



NCEES

*advancing licensure for
engineers and surveyors*

P.O. Box 1686 (280 Seneca Creek Rd.), Clemson, SC 29633 USA T: (864) 654-6824 F: (864) 654-6033 NCEES.ORG

NEWS RELEASE

September 18, 2012

Contact: Nina Norris

Director of Public Affairs

nnorris@ncees.org

NCEES honors Idaho professional engineer James Milligan for service

James Milligan, Ph.D., P.E., of Moscow, Idaho, has been awarded the NCEES Distinguished Service Award with Special Commendation for his dedicated service to the engineering and surveying professions. Milligan received the organization's highest honor at the 91st NCEES annual meeting, held August 22–25, 2012, in St. Louis, Missouri.

Milligan received the NCEES Distinguished Service Award in 2006. Since this time, he has continued to serve NCEES and the Idaho Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers and Professional Land Surveyors. A former board chair, vice chair, and secretary, Milligan recently completed his 13th year as an Idaho board member. His continued service to NCEES includes serving as the 2006–08 Western Zone assistant vice president and as chair of the 2010–12 Committee on Examinations for Professional Engineers. He is also an active member of the PE Civil exam development committee.

A licensed professional engineer since 1983, Milligan was a member of the civil engineering faculty at the University of Idaho for 29 years, serving several years as department chair and as associate dean of the college of engineering. After retiring in 2001, Milligan continued teaching part time at both Washington State University and the University of Idaho for eight years.

Milligan was a charter member of the civil engineering department chairs' forum for the American Society of Civil Engineers and was a longstanding member of the board of directors for the Idaho Society of Professional Engineers. He is a regular presenter to the American Council for Engineering Companies of Idaho, the Idaho Society of Professional Engineers, and the Idaho Society of Professional Land Surveyors.

ABOUT NCEES

NCEES is a national nonprofit organization composed of engineering and surveying licensing boards representing all U.S. states, the District of Columbia, Guam, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. An accredited standards developer with the American National Standards Institute, NCEES develops, scores, and administers the examinations used for engineering and surveying licensure throughout the United States. NCEES also provides services facilitating professional mobility for licensed engineers and surveyors. Its headquarters is located in Clemson, S.C.