

# The American Institute of Architects Continuing Education System

## AIA/CES Registered Provider Program Summary

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<b>Provider:</b> National Glass Association	<b>Length:</b> 1 hour
<b>Program #:</b> ID0002_L	<b>Credits:</b> 1 LU
<b>Program:</b> Critical Reasons to Specify Insulating Glass	<b>HSW/Sustainability:</b> Yes

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**Description:** The demand for energy savings, building occupancy safety and comfort have enabled the glass and glazing industry to bring many innovations to market. This course will cover the basic components of insulating glass and review some of the key performance attributes they provide.

### Learning Objectives:

- List the primary components of an insulating glass unit construction or assembly
- Describe the purpose of a spacer in an insulating glass unit
- Discuss how insulating glass units provide enhanced levels of security and safety performance
- State two ways the acoustical performance of an insulating glass unit can be improved

**A/V Needs:** Electrical power, screen and computer projector for the PowerPoint presentation. The CES facilitator supplies the laptop and laser pointer.

**How Taught:** The CES facilitator utilizes a PowerPoint presentation to offer a live presentation, allowing time for Q&A with the participants.

**Target Audience:** Architects, specifiers, owners and other design professionals in the commercial market. The ideal audience size can be one on one or over 50. The program meets every experience level with time designed into the program for questions and answers.

**Facilitator Qualifications:** All NGA CES facilitators have signed the AIA speaker agreement. In addition, the facilitators are individuals working within the commercial architectural glass industry at member companies of the Association.

**Costs:** There is no cost to bring this program into your firm or chapter meeting.