

# **INTERNATIONAL COST ENGINEERING COUNCIL STRATEGIC PLAN**

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## **Mission Statement**

**1.1 The mission of ICEC is to promote the profession and co-operation between cost management and project management societies worldwide for their mutual wellbeing and that of their individual members**

## **Objectives of ICEC**

**2.1 To encourage, promote, and advance the sciences and arts of cost engineering, quantity surveying, and project management for the public good, worldwide.**

**2.2 To co-ordinate and sponsor International Cost Engineering, Quantity Surveying and Project Management Congresses and Symposia.**

**2.3 To encourage cost engineers, quantity surveyors and project managers in countries where no formal association or organization exists to form a group with objectives compatible with those of ICEC and its members.**

**2.4 To participate in international events related to the practice of cost engineering, quantity surveying and project management sponsored by governmental and private organizations, national or international, whether members of ICEC or not, provided that these events are in keeping with the objectives of ICEC.**

**2.5 To further research and development of cost engineering, quantity surveying and project management.**

**2.6 To further the study of cost engineering, quantity surveying and project management problems of worldwide or multinational character.**

**2.7 To encourage the development of professional certification programs in cost engineering, quantity surveying and project management.**

**2.8 To collaborate with the United Nations and other international and regional agencies in formulation and implementation of policies affecting construction and engineering development with respect to cost, procurement and project management at policy, strategy and implementation levels of economic and social development programs.**

<b>Strategic Goals</b>
<b>3.1 Administration/Communications Goals</b>
<b>3.1.1. The goal of the officer's succession is to ensure diverse participation from all regions at the regional director level.</b>
<b>3.1.2 The duties and responsibilities of the executive will be reviewed and revised as appropriate at the beginning at each new administration.</b>
<b>3.1.3 The ICEC web page will be maintained as the primary communications tool for the organization.</b>
<b>3.1.4 The organization will make technical information accessible by appropriate means, including through member societies.</b>
<b>3.1.5 ICEC will continue to maintain a calendar of cost management and project management meetings in the following priority: 1. ICEC endorsed congress, symposia and regional meetings; 2. Member society meetings; 3. Associated society meetings; 4. Selected non-associated meetings or events consistent with ICEC mission and objectives.</b>
<b>3.2. Technical, Education, Certification Goals</b>
<b>3.2.1. Promote the development and publishing of: 1. International practices and standards; 2. International skills and knowledge.</b>
<b>3.2.2. Promote the development and publishing of cost data and information.</b>
<b>3.2.3. Promote contacts among educational establishments to exchange information on curricula and access to research. Also to promote educational programs in cost engineering, quantity surveying and project management.</b>
<b>3.2.4. Continue the accreditation of member certification programs, promote formation of new certification programs and support other forms of professional review programs.</b>
<b>3.3. International Congresses and Meetings</b>
<b>3.3.1. International congresses and meetings will continue to be supported as one of the organizations highest goal.</b>
<b>3.3.2. Congress and meeting will be supported in the following priority: 1. ICEC sponsored; 2. Member society; 3. Associated society; 4. Non-associated society meeting consistent with ICEC mission and objectives.</b>

### **3.4. Membership**

**3.4.1. Systematically approach potential new members to ICEC especially developing nations.**

**3.4.2. Develop a marketing strategy for organizational growth and retention.**

**3.4.3. Encourage participation of younger members in ICEC, through member societies.**

### **3.5. Co-operation with other Professional Organizations**

**3.5.1. Promote co-operation between International Organizations.**

### **3.6. Image & Recognition**

**3.6.1. Promote activities, which enhance the standing of cost engineering, quantity surveying and project management professions.**

**3.6.2. Support activities, which encourage the development of a legal basis for the professions through national and local regulatory bodies.**

**3.6.3. Provide ICEC recognition of individual members or member societies.**

### **3.7. ICEC and Governmental / Private Organizations**

**3.7.1 Develop a biennial work plan for ICEC's UN related programmes and activities for implementation by the ICEC's UN / Human Settlements group, Regional and National associations.**

**3.7.2 Provide information on UN international, regional and national programmes and activities which are compatible with the goals and objectives of ICEC for participation of member associations at the national, regional and international levels.**

**3.7.3 Encourage members to take advantage of the social and commercial benefits of UN regional programmes and activities worldwide.**

**3.7.4 Co-operate and collaborate with other UN NGOs in aspects of UN programmes and activities (international, regional and national) which are compatible with the goals and objectives of ICEC at the regional and member associations' levels.**

**3.7.5 Co-ordinate ICEC's activities with the UN and allied international and regional agencies.**

**3.7.6 Development of plans for promotion of the global aspect of the profession, with emphasis on governmental and educational institutions, as well as private companies.**

**3.8 Networking and Services offered, which make up the ICEC member organisations**

**3.8.1 Promote networking and information to the individuals and firms.**

**3.8.2 Promoting research projects and encourage interaction and collaboration amongst researchers and practitioners.**

**3.8.3 Further development and promotion of services offered to individuals and firms.**