



# Perspectives on Design-Build: Is it Good or Bad?

## THE ESSENTIALS

March 8, 2023

4 – 7 p.m.

Panel 4:30 – 5:30 p.m.

The Station at 28th Street  
2730 Mercier St.

Kansas City, MO 64108

## REGISTER HERE

## COST

DBIA Members – \$30

Non-Members / Guests – \$45

Students/Faculty & Owners – Free

Open bar & appetizers will be provided.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

April 12 – Regional Conference | Hyatt Place  
Lenexa City Center

May 12 – KC Golf Tournament | Shoal Creek

According to FMI's analysis, by 2025 design-build is expected to account for as much as 47% of construction spending in the assessed segments (nonresidential vertical construction, highway/street, transportation, and water/wastewater). Design-Build or a similar version of integrated project delivery is the fastest growing delivery method in our industry, often shifting risk and control from traditional norms. As design-build construction grows, who benefits? Why is it growing? Is design-build the best delivery method for most owners?

The purpose of this discussion is to hear perspectives from O/A/E/C industry leaders about the opportunities and challenges of design-build for buildings and structures.

### Moderator:



Jason Hobick  
*US Federal Properties*

### Panelists:



Jeff Blaesing  
*JE Dunn Construction*



Rick Maniktala  
*BranchPattern, Inc*



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