Window Preservation Summit III

Best Practices & Weatherization of Historic Windows

When: September 25 through 29, 2017

Where: Pine Mountain Settlement School in Pine Mountain, Kentucky

What: Join your fellow window specialists for the North American Window Preservation Summit III. During the week, you be a part of historic window energy efficiency testing, hands-on workshops, demonstrations, wood and steel window best practices for weatherization/preservation and have a lot of fun while you learn! We're lining up a great group of presenters and look forward to having everyone back together.

For 2017 we're back at one of the world's most beautiful National Historic Landmarks, Pine Mountain Settlement School. The school, a National Historic Landmark located in the heart of the Appalachian Mountains in southern Kentucky. Pine Mountain is a truly amazing place that offers comfortable accommodations.

Cost: $595 per person, includes room and board on site

Get all the latest Summit information at the website: www.WindowStandards.org

Who: Summit III is sponsored by the international Window Preservation Standards Collaborative (WPSC). Seven window specialists, Amy McAuley, Robert Cagnetta, Bob Yapp, John Leeke, Jim Turner, David Gibney and Duffy Hoffman lead a host of other window experts in the development of international standards for the repair and weatherization of old and historic windows. The WPSC now includes more than two hundred window specialists from across the USA, Canada, Europe and Middle East.

Window Preservation Standards Book

More than 1000 copies of the Standards book have been distributed to historic building specialists across North America and Europe. The international Window Preservation Standards book catalogs specific methods for the assessment, maintenance, repair, preservation and weatherization of older and historic wooden windows. Many detailed methods, procedures and materials are included, as well as basic strategies for saving older and historic windows. The Standards were developed and written by more than 100 window specialists who collaborated from all across the United States and Canada. 107 pages with 49 illustrations, color cover, black & white interior, 8.5" x 11".

Topics include the Window Preservation Standards Collaborative, guiding principles for window preservation work, window part names and definitions, organizing and planning window preservation projects, and how to use the Standards. Methods include surveying and assessing conditions, glazing, painting, wood repairs, weatherization updates, storm windows and maintenance with many more. Each treatment standard has a brief description of a specific method with appropriate use, a step-by-step procedure that shows what is done and materials are listed. A special section describes how to judge the character of the completed work with easy observations and simple tests to assure the best quality work. The results of energy performance testing done at the 2011 National Window Preservation Summit are included.

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