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Mr. Martin is a graduate of California State University, Long Beach, with a Bachelor of Science in Engineering received in 1977 and a Master of Science in Civil Engineering received in 1984. He was elected to join Chi Epsilon, the national civil engineering honor society, and Tau Beta Pi, the national engineering honor society.

Upon graduation in 1977, Mr. Martin chose a career in structural design, starting at Bechtel Power Corporation, where he worked in the design of pipe support systems for nuclear power plants.

In 1979, Mr. Martin joined Correia Consulting and Design in Orange, California. A small structural design firm, CCD provided the opportunity to learn the consulting business and allowed Mr. Martin to create a varied and solid design base on which to build his profession. During his tenure there, Mr. Martin was involved in the design of tract and custom housing, condominiums, and small office buildings.

In search of broader opportunities, in 1980 Mr. Martin joined Robert Lawson, Structural Engineers, in Newport Beach, California, where he rose to Project Engineer. At RLSE, Mr. Martin was in charge of design of small to medium size office buildings, retail centers, plus high density and custom residential units.

In 1984, Mr. Martin accepted a position with Culp & Tanner Engineers of El Toro, California. At C & T, Mr. Martin was Project Engineer for steel office buildings of up to ten stories, concrete tilt-up warehousing and R & D office centers, retail centers and small wood or masonry office buildings.

In 1986, Mr. Martin formed Martin Structural Design, Inc. in Laguna Beach, California, where he directed the structural design of single and multi-family residences, steel office buildings, concrete tilt-up and masonry warehousing and office buildings, retail centers, parking facilities, parochial schools and churches. In addition, he provided property evaluation reports, forensic studies and construction litigation support. In 1996, MSDI was reorganized as Marcon Forensics.

As Marcon Forensics' principal engineer, Mr. Martin has written storm, fire, and earthquake damage reports, as well as defective construction reports for single-family and multi-unit residences, concrete and steel office buildings, retail centers and warehouses. He has been published in technical journals. He presented papers at the 2005 Convention of the Structural Engineers of California, the 2011 and the 2015 Structural Engineering Institute's Conventions, and the 2012 ASCE 6th Congress on Forensic Engineering.

Mr. Martin is a licensed Professional Engineer in the states of California, Florida, Oregon, Utah, Washington State, and Nevada. He is a member of several technical organizations, including ASCE, SEI, and PTI. He is a member of SEI's Wood Structures Committee and a past Chairman of the Performance of Wood Structures Sub-Committee. He has also served in the Post-Tensioning Institute's Concrete Slab-On-Grade Committee. Mr. Martin has been retained as an Expert in Florida, Arizona, California, Colorado, Oregon, Utah, and Nevada. He has trial experience in Nevada and California and has been deposed as an expert numerous times.