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## NCEES honors Iowa professional engineer and surveyor Marlee Walton for service

Marlee Walton, P.E., P.L.S., of Ames, Iowa, has been awarded the NCEES Distinguished Service Award for her dedicated service to NCEES and the engineering and surveying professions. Walton was recognized during the organization's 102nd annual meeting in Boston, Massachusetts, on August 17, 2023.

Since 2009, Walton has contributed to the work of NCEES committees, including most recently the Committee on Education, the Committee on Examinations for Professional Surveyors, and the Fundamentals of Surveying (FS) Exam Development Committee. Previously, she served multiple terms on the Advisory Committee on Council Activities, the Committee on Nominations, and the Special Committee on Bylaws. She is also the NCEES representative to the Applied and Natural Science Accreditation Commission of ABET.

Walton is an emeritus member of the Iowa Engineering and Land Surveying Examining Board. She also serves in leadership roles in the American Society of Civil Engineers and the Surveying and Geomatics Educators Society.

For nearly 20 years, Walton has taught civil engineering and surveying courses at her alma mater, Iowa State University. She also has other industry experience in the public and private sectors, providing management and leadership services in surveying, photogrammetry, site development, and transportation engineering.

## 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 [ncees.org](http://ncees.org).*