

Agreement of Cooperation

between

Asociación de Ingenieros de Caminos, Canales y Puertos, Spain
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hereinafter called **AICCP**

and

The Canadian Society for Civil Engineering
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hereinafter called **CSCE**

1.0 Purpose

The AICCP and CSCE have entered into this agreement of cooperation to:

- 1.1 Promote the exchange of technical, scientific and professional knowledge to better serve the interests and welfare of their members, the engineering profession in general, and the public in both countries;
- 1.2 Collaborate and enhance communication in the delivery of knowledge in this information age in a manner that adds value for civil engineers and the civil engineering profession;
- 1.3 Encourage technical co-operation between both countries; and
- 1.4 Strengthen the academic standard of civil engineering in both countries.
- 1.5 Encourage and support civil engineers in both countries to uphold and advance the integrity, honor and dignity of the engineering profession by:
 - 1.5.1 Using their knowledge and skill to improve the quality of life for human kind;
 - 1.5.2 Being honest and impartial when serving the public, their employers and clients;
 - 1.5.3 Striving to increase the competence and prestige of the engineering profession; and
 - 1.5.4 Supporting the professional and technical societies of their disciplines.

2.0 Expected Outcomes of the Partnership

Both organizations will contribute to the following outcomes:

- 2.1 Exchange of information regarding the engineering profession in general;
- 2.2 Republishing of articles, papers and information under preferred terms and in accordance with an agreement specific to each case, provided appropriate measures are taken to identify authors, protect their rights, and, if required, obtain prior permission of authors;
- 2.3 Exchange of publications so that both organizations may establish and maintain depositories of technical publications;
- 2.4 Participation in joint events of mutual interest;
- 2.5 Exchange of lecturers and guests;
- 2.6 Exchange of information regarding scientific and technical events which are of mutual interest;

3.0 Membership Requirements

Each organization will mutually respect the requirement for membership in the relevant discipline of the partnering organization.

4.0 Execution, Duration and Amendment

- 4.1 This agreement will become valid after the governing bodies of both organizations have approved it.
- 4.2 The agreement will be reviewed every three years if not terminated by either organization. The agreement will be renewed for another three year term upon mutual agreement by each organization.
- 4.3 The agreement may be terminated at any time by written notice from either organization.
- 4.4 In the implementation of this agreement, any dependent agreements in accordance with the articles of this agreement require the signatures of the President and Executive Director of both organizations.
- 4.5 Amendments to the agreement may be made at any time, but shall be mutually confirmed in writing by both organizations.

4.6 Each organization will designate one person as the main contact for communications with regards to detailed action plans to be undertaken through this agreement.

4.6.1 The contact for CSCE is the Executive Director.

4.6.2 The contact for AICCP is the General Secretary.

5.0 Funding for Activities

Each organization shall be responsible for its own costs incurred for activities resulting from this agreement unless otherwise negotiated by mutual agreement.

Signed on

Asociación de Ingenieros de Caminos,
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