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- **4-6 COAA (Construction Owners Association of America) Spring Owners Leadership Conference**, Hyatt Regency, on the Inner Harbor, Baltimore, MD COAA's annual Spring Owners Leadership Conference is 2.5 days filled with educational sessions, networking events, and a project tour. Conferences provide content that is developed specifically for Owners. **For more information visit www.coaa.org**

- **910 Groundbreaking Women in Construction**, The McGraw-Hill Companies Corporate Headquarters-McGraw-Hill Auditorium, New York City. This conference will examine critical areas for growth and advancement of women in the U.S. and global construction market. Join women leaders who will share pathways, patterns and practices that will provide new business and career opportunities in the construction industry. **For more information visit www.construction.com/events/2011/gwic/default.asp**

- **9-11 Waste Expo 2011**, Dallas Convention Center, Dallas, TX WasteExpo is North America's largest solid waste and recycling tradeshow serving both the private and public sectors. Organized by the Environmental Industries Association (EIA), WasteExpo's Conference Program offers over 40 sessions and workshops designed to provide waste and recycling professionals with the critical information they need. Topics include recycling, green management, finance, labor & employment, technology, safety, community relations, business & finance, employee relations, politics & law, and transportation & collection. **For more information, visit www.wasteexpo.com/wasteexpo2011**

- **11-14 2011 NASCC (North America Steel Construction Conference) The Steel Conference**, David L. Lawrence Convention Center, Pittsburgh, PA. Join more than 3,500 design and construction professionals when they gather this May to see the latest products, ranging from design software to fabrication equipment. Hear the top speakers in the industry and network with peers and clients. **For more information, visit www.aisc.org/nasc**

- **12-14 AIA (The American Institute of Architects) AIA 2011**

National Convention & Design Exposition, Ernest, N. Morial Convention Center, New Orleans, LA. The world is undergoing the largest wave of urban growth in history. By 2030, 60 percent of the world's population, or almost 5 billion people, will be living in towns and cities. In principle, cities offer a more favorable setting for the resolution of social and environmental problems than rural areas. Cities generate jobs and income. With innovative governance, cities can deliver education, health care, and other services more efficiently than less densely settled areas simply because of the advantages of scale and proximity. These centers of human habitation, as complex as they may be, must become integral components of larger environmental systems if they and we are to thrive. For more information, visit www.aia.org

➤ **14-18 CFMA (Construction Financial Management Association) 2011 Annual Conference & Exhibition**, Gaylord Texan, Grapevine, TX www.cfma.org

➤ CMAA (Construction Management Association of America) CMAA Forum May 15, 2011 May 17, 2011 The Westin River Walk, San Antonio, TX www.cmaanet.org

➤ **ARTBA (American Road & Transportation Builders Association) Federal Issues Program & Transportation Construction Coalition Washington Fly-In**, Madarin Oriental Hotel, Washington, DC You will have the opportunity to visit with your members of Congress and explain to them in personal terms the economic and job creation benefits in their states/districts from enactment of a new robust surface transportation investment law. The FIP includes legislative and regulatory briefings, a transportation construction market report and forecast from top ARTBA staff, and committee meetings so you can meet face-to-face with top federal agency officials. **For more information, visit www.artba.org**

➤ ASCE (American Society of Civil Engineers) World Environmental & Water Resources Congress 2011 May 22, 2011 May 26, 2011 Palm Springs, CA www.asce.org