



## MARYLAND SOCIETY OF Professional Engineers

A STATE SOCIETY OF THE NATIONAL  
SOCIETY OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS

### An Invitation to Connect with the Maryland Professional Engineering Community as a CHARTER ASSOCIATE MEMBER

The Maryland Society of Professional Engineers -- **MDSPE** -- is the leading organization representing the interests of licensed Professional Engineers.

**As advocates in government affairs**, our primary mission is to monitor and lobby the State legislature as well as regulatory and administrative agencies on matters affecting Professional Engineers. We retain professional registered lobbyists and professionals in the fields of issue analysis and issue management to ensure that Maryland's professional engineers are well represented in having their voices heard by government officials

We are also a leader in **professional development and continuing education** for professional engineers and their associates – especially in interdisciplinary fields like stormwater management, which involves land surveyors and landscape architects as well as engineers and environmental scientists.

We are also leaders in promoting **professional licensure, professional ethics** and youth activities like **MathCounts**.

Our partner program is a **unique arrangement** with the only Society to represent engineers of all disciplines in Maryland, in every specialty and in every area of practice. As part of this partnership, you will receive:

- Periodic updates on legislation, regulations, seminars and technical documents.
- Numerous discounts on MDSPE programs and publications
- Corporate presence on our web site and in our publications

**Most importantly, you can regularly expose your firm to thousands of middle- and upper-level management engineers and demonstrate your support of licensed professional engineers. These are men and women with the authority and influence to purchase your product or service.**

Call us at 410-675-8967 to learn about MDSPE's Partnership program. This is an opportunity you won't want to pass up --become a CHARTER AFFILIATE MEMBER now!



# Associate member information

## What it is...

**Associate membership as a partner** in the Maryland Society of Professional Engineers (MDSPE) provides a way for you to demonstrate interest your firm's interest in Professional Engineers. It will allow you to maintain an open line of communication with engineering interest throughout Maryland. Your membership clearly indicates **your support of the Professional Engineer** and of MDSPE. It also helps to maintain and expand the high level of MDSPE programs and activities.

## Benefits for associate members

**Tangible membership benefits include: MDSPE Associate Member certificate; a subscription to the *Maryland Professional Engineer*, the official publication of MDSPE; a sixth-page initial profile, at no charge, of your organization featured in the *Maryland Professional Engineer*; listing in selected issues of the *Maryland Professional Engineer*; and the right to use *Associate Member - Maryland Society of Professional Engineers* on your letterhead and in your advertising.**

## And more benefits...

Many other benefits are easily recognizable as having economic value to partner members. Such benefits include incentives for a solid team spirit between management and your firm's professional engineers; a



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high *esprit de corps* resulting in a better product or service and a better company; means for

MDSPE to keep employers posted as to its goals and objectives; encouragement to employee members to continue their technical education and keep their professional attitudes updated; provision for tangible recognition of the mutual responsibility of employer and employees to put forth time, talent and money to improve the professional status of engineers; access to many valuable publications by NSPE and MDSPE pertaining to employment relations, public relations, national and state issues, etc. And participation at the chapter and state levels in MDSPE meetings and activities.

The Maryland Society of Professional Engineers is the only society that represents all branches of engineering. We are the only devoting its entire effort to the professional, ethical, economic, political and social aspects of engineering. MDSPE operates within the state as an affiliate of the National Society of Professional Engineers and is geographically divided into Chapter regions. Our Chapters - the "grass roots level" - actively pursue the objectives of the Society at the local level. Chapters meet

MDSPE encourages students by sponsoring mathCounts, the Wood Bridge Challenge and the Future Cities competition.



regularly to disseminate and discuss, formulate programs to fulfill the society's objectives. **Associate members can stay in contact with members through participation in meetings.**



MDSPE is the leader in continuing education in interdisciplinary matters like stormwater management.

exchange and information and present objectives. **contact with in chapter**



Our quarterly newsletter gives you exposure as well keeps you informed about PE issues. We also issue Action Alerts as necessary.



