

This Annual Report for the Geoprofessional Business Association has been prepared for the Board of Directors and all Member-Firms to report the progress of the Association and highlight key accomplishments of the Association during the fiscal year 2022-2023. It is intended to keep all members current with significant accomplishments of the Board, Committees, Councils, and Task Forces and all the volunteers that support it.

MEMBERSHIP

194

MEMBER FIRMS

64

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

15

NEW MEMBER FIRMS

REPRESENTING APPROX.
100,000 EMPLOYEES

[Member Directory](#)

AWARDS



MEMBER-FIRM
ENGAGEMENT
AWARDS



PRESIDENT'S
AWARD



PROJECT
AWARD OF
EXCELLENCE



CERTIFICATES OF
APPRECIATION
ISSUED

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CONFERENCES

**2022
FALL
CONFERENCE**

225
Total Registrants

72
Member Firms
Represented

**2023 WINTER
LEADERSHIP
SUMMIT**

82
Total Registrants

42
Member Firms
Represented

**2023
SPRING
CONFERENCE**

179
Total Registrants

86
Member Firms
Represented

NEW &
UPDATED
PUBLICATIONS

13

PUBLICATIONS + PODCASTS

≈3,200 Reference Document Downloads

- Recommended Practices for Design Professionals...Construction Industry Disputes
- Recommended Practices for Design Professionals and Scientists...Testimony in Public Forum
- Business Brief: Financial-Performance Survey 2021-2022
- Best Practices: Project-Records Retention
- Best Practices: Establishing a Mentoring Program in Your Firm
- Best Practices: Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in the Geoprofessions
- Case Histories 111, 112, 113, 114
- Leadership Tips From 50 Years
- Case History Digest
- 2022 Customized Engagement Reports

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NEW
PODCASTS
PUBLISHED

5

≈2,500 Podcast Listens

- Case Histories – 2 Episodes
- Field Professional Audio Education Series – 3 Episodes
- 25 GBA Podcasts Now Available

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COMMITTEES

213
Active Committee Members

96
Committee Meetings During Year

98
Companies Represented

Business Technology (NEW!)

Chair John Norwood, P.E., CSSGB
(Terracon)

Business Practices

Chair Jason Stoops, P.E.
(G2 Consulting Group)

CoMET Business

Chair Bryce Moore
(Blackburn Consulting)

Council of Fellows

Chair David Lourie, P.E., D. GE, F.GBA
(Lourie Consultants)

Diversity, Equity & Inclusion

Chair Veronica De Freitas, P.E.
(Universal Engineering Sciences)

Emerging Issues & Trends

Chair Jeffrey A. Gebhard, P.E.
(Braun Intertec)

Environmental Business

Chair Margaret Panatera, P.E.
(GZA GeoEnvironmental)

Geotechnical Business

Chair Blake Cotton, P.E., LEED AP
(GeoEngineers)

Legal Affairs

Chair James R. Attaway, Jr., Esq., P.E.
(S&ME, Inc.)

Multimedia Delivery

Chair Tiffany Vorhies, NACE CIP-2
(SME)

Peer Review

Chair Stuart Thompson
(CTLThompson, Inc.)

Resource Collaboration

Chair Chuck A. Gregory, P.E., F.GBA
(Terracon)

ALLIANCE ORGANIZATIONS



FINANCES

\$179,048

YEAR-END OPERATING SURPLUS

\$1,085,347

YEAR-END RESERVE ACCOUNT BALANCE

\$1,004,676

AUDITED NET ASSET VALUE (APRIL 2022)

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

4thFriday40 Leadership Series

+800 registered & over 2,000 views

Estimated +80 Metric Tons of Carbon Saved

by holding 2022 Fall Conference as a broadcast event

Hired Communications Specialist

Launched Business Technology Committee

PLANS FOR FY2023-2024

- 1** Enhance professional development opportunities to support each geoprofessional's career continuum.
- 2** Develop a repeatable model for peer groups to gather and collaborate through small-group, facilitated conversations.
- 3** Promote the value of GBA's special sauce for members and those considering membership.