



CEU Course

This AIA-CES course offers 1 LU-HSW credit. Designed for architects and interior designers, the course highlights the advantages of incorporating shade systems into design projects. ASID recognizes continuing education coursework approved by AIA.

Creative Concepts and Shade Solutions | 1 LU-HSW

Objective of this course is to explore design applications for performance fabrics and their use in shade structures. While technical textiles provide many practical applications such as UV protection, energy savings, branding etc., this course delves more into the aesthetic and form-making aspects of shade structures. Through examples of successful, cutting edge elements and professionally produced shade structures this course will discuss creative applications of fabric and its benefits from a design perspective.

Learning Objectives

- Identify various non-traditional uses for fabric, incorporating functional shade and creative design.
- Recognize how fabric in combination with well-thought-out design can resolve client demands.
- Explain how to take ideas from concept to the practical with appropriate methods of construction.
- Discuss out of the box visuals.
- Provide examples of Covid impact on the outdoors and creative use of outdoor spaces.

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