CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT

Construction management is a dynamic profession that is a combination of art and science. While an understanding of the technical aspects of construction is extremely important, it is also essential that construction professionals have knowledge of the business and management aspects of the profession. Construction has traditionally been a very conservative industry. The increasing rate of technological development and competition in the industry serves to accelerate the development of new construction methods, equipment, materials and management techniques. As a result, there is an increasing need for innovative and professionally competent construction professionals. Students in this program receive broad academic, technical, business and construction management courses designed to produce well-rounded construction professionals.

Construction Management majors are prepared for all phases of operation and management of construction including cost estimating, project scheduling, and planning. Students are able to choose from a range of subjects in the social sciences and humanities to satisfy liberal arts and free elective requirements. Options for pursuing degree completion include the traditional 5-year plan or part-time degree completion which takes an average of six years.

Students wanting specific information about the major are encouraged to stop by the department office at 3001 Market Street, call the department at 215.895.6024, or visit their website at http://drexel.edu/engmgmt/cmgt.

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- Allen Sherman Hoff
- IPS - Integrated Project Services
- JPC Group Inc.
- L. F. Driscoll Construction Co.
- Philadelphia Housing Authority
- Skanska USA Building, Inc.
- The Bannett Group, Ltd. tern
- The Walsh Group/Archer
- Western
- T. N. Ward Company
- Turner Construction Company

JOB TITLES

Assistant Project Engineer  
Assistant Superintendent  
Construction Estimator  
Construction Schedule Analyst  

Engineering Clerk  
Operational Engineer  
Project Manager  
Structural Designer

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PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS & INTERNET RESOURCES

National Association of Minority Construction Workers
namcnational.org

Construction Management Association of America
cmaanet.org

National Association of Women in Construction
nawic.org

National Center for Construction Education and Research
nccer.org

Associated General Contractors of America
agc.org/index.ww

American Institute of Constructors Engineers
professionalconstructor.org

Associated Builders and Contractors
abc.org

CAREER RESOURCES

Resume, Interviewing and Job Search Best Practices
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