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Jans accepts NCEES presidency

Dale Jans, P.E., accepted the position of NCEES president at the conclusion of the organization's 90th annual meeting, held August 24–27 in Providence, Rhode Island. Having completed a one-year term as president-elect, he will now serve as president for 2011–12.

A resident of Sioux Falls, South Dakota, Jans has been a member of the South Dakota Board of Technical Professions since 1994. He is a past board chair as well as a former NCEES Central Zone vice president.

Jans has been a licensed professional engineer in South Dakota since 1979. He is president and majority owner of Jans Corporation, a design/build construction company based in South Dakota. His professional memberships include the American Society of Civil Engineers and the National Society of Professional Engineers. Jans is a national life director of the Associated General Contractors of America. He also serves on the South Dakota State University Department of Civil Engineering Advisory Board and the SDSU Foundation Council of Trustees. Jans holds a bachelor's degree in civil engineering from South Dakota State University.

"I am looking forward to a busy and productive year ahead for NCEES," Jans said. "There are many challenges and opportunities facing the engineering and surveying professions as we continue our work to protect the public's health, safety, and welfare."

ABOUT NCEES

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