
INCOSE will offer the expertise of its Fellows on a voluntary basis to public agencies engaged in activities designed to benefit the public good and having content which could benefit from Systems Engineering expertise. This policy is implemented as follows:

Implementation

Activities that merit such INCOSE involvement will be brought before the INCOSE Executive Committee and decided by majority vote.

When an activity receives a yes vote, the public agency responsible for the activity will be contacted by the President of INCOSE who will offer the services of INCOSE's Fellows.

The INCOSE Fellows Committee will maintain a roster of its Fellows, known as the Fellows Expertise Group, who have volunteered to be considered for such activity, along with brief CV's and clearly delineated areas of specialization.

This roster will be provided to the public agency, provided the agency agrees to hold INCOSE harmless from any ensuing activity.

All ensuing activity, should it occur, will entirely be a matter between the agency and the INCOSE Fellows on the roster. They alone will determine if they can agree on a mutually satisfactory set of terms and conditions on which to proceed. INCOSE will place no pressure on its members to encourage or discourage their participation.

Where there is ensuing activity, and where the agency agrees, the agency will be asked to provide INCOSE feedback on whether INCOSE's participation was helpful. Such feedback will be aggregate in nature; it shall not reveal the actions of any individual participant, or his/her performance.

SUPERSEDES: January 30, 2008

APPROVED BY: INCOSE Board of Directors, Mesa, Arizona USA, February 10, 2010

MAINTAINED BY: Fellows Committee Chair