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ILLINOIS STRUCTURAL ENGINEER LICENSE RENEWAL

For each renewal cycle, a licensee must obtain 30 hours of continuing education that meets the requirements listed in Section 1480.185 (a) and (c) of the rules for the administration of the structural engineering practice act. There are three (3) core hours and twenty-seven (27) elective hours.

There is now an option to carryover up to 15 hours to the next renewal cycle, provided the hours are gained between June 1st through November 30th of the renewal year.

CE Carryover:

- [CE Carryover Form](#)

Applicable Sections of the Rules:

- [Section 1480.185 Continuing Education](#)
- [Section 1480.190 Renewals](#)

The core hours are:

- 1) A minimum of one hour of sexual harassment prevention training.
- 2) A minimum of one hour of programs, courses or activities in the area of Illinois statutes and rules that regulate structural engineers and structural engineering.
- 3) A minimum of one hour of programs, courses, or activities in the area of professional conduct and/or ethics.

All programs or courses shall:

- 1) Contribute to the advancement, extension and enhancement of the professional skills and scientific knowledge of the licensee in practice of structural engineering;
- 2) Foster the enhancement of general or specialized practice and values of structural engineering;
- 3) Be developed and presented by persons with education and/or experience in the subject matter of the program; and
- 4) Specify the course objectives, course content and teaching methods to be used.