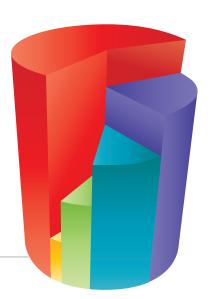


Build a bright financial future for your team



Give your 401(k) plan unique and compelling advantages with the ACEC Retirement Trust.

Join the ACEC Retirement Trust for a 401(k) solution that helps your firm attract and retain the best talent while reducing your fiduciary risk.

Enhanced fiduciary protection

Ensure that you're in full compliance with ERISA law. Significantly reduce the risk of personal liability.

Personal advisors for participants

Your participants work hand-in-hand with a top-tier CAPTRUST financial advisor on a personalized, comprehensive program to achieve financial wellness both now and for the future, with objective, non-biased investment advice based on individual profile.

Low fees

Number Average Our aggregate buying of Employees power means we Savings in Company command lower fees. and there are no hidden fees, 10 \$9,000 leaving more money in 25 \$17.875 your employees' accounts. 50 \$28,750 100 \$46,500 200 \$85.500 500 \$187,500



Industry-leading advisory firms

The scale and expertise of our three premier advisory firms delivers exceptional value:

CAPTRUST Identification of investments that leverage the Trust's buying power with access to institutional-scale funds you couldn't get on your own

EMPOWER Recordkeeping, advanced cybersecurity, and continuous education for participants and plan sponsors

McDERMOTT WILL & EMERY Legal oversight for ERISA compliance, and fiduciary training for Plan Sponsors

The program is overseen by 7 Trustees, principals of member engineering firms who are looking out for their employees and yours. An exclusive benefit of ACEC membership.

SAVE TIME | SAVE MONEY | IMPROVE OUTCOMES | ATTAIN ENHANCED FIDUCIARY PROTECTION



An individualized financial wellness program at no extra cost

Your participants work hand-in-hand with a top-tier CAPTRUST financial advisor on a personalized, comprehensive program to achieve financial wellness both now and for the future, with objective, non-biased investment advice based on individual profile.

Reduced financial stress means increased productivity

When people are stressed about money, work suffers. Our advisors address and relieve top concerns such as budgeting, managing debt, emergency savings, and retirement security.



Financial wellness cuts healthcare costs ≈ 4.5%

Employers with financial wellness programs like ours saw healthcare costs decrease by 4.5% in one survey. Absenteeism goes down too.

With professional advice. deferrals increase ≈ \$1,150

When employees get this kind of professional guidance, average deferrals can increase by an average of $\approx $1,150/yr$.



A retirement blueprint tailored to each person's goals



All participants, from top execs to EITs to Admin, get personal advisors. The CAPTRUST Retirement Blueprint ® tool lets them identify goals and build "blueprints" for action, updated annually. 70% of participants make immediate changes.

Online resources and appointment scheduling

Participants log on to the captrustadvice.com website to view educational content and easily schedule personal advisor appointments via phone and/or screen-sharing.



This unique benefit, included in our low fee, is one of many reasons to join the ACEC RT.

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