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SEI ILLINOIS CHAPTER
Safety Inspection of In-Service Bridges
for Professional Engineers
NHI Course #130056

**Description:**

The SEI Illinois Chapter is hosting NHI's *Safety Inspection of In-Service Bridges for Professional Engineers* course in downtown Chicago. Registration is open to everyone who is able to meet the prerequisites of the course and will be limited to a **maximum of 30 registrants**.

The major goals of this course are to improve the skills of practicing bridge inspections of in-service bridges while covering the topics: fundamentals of bridges inspection; bridge materials; documenting bridges inspection data; inspection and evaluation of decks, superstructures, bearings, substructures, culverts, and waterways; advanced inspection methods and bridge inspection reporting.

Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:

- Describe the importance of bridge inspection
- Define the fundamental bridge inspection concepts
- Describe the basic bridge materials
- Describe the fundamentals of inspection reporting
- Identify the various deficiencies that can exist on bridge decks
- List design characteristics of common concrete superstructures
- Describe inspection methods and locations for common steel superstructures
- List design characteristics of common timber and misc. superstructures
- Identify inspection procedures for bridge bearings
- Identify inspection procedures for substructures
- List the characteristics and inspection procedures of culverts
- Identify and evaluate waterway deficiencies
- Discuss the need to inspect underwater portions
- Identify advanced inspection methods of common bridge materials
- Describe the fundamentals of bridge inspection reporting
- Demonstrate how to field inspect on the field trip

The target audience of this course is for those involved in inspecting bridges or bridge inspection management. All participants must successfully complete (score of 70% or better) one of the following two prerequisite requirements within two years prior to attending this training: 1) 130101 Introduction to Safety Inspection of In-Service Bridges; or 2) 130101A Prerequisite Assessment for Safety Inspection of In-Service Bridges. To take this course, participants must provide evidence of their active PE license. ALL participants must bring a prerequisite course completion certificate bearing their name to the first day of the class.

More information on the course can be found on the NHI website:

<https://fhwanhi.geniussis.com/RegistrationByCourse.aspx#>

See the following page for course details.

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Date & Time: June 22nd-26th, 2026 (5 days)

Date	Start Time	Stop Time
June 22 nd	8:00 AM	5:00 PM
June 23 rd	8:00 AM	5:00 PM
June 24 th	8:00 AM	5:00 PM
June 25 th	8:00 AM	5:00 PM
June 26 th	8:00 AM	5:00 PM

Location: Benesch
35 W. Wacker Dr.
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Cost: \$1,475

CEU: 3.7 CEUs (37 PDHs) will be awarded through NHI continuing education. Steps to follow will be provided at the completion of the course.

Register: Email: amy.wei@jacobs.com by **Mon. June 15th, 2026.**
No refunds will be accommodated after June 19th.

Additional Information:

All general or registration inquiries can be directed towards Amy Wei at amy.wei@jacobs.com.