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ICEC PUBLICATIONS & SERVICES

ICEC provides a wide range of publications and services. These include:

- International Roundup Newsletter (published bi-annually)
- E-Bulletins and Announcements
- Project Cost Management Standards & Best Practice (produced by member associations)
- Project Cost Management Education & Competency Standards (produced by member associations)
- International Project Cost Management Research Projects
- Book and Software Reviews
- International Project Cost Management Information
- Congresses, Seminars and Forums (including a biennial World Congress and annual Regional Congresses/Meetings)
- International Networks
- Collaboration and sharing of information and publications by member associations

ICEC MEMBER ASSOCIATIONS

Region 1 – North America and South America

AACE (AACE – International) (United States)
CICH (Honduras Civil Engineers Association)
CIQS (Canadian Institute of Quantity Surveyors)
GOGRC (Grupo OFC Guia de Costos) (Venezuela)
IBEC (Institute of Brazilian Cost Engineers)
SMIEFC (Sociedad Mexicana de Ingenieria Economica)

Region 2 – Europe and the Near East

ACostE (Association of Cost Engineers) (UK)
AICE (Italian Association for Total Cost Management)
CAPQS (Cyprus Association of Professional Quantity Surveyors)
DACE (Dutch Association of Cost Engineers)
GTE/MKK (GTE Cost Engineering Club) (Hungary)
ICES (Chartered Institution of Civil Engineering Surveyors) (UK)
PMA (Project Management Austria)
PMG (Project Management Greece)
RACE (Romanian Association of Civil Engineering Surveyors) (UK)
SMaP (Société de Management de Projet) (France)
SPR (Project Management Association of Slovakia)
SPR (Czech Association of Project Management)
VSF (Project Management Association of Iceland)
ZPM (Slovenian Project Management Association)

Region 3 – Africa

ASAQS (Association of South African Quantity Surveyors)
GhIS (Ghana Institution of Surveyors Quantity Surveying Division)
INQS (Institute of Namibian Quantity Surveyors)
IQSK (Institute of Quantity Surveyors of Kenya)
MAQS (Mauritius Association of Quantity Surveyors)
NIACE (The Nigerian Institute of Appraisers and Cost Engineers)
NIQS (Nigerian Institute of Quantity Surveyors)
SAPCI (Southern African Project Controls Institute)
ISU (Institution of Surveyors Uganda)

Region 4 – Asia Pacific

AIOQS (Australian Institute of Quantity Surveyors)
ACES (Australian Cost Engineering Society)
BSJ (Building Surveyor’s Institute of Japan)
CECA (China Engineering Cost Association)
FIQS (Fiji Institute of Quantity Surveyors)
HKIS (Hong Kong Institute of Quantity Surveyors)
IPMSL (Institute of Project Managers of Sri Lanka)
IQSI (Indonesian Association of Quantity Surveyors)
IQSSL (Institute of Quantity Surveyors of Sri Lanka)
RISM (Royal Institution of Surveyors, Malaysia)
NZIQS (New Zealand Institute of Quantity Surveyors)
PICQS (Philippine Institute of Certified Quantity Surveyors)
PMAI (Project Management Associates – India)
PUJA Brunei (Surveyor Division)
SISV (Singapore Institute of Surveyors and Valuers)
ABOUT ICEC

Founded in 1976, the International Cost Engineering Council (ICEC) is a not for profit organisation that promotes cooperation between national and multinational Cost Engineering, Project Controls, Quantity Surveying and Project Management professional associations around the globe.

ICEC is an umbrella organisation that represents project cost management associations on a global scale. Its membership currently comprises over 40 professional associations spread throughout the world. ICEC collectively represents more than 120,000 project cost management professionals from over 100 different nations in the fields of Cost Engineering, Project Controls, Quantity Surveying and Project Management. These professionals are all members of ICEC member associations.

This provides a tremendous international network of project cost management professionals, firms and associations. ICEC provides a global identity for the profession.

OUR INTERNATIONAL FRAMEWORK

ICEC provides an international framework to promote worldwide exchange of project cost management information and experiences. A fundamental principle of ICEC is that it does not compete with member associations but rather provides the vehicle to promote collaboration between member associations and their members and to foster and promote the profession on a global scale.

ICEC is divided into 4 geographical regions:

Region 1 – North and South America
Region 2 – Europe and the Near East
Region 3 – Africa
Region 4 – Asia Pacific

The organisation is presided over by an Executive Committee comprising a Chair, Senior Vice-Chair, Administrative Vice-Chairs, Technical Vice-Chair and a Secretary-General. A Region Director is also appointed to oversee ICEC’s activities within each region. These positions are elected for a 2 year period at each biennial ICEC Council Meeting.

This is supported by the ICEC Secretariat which is based in Sydney, Australia. An Administration Manager provides the administrative support for the organisation.

MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

The benefits enjoyed by associations and their members who become part of the ICEC member community are:

- Participation in a worldwide information network for exchange of Cost Engineering (CE), Quantity Surveying (QS), and Project Management (PM) information, queries & experiences
- Regional and worldwide congresses, meetings & seminars
- Promotion of standards for certification and continuing professional development programs worldwide
- Accreditation of certification and continuing professional development programs of member associations and reciprocal recognition of such accredited programs
- International promotion of member association congresses, symposia, and other technical events
- Sharing of technical journals and other publications with other ICEC member associations
- Right to reprint (with appropriate credit) articles appearing in the journals of other ICEC member associations
- Granting individual members of any ICEC association the rights and privileges of membership (excluding the right to vote or stand for elective office) while temporarily residing or working in the country of another member association
- Promotion of co-operative research, technical activities and technical product development among member associations
- A dedicated homepage on the ICEC website for each member association to promote their activities
- Development of international standards for terminology in CE, QS, and PM
- International promotion of member association publications
- International book reviews
- Worldwide communication for queries about technical matters by individual members of ICEC associations
- Development of beneficial relationships with other international coordinating bodies such as the International Project Management Association (IPMA), the Pacific Association of Quantity Surveyors (PAQS), the African Association of Quantity Surveyors (AAQS), the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors (RICS) and the International Federation of Consulting Engineers (IFCE); and serving as the global voice of professional associations engaged in CE, QS and PM education
- Joint development of position papers and reference documents of broad international interest.

ICEC ACCREDITED CERTIFICATION & CPD PROGRAMS

ICEC Member Associations may seek ICEC accreditation of Cost Engineering, Project Controls, Quantity Surveying, and Project Management certification and continuing professional development programs (CPD). These programs must meet ICEC’s international standards to be recognised and accredited.

Persons qualified under any of these accredited programs are entitled to use the International Cost Engineering Council name and logo and the post-nominals ICECA to designate their achievement.

For further details please refer to the ICEC website at:
www.icoste.org/accred.htm

ICEC Member associations interested in this international accreditation of their certification and continuing professional development programs may apply online through the ICEC website.

ICEC WORLD CONGRESS & COUNCIL/REGIONAL MEETINGS

ICEC holds its World Congress and Council meeting every two years. Member Associations from around the globe come together to network, share information/ideas and to develop strategic plans for the ICEC organisation.

In 2020 the ICEC Congress and Council Meeting will be held as a Joint Congress with the Africa Association of Quantity Surveyors (AAQS). It will be held in Accra, Ghana from 15–17 October 2020. Details can be found on the Congress Website at:
www.icecaqs2020.com

ICEC Regional Meetings for each of the 4 ICEC Regions are held on an annual basis. They are often held in conjunction with key regional events such as the AACE International Annual Meeting, the Brazilian Institute of Cost Engineers (IBEC) National Cost Engineering Event and the Pacific Association of Quantity Surveyors (PAQS), Africa Association of Quantity Surveyors (AAQS) and the International Project Management Association (IPMA) conferences.