



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS  
CONTINUING EDUCATION SYSTEM  
AIA/CES REGISTERED PROVIDER PROGRAM SUMMARY HANDOUT

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<b>Provider:</b> Mondo USA Inc	<b>Length:</b> 1 Hour
<b>Program:</b> MONTRK	<b>Credits:</b> 1 LU Hour
<b>Program:</b> History of Track and Turf	<b>HSW:</b> Yes

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**Description:** A presentation that explains the evolution of athletic tracks and synthetic turf.

**Learning Objectives:** The key lessons to be learned will start with the evolution of track and synthetic turf systems. The presentation will discuss in detail the evolution of track surfaces from loose cinders to today's track surfaces. Participants will gain an understanding of the different types of track surfaces and their composition. In discuss of composition participants will gain an understanding of the performance characteristics of track surfaces.

The second portion of the presentation participants will gain an understanding of the evolution of the synthetic turf surfaces from first generation nylon carpets to today's artificial turf systems. The participants will learn about the different components of a synthetic turf system from fibers to infill. At the end of the program, participants will understand the history of track and synthetic turf and how the evolution of the different systems has enhanced performance for the athletes.

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**Teaching Method:** The CES facilitator utilizes a Power Point or slide presentation to provide an overview of how Rubber flooring can contribute to LEED and the low impact it has on the environment. The program will include with the dissemination of literature relevant to the presentation.

**A/V Needed:** Electrical power and a screen for the Power Point or slide presentation. (The CES facilitator supplies the laptop and projectors.)

**Target Audience:** Architects, specifiers and other design professionals in the commercial market. The ideal audience size can be one on one or up to 50.

**Facilitator Qualifications:** All Mondo USA facilitators have been trained in CES guidelines and presentation skills.

**Costs:** There is no cost to bring this program into your firm.

**For more Information:** Contact your local Mondo USA representative.