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NCEES seeks licensed mining and/or mineral processing engineers' professional expertise and advice

NCEES is currently seeking licensed mining and/or mineral processing engineers to participate in a professional activities and knowledge study, or PAKS, for the PE Mining and Mineral Processing exam. The results of this online survey will be used to update specifications for the exam, which is used throughout the United States for licensing purposes.

NCEES requires a cross section of licensed professional engineers practicing mining and/or mineral processing engineering—including those working in industry, consulting, the public sector, and academia—to complete an online survey about the tasks and knowledge required of a licensed mining and/or mineral processing engineer with four to six years of experience to practice in a manner that safeguards the health, safety, and welfare of the public. The survey can be completed in approximately 20-45 minutes.

"These studies help NCEES ensure its licensing exams remain relevant to current professional practice," explained Chief Officer of Examinations Jason J. Gamble, P.E. "The value of this PAKS depends on the number of people who participate, so NCEES is eager to get a large response from professional engineers across all areas of mining and mineral processing engineering."

For access to the online survey, visit ncees.org/MMPPAKS.

The survey will open on May 15, 2023, and remain open until August 9, 2023. For more information, contact NCEES Exam Development Engineer Sonya Dawson, P.E., at sdawson@ncees.org.

ABOUT NCEES

The National Council of Examiners for Engineering and Surveying is a nonprofit organization made up of engineering and surveying licensing boards from all U.S. states, the District of Columbia, Guam, the Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. Since its founding in 1920, NCEES has been committed to advancing licensure for engineers and surveyors in order to safeguard the health, safety, and welfare of the U.S. public.

NCEES helps its member licensing boards carry out their duties to regulate the professions of engineering and surveying. It develops best-practice models for state licensure laws and regulations and promotes uniformity among the states. It develops and administers the exams used for engineering and surveying licensure throughout the country. It also provides services to help licensed engineers and surveyors practice their professions in other U.S. states and territories. For more information, please visit neces.org.