Design

November 5 Virtual Seminar Helps Architects Help Clients Address Security Concerns

Sign up now through your component or firm; space is limited

"Security by Design: Insights and Best Practices," a 90-minute virtual seminar addressing security design from the architect's viewpoint, will be offered Monday, November 5, from 1-2:30 p.m., EST., at 300 sites nationwide. The program is made possible through the generous support of Autodesk.

The architect's viewpoint

The program will feature a number of security design experts, including:

- Carol Ross Barney, FAIA, principal, Ross, Barney & Jankowski Inc., Chicago
- Robert Barr, AIA, senior principal, Hellmuth, Obata & Kassabaum, Washington, D.C.
- Robert Craig, CPP, manager, security division, Rolf Jensen & Associates, Fairfax, Va.
- Denis Goeser, AIA, project manager, Leo A. Daly, Omaha
- Michael Patrick, AIA, director, architectural design, Leo A. Daly, Atlanta.

Participants will receive information on how to:

- Recognize the nature of security threats to the built environment and the relative risks associated with those threats
- Assess the owner/client perspectives and concerns regarding security threats to their buildings
- Develop strategies and methods to plan, design, and construct buildings to mitigate or minimize security threats
- Integrate knowledge and information concerning security threats into the design of buildings now on the boards
- Advise clients about security threats and the integration of security concerns throughout the building life cycle.

Register now, at your component site or individually

To maximize the value of the program and the number of members who participate, many local AIA components will be sponsoring down-link sites. Please attend a local-component session, if possible. To view a list of components that have already registered, visit *http://www.aia.org/pia/virtual/security/* and click on the red "Participating AIA Components" box.

If you do register as an individual site, please consider inviting as many of your colleagues as possible to join you (at least five other people). Participants each earn 1.5 HSW AIA/CES Learning Units. The equipment needed to present the program includes a Pentium PC running Windows 95, 98 or NT or a Mac Power PC with at least 32 MB of RAM; a conventional monitor (800x600 resolution) or a projection monitor with the same resolution for large groups; Web access; a separate phone line and a speaker phone loud enough for all in attendance to hear. (If you are unsure that your equipment is adequate, you can run a simple test. Go to *www.krm.com/pwtest*.) All registrants will receive complete instructions on how to link to the site.

To register as an individual, visit *www.krm.com/regonline/aiavcregs.nsf/aia6537-free*.

To learn more about the conference, visit the AIA Building Security Through Design site, *www.aia.org/security*.