

Online Resources for Members

Maximize Your Membership Value

Welcome to the Geoprofessional Business Association (GBA)!

In order to help you get the most out of your membership, we have put together this guide to GBA's online resources.

All of these can be found using the GBA website as a starting point.

www.geoprofessional.org

Got questions about GBA and its resources? E-mail info@geoprofessional.org. **First**, make sure you can login to the website; this is your key to everything you can do online as a member of GBA!

- If we added you to our system, your username is your e-mail address, and your initial password is Password1, which you will change after you first login.
- If that doesn't work, click on Forgot Password? to see if we have you in our system and reset your password.
- If you're not in our database already, then click on the <u>Sign up here</u> link on that page, or the <u>Register</u> link in the home page login area.

Tell others in your firm to sign up! All employees of Member Firms can have their own login for the GBA website. Use the resources in <u>Promote GBA in Your Firm</u> to help!

Search for GBA Member Firms

This directory is visible to anyone looking to hire a geoprofessional firm. Make sure your listing is complete and up to date. *Note that the primary contact is the only one who can do this, which brings us to...*

Are You a Primary Contact?

If you're not sure, go to the <u>My GBA</u> tab and click on <u>My</u> <u>Information</u>. If you are a primary contact, you'll see a list of "Linked Organizations Information" at the bottom of the page, and you can edit the information for any of these locations. If you don't see any locations, then you are not a primary contact; look at the "Organization Information" section to find the primary contact for your location.

The <u>About Us</u> Tab

Learn about our history, our strategic plan, by-laws, an invitation from GBA's current president, and more.

Sign Up for a Business Council or Committee Online

GBA's business councils and committees are always looking for people to bring new ideas to the table. Go to Engage with GBA and Lead to Join a Committee/Council.

News from GBA's Business Councils

Click on the <u>CoMET</u>, <u>Environmental</u>, and <u>Geotechnical</u> buttons at the bottom of any page to see news from the related business council and links to relevant resources.

GBA Events

- View the <u>Events</u> tab on the <u>home page</u> to see upcoming GBA conferences.
- Remember to register online to <u>attend an event</u>!
- Find minutes, presentations, and more under <u>Past GBA</u> <u>Events</u> in <u>Engage with GBA</u> | <u>Participate</u>.

PowerPoint Template

Presenting on behalf of GBA or to GBA? Download the <u>GBA PowerPoint Presentation Template</u> from the <u>GBA</u> <u>Community Site</u>; go to <u>Membership</u> | <u>Member Resources</u> and select <u>SharePoint Sites</u>.

RSS Feeds

Click on the <u>RSS icon</u> at the bottom of any page be alerted to new content.

Video

GBA has lots of video content on <u>YouTube</u> and <u>Vimeo</u>. Click the icons at the bottom of any page to explore it..

Search Our Site

- Throughout the site, you'll see the white search box. Enter any search term in there to find all relevant GBA website pages and publications.
- Looking for publications only? Go to <u>Resources</u> | <u>Find a</u> <u>Resource</u>.

Webinars

See the <u>Webinars</u> page under <u>Resources</u> | <u>Media Center</u> for past webinars available as DVDs and on-demand.

Resources

The most popular place on the GBA website! Select the <u>Resources</u> menu to explore all of GBA's resources. Nearly everything is free to members! *TIP: Log in to get your member pricing and order member-only publications*. Not sure where to start? Visit the <u>Top 25 Resources</u> page and <u>What Is New</u>.

NewsLog

Access past issues of GBA's *NewsLog* under <u>Resources</u> | <u>Publications</u> | <u>NewsLog</u>.

Training Curricula

Lunch & Learns. Project management training. Ethics Training. <u>This section</u> under <u>Resources</u> | <u>Publications</u> offers lots of ideas for ready-to-use training that your staff needs.

<u>Member Benefits</u> Tab

Click on <u>Membership</u> | <u>Member Resources</u> to find <u>Member Benefits</u>, which includes all the ways GBA benefits you – including <u>discounts and special</u> <u>offers</u> only for members!

Directory of Your GBA Colleagues

Under <u>About Us</u> | <u>GBA Members</u>, you'll find the <u>GBA Individual Directory</u>, where you can locate people within GBA. *This is only available to members – not the general public.*

Start Your Peer Review Online!

Go to Engage with GBA | Programs | Peer Review to learn about this valuable business-improvement tool, and start one for your firm.

GBA Member Firm Logo

Show your firm's support for GBA with the GBA logo on your website. Visit <u>My GBA</u> to get the details.

LinkedIn, Twitter, and Facebook

Join our group! Follow us! Be a fan! Click the icons at the top of any page to get connected to us and your geoprofessional colleagues around the world.

GBA Conferences App

It's on the website, but it's really for your phone. Put GBA resources at your fingertips! Download from <u>iTunes, Google Play, or use the</u> <u>online version</u>. Find the <u>GBA App</u> under <u>Engage with GBA</u> | <u>Participate with GBA</u>

Feeling overwhelmed by all that GBA has to offer? Make it simple. Just visit <u>www.qeoprofessional.orq</u>

and start from there.

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