

# Barbara A. Richardson, FCSI

*For your superb team-building skills, exemplary leadership, and invaluable guidance in handling divisive issues; for your unwavering and enthusiastic devotion to swards at all levels of CSI and our contributions to revitalizing the West Region Awards Program; for your prominent role in chartering and supporting the Reno Chapter; and for your distinguished and dedicated service as a chapter, region, and Institute officer, you are advanced to fellowship in the Institute on the 11th day of April 2003.”*  
Chicago, Illinois



BARBARA RICHARDSON was born in Sacramento, California and joined CSI in 1981. She has been a manufactures representative for Basalite Concrete Products for over 15 years and prior to that she was the Executive Secretary of the Concrete Masonry Association of California and Nevada for 11 years.

She has been an active member of the Sacramento Chapter and a charter member of the Reno Chapter. Having given many hours of her time to both of these chapters and the West Region as well as Institute service.

Through her involvement with CSI she has provided effective and informative communication through the development of the “Speak Out Sessions” held prior to the mid year meetings of the West Region Board of Directors. Ensuring that the goals of CSI would be achieved though these sessions.

Barbara has been involved with the Awards Committee on all levels of CSI, particularly in the West Region where she set about redefining the awards program and submissions. She has taken every task seriously that she has committed to be it at Chapter, Region or Institute level.

## **CSI Membership**

Sacramento Chapter, 1981 to present  
Reno Chapter, 1993 to present

## **Institute Offices, Committees**

Vice President, 2001 – present  
Vice President, 1999  
Director, 1994-1997

## **Chapter Offices, Committees**

President, 1989  
Secretary, 1987  
Treasurer, 1986

## **Awards**

Certificate of Merit and Appreciation, 2001  
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Certificate of Merit and Appreciation, 1997