

Activity Report for TC-17 Anti-Corruption

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1. Outline of TC

1.1 Objectives

The main objective of the TC-17 Anti-Corruption Committee is to formulate and implement plans and programs designed to encourage and capacitate ACECC member-societies to undertake anti-corruption activities in their respective economies.

1.2. Terms of Reference

The TC-17 Anti-Corruption Committee was formerly established as a sub-committee for Anti-corruption of the Planning Committee Meeting (PCM). To be more effective in working on the anti-corruption issues, (such as providing technical output and special session in CECAR 6), TC-17 Committee, chaired and co-chaired by William P. Henry (ASCE) and Primitivo Cal (PICE), respectively was proposed. The committee was approved at 11th Technical Coordinating Committee Meeting (TCCM) held in Tokyo, Japan on 1st March 2012. The charge of the ACC has been expanded to include governance, transparency and other related issues. The title had been discussed and kept as it is to in line with the World Federation of Engineering Organizations (WFEO) and the Pan American Union of Engineering Organizations (UPADI) to avoid complications. After the CECAR-7, Edward H. Wang (ASCE) succeeded William P. Henry (ASCE) to be the current Chair, approved at ACECC 31st Executive Committee Meeting (ECM) in Honolulu, Hawaii. Each ACECC Member Society is encouraged to elect one official delegate to participate.

1.3. Expected Outcomes

The expected outcomes are as follows: 1.) Sharing information on anti-corruption activities by all; 2.) Providing member nation engineers with anti-corruption education and training; 3.) Encouraging each member nation organization to form a national anti-corruption committee and providing support for those new activities.

1.4. Period of Activity

Reactivate the Committee and confirm delegates of each member society.

1.5. Members

TC-17 currently has 11 members representing 8 member societies as shown below.

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ASCE (Chair)	Edward H. Wang	edwang313@gmail.com
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IEP		
JSCE		
VFCEA		
NEA		

1.6. Financial Background

There is no cost to member societies nor to ACCECC.

2. Recent Activities and Outcomes

- 1.) TC-17 held a ½ day session at CECAR 6 in Jakarta, Indonesia, in August 2013.
- 2.) Dr. Sohan Swamy from ICE(India) presented a paper on ethics at CECAR-7 in Honolulu, Hawaii in 2016.
- 3.) Submitted Committee report to ACECC TCCM in Nepal in April 2017.
- 4.) Submitted a proposal to host a session (Title: Open Dialogs among Asian Economies on Anti-Corruption – Challenges from Different Perspectives) in CECAR 8 in June 2017.
- 5.) A request for Confirmation of Committee member was sent on November 27th 2018 and received no response.
- 6.) The second notice sent to all committee member on February 23 2018. The outcome are as follows:

Organization	Committee Name	e-mail confirmation received
ASCE (Chair)	Edward H. Wang	
	Kancheepuram N. Gunalan	
PICE (Co-Chair)	Primitivo Cal	
EA	Barry Tonkin	Declined (Feb 23 rd 2018)
	Brian O'Donnell	
	Rolfe Hartley	Declined (Feb 24 th 2018)
HAKI	Biemo W. Soemardi	
CICHE	Ming-Hsiu Tsai	Confirmed (Feb 23 rd 2018)
MACE	Erdene Ganzorig	
ICE(I)	Sohan Lal Swamy	
IEB	Md. Didarul alam	Confirmed (Feb 24 th 2018)
KSCE	Tai-Sik Lee	

- 7.) The invitation to CECAR8 Presentation has forwarded to prospect speakers in March 2018, including: Professor William Kelly of George Mason University, Fairfax, VA, USA paper title: Engineering Ethics and Sustainability. Md. Didarul alam (IEB) and Professor Ming-Hsiu Tsai of Tamkang University (CICHE).

3. Activity Plan towards Incoming CECAR

Details of activity planned towards CECAR 8 are yet to be discussed and finalized among the member societies.