



**SEAOSC**  
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## About SEAOSC

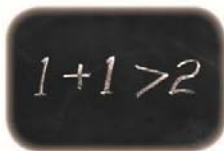
*"To advance the science of structural engineering; to assist the public in obtaining dependable structural engineering services; to encourage engineering education; to maintain the honor and dignity of the profession and to enlighten the public with regard to the province of the structural engineer."* This was the avowed purpose of the new Structural Engineers Association of Southern California as it came into being in a meeting at the University Club in Los Angeles on February 20, 1929.

**Mission:** The Structural Engineers Association of Southern California (SEAOSC) is the premier professional organization to which local Structural Engineers belong. The organization serves its members in the noble profession of structural engineering by fostering and promoting the contributions of structural engineers to society.

**Vision:** SEAOSC is a member-centric organization, where substance and image are equally promoted through fiscally responsible management and optimization of the benefits to the members.

Below is a brief description of membership benefits. See our website for more detailed information.

## Membership Benefits



**IMPACT:** Community and policy input, interaction and impact greater than sum of each individual member.



**PROMOTION:** Promotion of structural engineering profession.



**TECHNICAL FORUMS:** Committees to investigate and deliberate on codes, standards, legislation and technical policy issues.



**EDUCATION:** Monthly meetings, seminars, and webinars.



**DISCOUNTS:** SEAOSC and SEAC event and product discounts such as convention, seminars, webinars, & publications with \$1200 potential savings.



**CUSTOMER REFERRALS:** Engineer referral system for public including soft-story & non-ductile concrete retrofit expertise.



**RECOGNITION:** Recognition of member's outstanding efforts and work.



**NETWORKING:** Forums for networking and/or collaborating with peers, employers, employees, government representatives, etc.

## Membership

As a SEAOSC member, you have the opportunity to make a great difference making our communities safer and increasing your knowledge and network! SEAOSC members work together to increase their impact and to expand opportunities for engineers at the local, state, national and international levels. Your membership and volunteer participation and leadership are crucial to ensuring your profession remains strong, relevant and influential.

SEAOSC aims to keep membership flexible with reasonable costs so your return on investment is high. Memberships are held by individuals and not firms so if you change firms your membership stays with you. Our broad membership spans from students to distinguished lifetime members in small, medium and large firms and the expertise range includes numerous materials, structures, analytical methodologies, forensic investigations, and various business models.

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## Membership Categories



**MEMBER SE:** A Registered Civil Engineer with the authority to use the title "Structural Engineer" in the State of California.  
\$315/year



**INDUSTRY:** Position in our industry cooperating with structural engineers and by expression of interest in supporting the goals and purposes of this Association.  
\$315/year



**MEMBER:** A Registered Civil Engineer regularly engaged in the practice of structural engineering or research or testing with established structural engineering achievements.  
\$315/year



**CORRESPONDING:** Not a California resident and not included in any other membership category.  
\$295/year



**ASSOCIATE:** A structural, civil or architectural engineering college graduate, not eligible for Member or Member SE status. \$160/year.  
**YOUNG ASSOCIATE:** 4 years or less from college graduation. \$85/year



**LIFE:** This membership grade may be awarded at the discretion of the Board of Directors to a member in good standing for not less than 20 years who is retired, defined as not holding an office outside the home.  
\$80/year



**AFFILIATE:** Position in an allied field cooperating and/or working closely with structural engineers in the advancement and practice of the technical and professional aspects of structural engineers.  
\$255/year



**STUDENT:** An engineering student interested in structural or related engineering enrolled full-time in an accredited engineering school or college.  
\$45/year (Waived for 1st 2 years)