

Field Trip in Conjunction with Seminar on Response Modification Technologies for Performance-Based Seismic Design

Saturday, June 1, 2002 ✧ Los Angeles, California

ATC has planned a Field Trip on Saturday, June 1, 2002, to local facilities that incorporate seismic isolation. Four sites have been selected:

- **Conexant Facility** (1 hour south of Los Angeles), a microchip wafer fabrication plant that was seismically retrofitted with a rubber base-isolation system while the plant remained in operation. The construction and vibration monitoring procedures were demanding. At the site, a short video that describes the construction process will be shown.
- **St. John's Health Center** (Santa Monica) - This is the base-isolated replacement for the original St. John's Hospital that was severely damaged in the Northridge earthquake. It is currently under construction.
- **University of Southern California Hospital** (downtown Los Angeles), a base-isolated hospital that was subjected to strong ground shaking during the 1994 Northridge earthquake.
- **Los Angeles City Hall** (downtown Los Angeles) - Constructed in 1928, the Los Angeles City Hall was damaged by several earthquakes before a comprehensive seismic retrofit program was undertaken in 1999. The retrofit program included installation of approximately 450 rubber isolation bearings, 70 sliding isolation bearings, and 70 fluid viscous dampers. The Los Angeles City Hall is currently the tallest base-isolated building in the world.



University of Southern California
Hospital

Space on this Field Trip is **strictly limited** to the seating capacity of the tour bus. We will advise in advance whether you have a guaranteed spot. A standby list will be maintained in the event of over-subscription beyond the capacity of the bus. There may be cancellations or no-shows.

Registration. Persons wishing to participate in the Field Trip should submit the attached Registration Form, along with the required payments.

Meeting Place and Schedule. Confirmed Field Trip participants should meet in the lobby of the Hyatt Regency Hotel, 711 South Hope Street in Los Angeles (phone: 213/683-1234) at **8:30 A.M.** for check-in, badge issuance, and boarding. Guaranteed seats will be released at 8:45 A.M. Any available seats will be offered to standby participants. The group will depart the Hyatt Hotel by chartered bus at **9:00 A.M. sharp**, and will return to the Hyatt at 4:00 P.M. A boxed lunch will be provided to all participants.



SPECIAL NEEDS: If you have any special needs, such as a special diet, or needs related to sight, hearing, or physical mobility, please attach a brief description of these needs to your registration form.

Please see the attached sheet with my specific special needs.

The Field Trip registration fee of \$65 per person includes the tours, transportation, and boxed lunch.

Field Trip Registration:

Name of Participant: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Postal Code/Country: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____ E-Mail: _____

Payment:

Please charge my Visa or Mastercard for the Field Trip registration fee of \$65

Check enclosed, payable to ATC, in the amount of \$65

Card No.: _____ Cardholder Name: _____

Expiration Date: _____ / _____ Cardholder Signature: _____

Print, complete, and submit form to: Applied Technology Council, 555 Twin Dolphin Drive, Suite 550, Redwood City, CA 94065; Phone, 650-595-1542; Fax, 650-593-2320

Liability Release *(To be completed by field trip participants)*

I acknowledge that there are certain risks inherent in field trips and that not all risks can be prevented. I voluntarily assume all risks of injury to myself or damage to my property and agree to hold harmless the Applied Technology Council, its directors, officers, employees and authorized agents from all liability, claims or causes of action arising out of my participation in field trip activities. I represent that I am physically able, with or without accommodation, to participate in this field trip.

Should I require emergency medical treatment as a result of accident or illness arising during the field trip, I consent to such treatment. I acknowledge that the Applied Technology Council does not provide health and accident insurance for field trip participants and I agree to be financially responsible for any medical bills incurred because of emergency medical treatment. I will notify the Field Trip Guide in writing if I have medical conditions about which emergency medical personnel should be informed.

I have carefully read this release and fully understand its contents. I am aware that signing it constitutes a release of liability and I sign it of my own free will.

Name *(please print)*

Signature

Signature Date