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What's New

Job Fair for Architects and Engineers



We are looking for Registered Architects and Professional Engineers! Join us on April 11th to learn more about the <u>career opportunities</u> and <u>benefits</u> available at Buildings.

Wednesday, April 11, 2007 280 Broadway, 6th Floor 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

View the Job Fair <u>flyer</u> (53 kb-pdf) for more information and visit the <u>Career Opportunities</u> section of our website. Not able to attend? Email your resume to <u>recruit@buildings.nyc.gov</u>.

New Required Items for Late Filing of Boiler Reports

As of April 15, 2007, additional documentation will be required for late filings of <u>Annual Low Pressure Boiler Inspection Reports</u>. Some supporting documents that will be required include notarized affidavits and proof of payment. View the <u>service announcement</u> (28 kb-pdf) for more information.

Buildings Around Town ____

Buildings Responds to Lexington Avenue Building Collapse

Buildings Commissioner <u>Patricia J. Lancaster</u> and the Forensic Engineering Unit evaluated a partial <u>building collapse</u> at 1861 Lexington Avenue on March 27, 2007. While the cause of the collapse is still under investigation, preliminary reports suggest interior construction work being performed at the time of the collapse may have compromised the structural integrity of the building. Buildings has ordered an immediate demolition and will continue to remain on site to oversee the demolition work. Learn more about <u>Construction Safety</u> and our new <u>Low Rise Site Safety</u> initiative program.

Training & Workshops _

Queens AIA Monthly Meeting

On Tuesday, April 10, 2007, First Deputy Commissioner Robert LiMandri, and Deputy Commissioners Fatma Amer and Phyllis Arnold

will be featured at a round table discussion at the Queens AIA monthly dinner. The discussion will include controlled inspections and the new <u>NYC Construction Codes</u>. Seating is limited, so reserve your seats today. View the flyer (64 kb-pdf) for more information.

NYSA Professional Technical Forum

Join us tomorrow on Thursday, March 29, 2007, as Buildings Department Director of Plumbing, Arthur Cordes, discusses the Plumbing Code, filing procedures and upcoming initiatives at the New York Society of Architects 25th Professional Technical Forum. Seating is limited and reservations are required. View the NYSA flyer (26 kb-pdf) for more information.

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Early Renewals for Electrical Licenses

As of April 1, 2007, you may renew and change your expiration date to your birthday for your electrical license. Your current electrical license is valid until December 31, 2007 and early renewal is not required. View the <u>service announcement</u> (28 kb-pdf) for information on how to renew your electrical license early.

Did You Know?_

Did you know that you may still be qualified to obtain your final Certificate of Occupancy, even if you have open Alteration Applications throughout your building? For consideration, send a letter or e-mail to your respective borough's Project Advocate. For additional information about the program, view the Certificate of Occupancy News on our website.

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