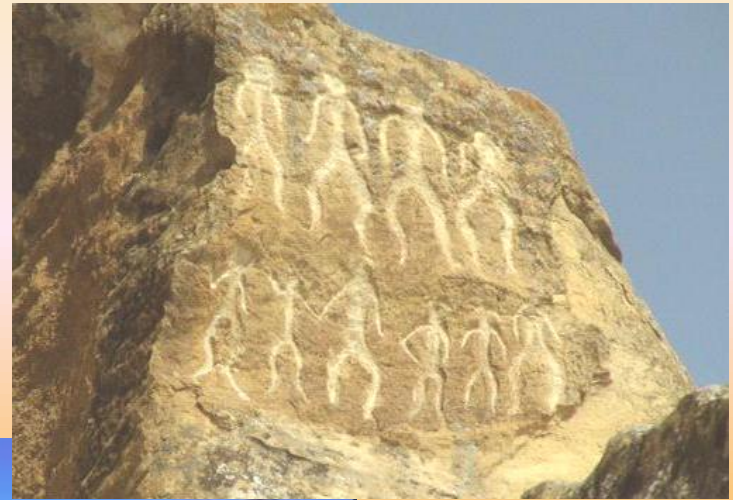




**The Association of "Support the Professional Development of civil engineers" (ACE )**





Azerbaijan is one of the territories where the civilization of mankind first appeared.

The formation of the Manna state in the territory of modern Azerbaijan in the 9th-7th centuries BC led to the emergence of closed cities, the construction of fortifications, and majestic serf systems.



For the past 25 years in Azerbaijan it was built much more industrial and civil facilities than during the all soviet period. Azerbaijan civil engineers are involved in all fields of civil engineering industry: design and construction, scientific researches.



At the request of the customer the modern construction technologies, considering the norms and standards of Azerbaijan Republic, Eurocode and IBC are putting into practice.



The Association of "Support the Professional Development of civil engineers" was created on the initiative of Azerbaijan University of Architecture and Construction.



## **The ACE main goals:**

Taking into consideration that Azerbaijan Republic signed the Agreement with European Union our first goal is to go to the Eurocode standards in design and construction. The support in technical information from European Council of Civil Engineers will help us to implement this standards in our industry;



We are open to share our experience and ready to apply the experience of European Council of Civil Engineers;  
Matchmaking, implementation of collaborative projects, to protect the interests of partners in state agencies, promotion of Azerbaijan construction industry on domestic and foreign markets;



We are open to all who wish to cooperate with us in Azerbaijan and foreign construction industry and education;  
We are ready to give the ACE platforms for industrial business promotion as well as the information support to all parties concerned.





Professional civil engineers society identifies gaps hampering the development of civil engineering in Azerbaijan: the Graduate School switched to release bachelors and masters, the existing system of regulating of engineering activity is incomplete. The debase of diploma in civil engineering is devalued. The social status of Azerbaijan engineer fell; engineering work is not respected either in the customer's environment or in society.

Seeing all this, the Association wants to enable professional engineers to realize their potential in the interests of the state and society and to revive its high status.





## **Association said the main objectives of its activities:**

- the formation of society understand the role of the engineer as the protagonist in the creation and implementation of engineering projects;
- consolidation of efforts of engineers in solving the problems faced by innovative design community;
- maintenance of process of formation and professional development engineer within the professional association;
- the involvement of youth in the field of engineering by promoting and increasing interest in engineering work;
- state aid and economic entities in the search and selection of qualified engineers;
- providing customers with engineering services and consumers accurate information about the professional engineer, scope of their activities and the level of qualification.





## **The Association “Support the professional development of civil engineers”:**

- Conducts certification of engineers
- Issues a certificate of professional civil engineer
- Establish the regional registry
- Collect and record a statistical information
- Cooperate with local administration on questions of taxation of civil engineers.



**To carry out independent engineering an individual in Azerbaijan must obtain the status of a professional engineer. This requires:**

- Higher technical education.
- 10 years experience in civil engineering.
- Portfolio with several projects.
- Letters of recommendation from two professional civil engineers - members of Association.
- Passing the special examination.



## Partners:

- BAKUHYDROPROJECT Engineering Consulting co LTD
- Association HYDROPROJECT
- Azerbaijan University of Architecture and Construction
- Association Information Technology in construction of Ukraine
- Georgian Society of Civil Engineers
- Ministry of Emergency Situations
- State Agency for Control over Construction Safety
- State Committee for Urban Planning and Architecture



**Thank you for attention.**