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ARCHITECTS MAY EARN LU HOURS AT GLASSBUILD AMERICA® SEMINARS

WASHINGTON, DC (June 10, 2010) – The National Glass Association recently unveiled a world-class lineup of educational seminars to be held during the 2010 GlassBuild America: The Glass, Window & Door Expo®. Today, the association announced that participating architects will be eligible to receive 2.0 Learning Unit Hours (LU Hours) for attending each of the seminars offered during the show.

GlassBuild America is scheduled for September 14-16, 2010 at the Las Vegas Convention Center. All seminars are free to architects who are encouraged to attend all the seminars offered, and to tour the show floor to view the latest technologies and architectural applications on display.

Architects may also earn 2.0 LU Hours by attending the 5th Annual NGA Glazing Executives Forum, a full day event, held in conjunction with requiring a separate \$185 fee.

“We couldn’t be more pleased to offer these CEUs to the growing legions of architects that attention GlassBuild America,” said Phil James, NGA President. “This year’s slate of seminars is shaping up to be our best to date, and I’m confident that every attendee will be impressed by the caliber of our speakers, the relevance and timeliness of our discussion topics, and the depth of the programs we’re offering.”

Educational highlights of the 2010 show include:

- **5th Annual NGA [Glazing Executives Forum](#), Sept. 14 (2.0 LU Hours)**
A full day of interactive breakout sessions, expert speakers, peer-to-peer sharing and networking. A must-attend event for architects incorporating glazing elements into their design.
- **Solar Energy and Energy Efficiency Seminar, Sept. 16 (2.0 LU Hours)**
Combining topics from two of the most popular sessions from 2009, this seminar on Building Integrated Photovoltaics (BIPV) will be led by Richard Voreis, CEO of Consulting Collaborative. Panelists include a leading architect, a photovoltaics consultant, a university spokesperson, a glass and glazing subcontractor, and a thin-film photovoltaic module manufacturer.
- **Decorative Glass Seminar, Sept 16 (2.0 LU Hours)**
Leading experts in decorative glass will debate one of the most pressing industry questions: Is it the product or the design process that matters most? This panel presentation will explore how specialty glass is selected and perceived by each segment of the industry. Presenters include Richard Riveire (Rottet Design, Los Angeles), Ed Trainor (Trainor Glass, Chicago) and Reza Safavi (Taslimi Construction, L.A.). The panel will be moderated by Pulp Studio CEO Bernard Lax, who will also offer a brief presentation on specialty glass trends affecting the industry.

"We also hope the architects will stop by the Glass, Window & Door Industry Pavilion (#1618) to say hello and to learn about more of the programs and services we offer," said James.

Attendee registration <http://www.glassbuildamerica.com/regpackages.htm> for GlassBuild America and the educational programs is now open.

About GlassBuild America: The Glass, Window & Door Expo

GlassBuild America is organized by the National Glass Association, in partnership with the Glass Association of North America, the American Architectural Manufacturers Association, the Insulating Glass Manufacturers Alliance and the Bath Enclosure Manufacturers Association. Since 2003, it has been listed as one of the Top 200 largest U.S. tradeshows in the annual listing compiled by Tradeshow Week magazine. GlassBuild America is a member of the Global Fair Alliance. For more information about the Global Fair Alliance visit www.global-fair-alliance.com

GlassBuild America 2010 will be held September 14-16 in Las Vegas. For more information about GlassBuild America, contact: 866/342-5642, extension 300 or visit www.GlassBuildAmerica.com