

# David E. Lorenzini, FCSI

*“In acknowledgement of your distinguished contributions to construction technology through research, development of construction products and techniques, publications, and the application of your work to the Institute technical programs, you are advanced to Fellowship in the Institute on this 29th day of June, 1991.”*  
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DAVID E. LORENZINI was born in Kingston, Pennsylvania in 1938. He attended the University of Pennsylvania from 1956 to 1961, earning a Bachelor's degree in Architectural Engineering.

After graduation, Lorenzini spent one year in Italy attending construction technology classes at the University of Rome and traveling throughout Europe. In 1966, after having passed the architectural license examination in Pennsylvania, he earned his Master of Building Science degree at the University of Sydney as part of a Fullbright scholarship to Australia.

Prior to returning to office work, Lorenzini spent two years in the field working as general construction superintendent for a large university building. In 1969 he moved from Pennsylvania to Southern California with his family.

In 1973, after working for four years as a project architect, Lorenzini joined with three co-workers to establish Newport Collaborative, later changed to Harrison/Lorenzini Architect, an architectural firm active in residential and commercial design.

In 1984, Lorenzini changed his professional focus from architecture to construction specifications and computer

applications. His new firm, Architectural Resources Company, also became an authorized AutoCAD dealer to help design firms integrate computer technology into their practice.

In 1986, Lorenzini began serving the Institute as a member of the Technical Documents Committee. In 1988 he was selected to head the Symbols Subcommittee which was charged with development of TD-2-6 - Standard Reference Symbols, a CSI Technical Document. This document was published in 1990. At the 1990 CSI Convention, Lorenzini spoke on the subcommittee's work at one of the convention education sessions. The following year he was appointed to the newly reorganized Institute Technical Committee as Chairman of the newly established Drawings Subcommittee. He served an additional year as a member of the Drawings Subcommittee before turning his attentions to West Region Activities.

Now located in New Hampshire, Lorenzini continues to use his strong technical background and experience in computer technology to help CSI improve standards in construction documentation.

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## **CSI Membership**

Member, New Hampshire Chapter, 1997 to present  
Member, Orange County Chapter, 1974 - 1997

## **Institute Offices, Committees**

Director, 1991-1994

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Director, 1981 - 1983  
Vice-President, 1983 - 1985  
President, 1985 - 1986