



FIDIC Membership Benefits

FIDIC, the International Federation of Consulting Engineers, has three membership categories:

- **Member Association:** a national association which is the largest association of firms providing technology-based intellectual consulting services for the built and natural environment in a country.
- **Associate Member:** any individual, organisation, association, firm or group of firms which is based in a country not having a Member Association, and which has a major part of its activity in the engineering consulting industry. This membership category is aimed at organisations that intend to become a FIDIC national Member Association.
- **Affiliate Member:** any association, organisation, firm or groups of firms which is based in a country having or not having a Member Association, and which supports the objectives of the Federation. This membership category is aimed at commercial organisations which aim to maintain a close contact with FIDIC and to support the federation's activities.

Listed below are the benefits enjoyed by each of these three types of members.

		Member Association	Associate Member	Affiliate Member
Number per country				
Number of Members		One	More than one possible	No limit
Voting				
	Vote in General Assembly Meetings (for new members, EC, President, budget, annual accounts, subscription fees, annual conference, auditors, member exclusion, appeals against EC decisions, statutes and by-laws, directions to the Executive Committee, dissolution, liquidators)	x		
	Nominate Executive Committee Members	x		
Use of FIDIC logo and designation				
Member's right to use designation "FIDIC" and the FIDIC logo on:	Letter head	x	x	x
	Business cards	x	x	x
	FIDIC endorsed documents	x		
	Media (printed, online)	x	x	x

Member firms' right to use designation "FIDIC" and the FIDIC logo on :	Letter head	x	x	
	Business cards	x	x	
	Media (printed, online)	x		
Listing in FIDIC media	FIDIC info	x	x	x
	FIDIC Annual Review	x	x	x
	FIDIC Directory	x	x	x
	Special noting in lists of attendees at FIDIC meetings or conferences	x	x	x
Allow members to use the FIDIC trademarked management systems under licence	Business Integrity Management	x	x	x
	Project Sustainability Management	x	x	x
e-News				
	Direct reception	x	x	x
	Advertisements	x	x	x
Publications				
	Advanced notice of new or revised FIDIC publications	x	x	x
	Direct reception, generally by email, of reports of meetings, notably those with the multilateral development agencies	x	x	
	Purchase publications at Member rates	x	x	x
	Acquire licences to translate FIDIC documents	x	x	
	Acquire licences to publish FIDIC document	x		
	Have the right of first refusal on licences to translate and/ or publish FIDIC documents	x		
	Acquire licences to modify FIDIC documents	x	x	x
	Co-publish documents with FIDIC	x		
	Nominate reviewers of FIDIC documents	x		
Support services				
	Refer professional issues to FIDIC under the FIDIC Statutes Article 15	x	x	x
	Lobbying government or national or international authorities, etc. on a member's behalf	x		
	Support for adjustment of a procurement agency decision	x	x	x
	Member firm and contact person mailing lists	x	x	x
	Put member firms in contact with other firms in other member countries	x	x	
	Access to FIDIC online services	x	x	x
	Participate in meetings with FIDIC Executive Committee during country visits.	x	x	x
	Guidance on association management	x	x	
	FIDIC endorsement for a product or service	x	x	
Development banks and similar organisations				
	Lobbying by FIDIC on a member's behalf	x	x	
	Participation in meetings	x		
	Propose topics for discussion	x	x	x
Committees and Task Forces				

	Nominate members for FIDIC committees and task forces	x	x	x
	Receive the minutes of meetings	x	x	
Annual Conference				
	Propose speakers and topics for inclusion in the programme	x	x	x
	Reduced conference fees for General Assembly Meeting delegates	x	x	x
	Yong Professionals reduced fees	x	x	
	On admission as member, exhibition stand	x	x	
Awards				
	Nominate Prangey Award winners	x		
	Nominate projects for FIDIC Awards	x		
	Nominate Honorary Members	x		
Dispute Board Adjudicators				
	Designate National Adjudicator Lists as meeting FIDIC guidelines	x		
	Nominate adjudicators for assessment to enter the FIDIC President's List	x		
	National Adjudicator Lists listed by FIDIC	x		
Membership				
	Eligible to form a FIDIC umbrella association with a FIDIC Member Association	x	x	
	Eligible to join a FIDIC Regional Group	x	x	
	If have a membership category equivalent to Affiliate Members, can require that new FIDIC Affiliate Members join the national association	x		
	Change membership category without resubmitting a detailed application	x	x	
	Represent / be active in sectors other than consulting engineering		x	x
Event hosting				
	Invite FIDIC officers to participate in national events	x	x	
	Act as host organisation for a FIDIC Annual Conference	x		
	Act as host organisation for a FIDIC General Assembly Meeting	x		
	Act as host organisation for a FIDIC Executive Committee meetings	x	x	
	Act as host organisation for a FIDIC Seminar that reviews FIDIC products and activities.	x	x	
	Act as host organisation for a FIDIC Capacity Development Seminars	x	x	
	Act as host organisation / partner for FIDIC International Training Programme events	x	x	
Accredited Trainer Development Programme				
	Nominate accredited trainers	x		
	Receive support for training accredited trainers	x		
Young Professionals Management Training Programme				
	Member firms staff can participate in the YPMTP	x	x	x
	YPMTP Scholarships	x		
Young Professionals Forum				
	National YP Forum can join FIDIC YPF	x	x	

	Can nominate members of the FIDIC YPF Steering Committee	x		
Surveys				
	Participate in formulating FIDIC Surveys and Annual Surveys	x	x	
	Receive the results of FIDIC Surveys and Annual Surveys	x	x	x
Revenues				
	Share in agreed revenues from FIDIC activities that are attributed to members	x		
Secretariat				
	Host FIDIC regional support staff	x		
Duties and obligations				
	Require members to abide by the FIDIC Code of Ethics	x		
	Liable for FIDIC debts	x		