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Why Do We Need Sustainable Solutions?

- Growth
 - Lack of services
 - Inadequate capacity

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- Aging infrastructure
 - Inadequate function / type
 - Infrastructure failure
- Increasing community resilience
 - Climate change and other risks



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ASCE President's Message

Civil Engineers Must Prepare for the Future

BY Thomas Smith III July 9, 2019 ASCE Working for You Career Booster Webinars Power Skills YMLS

Civil engineers

- are essential
- serve as systems integrators
- must be competent, collaborative, and ethical
- must be innovators, environmental stewards, managers of risk, and active in public policy
- must be effective leaders



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ASCE | KNOWLEDGE & LEARNING The Engineer's Responsibility ASCE's Code of Ethics (revised 2020) **Preamble** 2. NATURAL AND BUILT ENVIRONMENT 0 Fundamental principles: **Engineers:** Create safe, resilient, and н. sustainable infrastructure a. adhere to the principles of sustainable development; Treat all persons with respect, dignity, and fairness b. consider and balance societal, environmental, and economic impacts, Consider the current and along with opportunities for improvement, in their work; н. anticipated needs of society c. mitigate adverse societal, environmental, and economic effects; and Utilize their knowledge and skills to enhance the quality d. use resources wisely while minimizing resource depletion. of life for humanity ASCE | KNOWLEDGE & LEARNING ***.asce.org/code-of-ethics/ 13



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	Understand the Problem / Need		
LocationRegional ConnectivityEnvironmentAlignment with existing plans	 Operating Context Owner's priorities Market capacity Economic viability Functionality Technologies Regulatory profile 	 Community Expectations Community Welfare Community Building Cultural Preservation Social Equity 	
	Context sensitive solutions	27	

































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- An ability to identify, formulate, and solve complex engineering problems by applying principles of engineering, science, and mathematics
- An ability to apply engineering design to produce solutions that meet specified needs with consideration of public health, safety, and welfare, as well as global, cultural, social, environmental, and economic factors
- An ability to recognize ethical and professional responsibilities in engineering situations and make informed judgments, which must consider the impact of engineering solutions in global, economic, environmental, and societal contexts

Adopted from ABET. 2019. *Criteria for Accrediting Engineering Programs*. Baltimore, MD: ABET. : www.abet.org

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 U.S. Climate Resilience Toolkit Climate Reality Project (Al Gore) Climate Outreach (UK) Center for Climate Change Communication (George Mason) 	 Outreach materials from EPA FEMA FHWA USACE NOAA
 Climate Change Communication (Yale) Environmental Resilience Institute (UVA) 	 Other professional societies APWA – public works ACEC – engineering companies ISI – sustainable infrastructure ASCE Institutes (9) 58

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Stakeholder	Trusted Resource	l
Mayor	National League of Cities, US Conference of Mayors	l
County Administrator	National Association of Counties	l
Planning Director	American Planning Association	
Public Utilities Director	American Water Works Association	l
Public Works Director	American Public Works Association	l
Parks and Recreation Director	National Recreation and Parks Association	1
Social Worker	American Public Health Association	
Architect	American Institute of Architects	l
Citizens	Climate Change Communication (Yale)	

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- 3 Ways Sustainability Is Good For Business
- Engineers: Leaders in Sustainable Infrastructure Development
- Sustainability and Resilience in Our Engineered World
- Sustainable Infrastructure
- Creating Sustainable Communities Part I
- Creating Sustainable Communities: The Role of the Civil Engineer Part II
- Sustainability: A Profit Producer
- Driving Investment in Sustainable Infrastructure with Innovation
- Save the Rain Program: Creating Infrastructure for a Sustainable World

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ASCE's Resources for Sustainable and Resilient Infrastructure

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