

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. Dr. Ernesto S. de Castro (PICE) replaced Dr. Primitivo Cal to be the co-chair of the Committee starting 2018.

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. Elected the co-chair, Ernesto S. de Castro (PICE). Organized a special session at the CECAR 8 2019.

1.5. Members

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

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Note: Question Marks show no respond in last three years.

1.6. Financial Background

There is no cost to member societies nor to ACECC.

2. Recent Activities and Outcomes

- 1.) Submitted Committee report to ACECC TCCM in Malborne Australia in September 2018.
- 2.) Planned special program and invited panelists to CECAR8. Professor William Kelly, Dr. Maria Catalina E. Cabral, and several guests are invited.
- 3.) Coordinated and confirmed CECAR8 Program with JSCE local Organization Committee.
- 4.) Published a special publication featuring Q&A Ethical Dilemma, sponsored by Taiwan Agency Against Corruption (ACC) in 2019.

3. Activity in CECAR8 and Plans towards CECAR9

- 1.) 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.
- 2.) Organized a special forum on April 17, 2019.
- 3.) The Committee plan to report its findings at CECAR 9 on a new mission confirming and mentoring member societies with regard to respective Code of Ethics, organizational structure and needs.