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Thursday, June 21, 2018

2:15pm - 3:15pm (EDT)

WoodWorks: Booth 865LL

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The concept of taller wood structures has captured widespread attention. Some see expanding timber use as one of the few ways to reach ambitious carbon reduction goals; others are inspired by new aesthetic opportunities; and some see the use of mass timber for mid- and high-rise structures as a way to build higher quality buildings, faster and safer. Following a brief discussion of history and motivators, existing tall wood projects will be used to illustrate mass timber and hybrid components, high-rise structural design concepts, and lessons learned regarding cost and schedule. This session will also offer insights on a proposed change to 2021 International Building Code that would see increased height and story allowances for mass timber structures.

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