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NCEES honors Maryland professional engineer Howard Harclerode for service

Howard (Skip) Harclerode II, P.E., of Phoneix, Maryland, has been awarded the NCEES Distinguished Service Award with Special Commendation for his dedicated service to NCEES and the engineering and surveying professions. Harclerode received this award at the organization's 98th annual meeting, held August 14–17, 2019, in Washington, D.C.

Harclerode received the Distinguished Service Award in 2010 for his many contributions to NCEES, including chairing the Committee on Uniform Procedures and Legislative Guidelines. Since then, he has remained committed to advancing licensure for engineers and surveyors.

A member of the Maryland State Board for Professional Engineers since 2003, he is a past chair and vice chair of the board.

Harclerode has continued his dedication to NCEES in many ways, including chairing the Committee on Finances and serving as 2011–13 Northeast Zone vice president. He has also participated on the committees on Member Board Administrators, Law Enforcement, and Examinations for Professional Engineers and on the Computer-Based Testing Implementation Task Force. A volunteer with the NCEES Principles and Practice of Engineering Chemical Exam Development Committee since 2005, Harclerode served as vice chair from 2015 to 2018 and has served as chair since 2018.

He is a fellow of the National Society of Professional Engineers; a fellow and life member of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers; and a member of the American Society of Safety Engineers and the American Society of Heating, Refrigerating, and Air-Conditioning Engineers.

For the past 25 years, Harclerode has participated in the Maryland Society of Professional Engineers semiannual recognition meetings to honor new professional engineers. He also continues to make presentations at Maryland universities about the importance of licensure.

Harclerode is president of KBD Engineering Company Inc. in Phoenix, Maryland.

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, Puerto Rico, the Northern Mariana Islands, 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.