

# **AGREEMENT OF COOPERATION**

Between

**American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE)**  
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And

**Polska Izba Inżynierów Budownictwa (PIIB)**  
(Polish Chamber of Civil Engineers)  
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Poland

ASCE and PIIB have entered into this Agreement to facilitate the enhancement of the efforts of each organization to better serve the public and the engineering profession in its own country.

The type of activities considered under this Agreement may include, but are not limited to, the list of such activities contained in items 1 through 9 of this Agreement.

This Agreement will become valid upon approval by the governing bodies of the above organizations and will have a fixed duration of three years. It will be reviewed six months prior to the agreement termination date and will be automatically renewed for another three-year term if both organizations consider the Agreement to have been beneficial. Should the Agreement be deemed not beneficial by either organization, it will be terminated. It may also be terminated at any time prior to the date of expiration upon six-months written notice from either of the organizations.

Amendments to the agreement may be made at any time, but must be confirmed in writing by all organizations.

Each organization will nominate one person or office to be the focal point for communication with regard to detailed plans of action to be undertaken under this Agreement.

The fiscal details of specific programs proposed under this Agreement will be treated on a case-by-case basis, and the resultant financial plan must be approved by both organizations.

Activities contemplated under this agreement include, but are not limited to, the following:

1. Exchange of information regarding the engineering profession in general.
2. Publishing 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.
3. Encouragement of the exchange of publications so that both organizations may establish and maintain depositories of technical publications.
4. Encouragement of joint events of all kinds.
5. Encouragement of the exchange of students, lecturers, and guests.
6. Exchange of information regarding scientific and technical events that are of mutual interest.
7. Exchange of publications information index.
8. Exchange of technical periodicals and other publications according to an agreed-upon special literature exchange list.

9. Provide mutual professional advice, especially in all areas of international, technical and scientific matters to the extent provided by each organization to its own members.

**Signed** this during the month of \_\_\_\_\_ in the year two thousand and eight.

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Civil Engineers (ASCE)**

**Polish Chamber of  
Civil Engineers (PIIB)**

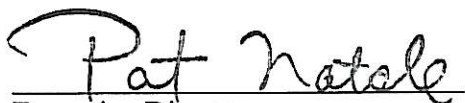


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David G. Mongan, P.E., F.ASCE

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