



**NEW ENGLAND / BOSTON CHAPTER**  
AAACE International - The Authority for Total Cost Management™  
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AAACE International, the only association dedicated to Total Cost Management™, invites you to join us at our monthly Boston area meetings, **second Wednesdays of each month**, 6-830 pm

- Get the latest** Monthly speakers present highlights and inside knowledge of construction projects and cost control practices. Learn their successes.
- Get connected** Network with peers, expand your circle of valuable business contacts
- Get educated** Improve your professional expertise and technical skills
- Get on top** AAACE publications online and in print include Recommended Practices available for free download; member's monthly periodicals; technical bulletins, and more.
- Get Certified** AAACE International offers a number of professional certifications, accredited by the Council of Engineering and Scientific Specialty Boards and the International Cost Engineering Council. See [www.aacei.org](http://www.aacei.org) for more information.

## 2012 calendar

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Meetings are informal, donation of \$10 requested to cover food and drink.

**PLEASE R.S.V.P TO** [info@aaceiboston.org](mailto:info@aaceiboston.org), so we can arrange sufficient food and drink. Drop-ins and latecomers are welcome.

### **Jan 11 2012** - Thinking outside the Box Girder: MA DOT Fast Fourteen Bridges

Don't miss this opportunity to hear the contractors' perspectives on this very successful, unique design-build project: replacing fourteen major highway bridges in eleven weekends! How on earth did they plan this? What choices did they have? How did they select the final methods of moving bridges?

### **Feb 08 2012**- Implementing a new Project Controls system

EcoSys co-presents a customer case study with The Shaw Group. EcoSys is an industry leader in project management, planning, and cost controls software working worldwide in industries including oil & gas, utilities, construction, transportation, IT, and government. Shaw will demonstrate their environment and take attendees through a detailed overview of a multi-organizational implementation.

**Mar 14 2012**- CDM/Smith Inc. will talk about an international construction project.

**Certification Exams**- pre-registration through national is required some months in advance.

Volunteer exam proctors are needed, you must hold a certification or be on the local board to be eligible. The next possible exam date, is March 10 2012.

Contact: Paul Damon CCE at [DamonPT@cdm.com](mailto:DamonPT@cdm.com) or 617-452-6407 for more information.

**SAVE THE DATE! July 8 - July 11, 2012**  
**AAACE International's 56th Annual Meeting, Marriott Rivercenter Hotel, San Antonio, TX**

**Apr 11, May 09, Jun 13 2012-** Future Programs are planned to include:

- Underground Boston- an overview and case examples of ground stabilization challenges and latest techniques. Cost and schedule discussion.
- Windows Delay Analysis- a step-by-step overview of techniques and jurisdictional court conflicts

**Meetings** are at [CDM Global Headquarters](#), 50 Hampshire Street, Cambridge

Front desk: 617-482-6400 or Paul Damon, CCE- direct 617-452-6407

**Directions** to Camp, Dresser & McKee, 50 Hampshire Street, Cambridge, MA

*By Car*

From Boston take the Longfellow Bridge (the bridge with the red line) continue west (straight) on Broadway through three sets of lights. After crossing a set of railroad tracks and going beneath the Draper Lab walkway, continue on Broadway through the next two lights. The parking entrance is the second building on the right. There are two banners attached to the building that say One Cambridge Place. Pull up to the gate and press the button on the post to talk to security. Give them your name and they will tell you where to park.

Sign in at the lobby desk and come up to the 4th floor.

*By Subway*

From MIT/Kendall Square stop, walk through the Marriott Hotel lobby to Broadway. Turn left and walk until you pass under the Draper Lab walkway. Turn right onto Hampshire Street and past the first set of lights. CDM is the second building on the left and has a small semicircular drive in front of the building. Sign in at the lobby and follow above directions. It is about an eight minute walk.



**Traveling?** Be sure to check the calendar of other AACE Chapters at [aacei.org](http://aacei.org)

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## QUESTIONS? SPEAKING ENGAGEMENT IDEAS? WORKSHOP REQUESTS?

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