

Shannon W. Pierce, P.E. National Practice Leader – Forensics

Shannon W. Pierce, P.E., Director, began working for Lerch Bates in 2016 and is currently working in the Minnesota office, providing consulting services for forensic engineering, expert witness support, appraisals, structural assessments, condition assessments, fire damage assessments, water damage assessments, structural and non-structural repair assessments, building rehabilitation, and structural feasibility studies. Mr. Pierce has over 17 years of experience in the Architectural, Engineering, & Construction industry.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- Forensic Structural Evaluation and Analysis
- Forensic Litigation / Expert Witness Testimony
- Appraisals
- Structural Assessment, Analysis, and Design
- Fire Damage Assessments
- Water Damage Assessments
- Structural and Non-Structural Repair Assessments

- Building Condition Assessments
- Building Rehabilitation
- Structural Feasibility Studies
- Soil Stabilization and Foundation Remediation
- Non-Destructive Evaluation
- Building Code Reviews
- Construction Management

RELATED EXPERIENCE

- Albany Resort, New Providence, Bahamas
- Minneapolis Armory, Minneapolis, Minnesota
- Trinity Hospital, Minot, North Dakota
- Omni Hotel CNN Tower, Atlanta, GA
- Meskwaki Bingo Casino Hotel, Tama, Iowa
- Higher Ground Catholic Charities, Minneapolis, MN
- Hmong Academy, Saint Paul, Minnesota
- Winslow House, Minneapolis, Minnesota

EDUCATION

- University of Colorado Boulder M.S. in Civil Engineering, 2005
- University of Wisconsin, Madison B.S. in Civil Engineering, 2004

REGISTRATIONS & CERTIFICATIONS

Professional Engineer in MN, ND, SD, IA, WI, NE, MT, GA