



D.GE Application

Personal Information:

Name:

Organization:

Position:

Address:

Phone:

Alternate Phone:

Fax:

E-mail Address:

Secondary E-mail Address:

Education: *(Please list name of school, city, state/province, country, and month/year of degree)

Bachelors:

Masters*:

Doctoral*:

List Post Graduate Coursework on a separate page (or send transcripts):

P.E. Licensure Information OR Foreign Equivalent Registration or Licensure – Attach additional pages as necessary:

State(s):

License numbers:

Date of original license:

If non-U.S.license, Country(s):

Where did you hear about AGP and the D.GE certification program?

- ASCE Website
- AGP Website
- Employer
- Advertisement from AGP or ASCE
- Friend or colleague
- Visited exhibit booth at a conference
- Attended a ceremony
- Other: _____

Areas of Technical Specialty within the Geo-Profession (check up to three). You must demonstrate that you've achieved mastery. For the Body of Knowledge, please visit: <http://content.geoprofessionals.org/requirements.html>

- Site characterization
- Laboratory testing and analysis
- Foundation design
- Slope stability
- Excavations and retaining structures
- Tunnels and underground construction
- Embankments, earth and rockfill dams
- Geosynthetics
- Ground improvement
- Soil and rock dynamics
- Geo-environmental engineering
- Earthquake engineering
- Other (self-designated) _____

Experience - at least eight years progressive responsible charge after PE – Attach additional pages as necessary:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

Honors/Awards – Attach additional pages as necessary:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

Publications – Attach additional pages as necessary:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

Professional Societies – Attach additional pages as necessary:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

Are there any actions against your P.E.license? (If yes, please describe– Attach additional pages as necessary)

___ Yes

___ No

Mastery of Body of Knowledge Criteria

You must demonstrate mastery in at least one of the elements of the Body of Knowledge related to your areas of technical specialty. Please address the element(s) to the best of your knowledge. If more space is needed, you may submit separately as attachments with this application.

1. Specialized experience in geotechnical engineering. Through a combination of education, experience, and corresponding accomplishments, applicant has demonstrated a high level of skill in a specialized area of geotechnical engineering (Please describe).

2. Broad-based but progressive experience in geotechnical engineering. Applicant has demonstrated progressively increasing skills required for the leadership, direction and management of the technical aspects of geotechnical engineering projects in a broad variety of geotechnical settings (Please describe).

PROFESSIONAL ETHICS

Academy of Geo-Professional Engineers Code of Ethics

Fundamental Principles

Engineers uphold and advance the integrity, honor and dignity of the engineering profession by:

1. using their knowledge and skill for the enhancement of human welfare and the environment;
2. being honest and impartial and serving with fidelity the public, their employers and clients;
3. striving to increase the competence and prestige of the engineering profession; and
4. supporting the professional and technical societies of their disciplines.

Fundamental Canons

1. Engineers shall hold paramount the safety, health and welfare of the public and shall strive to comply with the principles of sustainable development in the performance of their professional duties.
2. Engineers shall perform services only in areas of their competence.
3. Engineers shall issue public statements only in an objective and truthful manner.
4. Engineers shall act in professional matters for each employer or client as faithful agents or trustees, and shall avoid conflicts of interest.
5. Engineers shall build their professional reputation on the merit of their services and shall not compete unfairly with others.
6. Engineers shall act in such a manner as to uphold and enhance the honor, integrity, and dignity of the engineering profession.
7. Engineers shall continue their professional development throughout their careers, and shall provide opportunities for the professional development of those engineers under their supervision.

I attest that I have read, understand and accept the Academy of Geo-Professionals Code of Ethics and agree to adhere to it. I further understand and agree that violation of the Academy of Geo-Professionals Code of Ethics is grounds for expulsion from the Academy of Geo-Professionals and revocation of the Diplomate, Geotechnical Engineering (D.GE) credential.

Signature

Date

ORAL ASSESSMENT CONSIDERATIONS

AGP works to address all reasonable disability related accommodations disclosed with this application.

Please check one of the two options:

- I DO NOT have a disability** (as defined by the Americans with Disabilities Act or other applicable state or local law/regulation) that requires reasonable accommodation during the oral assessment.
- I HAVE a disability** (as defined by the Americans with Disabilities Act or other applicable state or local law/regulation) that requires reasonable accommodation during the oral assessment.

If you checked item 2 and indicated that you have (YES) a disability that requires reasonable accommodation during the oral assessment, please provide:

(1) documentation on your disability (please attach letter or other disability documentation from qualified expert such as treating physician)

(2) a brief explanation of how this disability impacts your ability to take the oral assessment,

(3) Your requested reasonable accommodation.

The Academy retains the right to verify the claimed disability and provide reasonable accommodation of its choosing to enable equal access to the D.GE oral assessment.

The Academy attempts to provide oral assessments in reasonably convenient locations (usually within the state or region of a state where the applicant resides). However, this may not always be possible. By signing this page, the applicant agrees to travel (at his/her cost) to the closest available oral assessment site provided by the Academy, and attests that no reasonable accommodations are required beyond those outlined above.

Signature

Date

APPLICANT AGREEMENT FORM

1. I agree to conduct myself in accordance with AGP policies and requirements, including the Civil Engineering Certification Code of Ethics and the AGP Continuing Certification Requirements.
2. I agree not to discuss, debrief or disclose, in any manner, the specific content of the certification oral assessment questions and answers to any individual.
3. I agree that any failure to provide true, timely and complete responses to questions in this application or renewal form may result in rejection or loss of certification.
4. I certify that I currently hold a professional engineers license in the United States jurisdiction indicated on my application, or have provided AGP with sufficient documentation to demonstrate my license equivalency from a foreign jurisdiction.
5. I will report to the AGP within 60 days, any action by the licensing board against my professional license by any jurisdiction in which I have a professional engineer license.
6. I agree to notify the AGP in a timely manner of changes concerning the information I have provided, including my current professional engineer license, mailing address, telephone number and e-mail address.
7. I agree that the AGP has the right to confirm the information in this application or any supporting documents.
8. I agree that information related to my participation in the AGP certification process can only be used in an anonymous manner by AGP and its affiliates.
9. I understand and agree that any decision concerning my qualifications for certification rest within the sole and exclusive discretion of the AGP.
10. I agree that certification as Diplomate, Geotechnical Engineering does not imply licensure, registration or government authorization to practice professional engineering.
11. I agree to release AGP from all liability and claims that may arise out of, or be related to, my professional engineering work and related activities.

I hereby attest to my agreement to the foregoing statements. I further understand and agree that violation of the Civil Engineering Certification Code of Ethics or non-compliance with any of the foregoing may be grounds for revocation of certification of Diplomate, Geotechnical Engineering by the Academy of Geo-Professionals.

Signature

Date

PAYMENT INFORMATION

___ I have enclosed a check or money order drawn on a U.S. bank and made payable to the “Academy of Geo-Professionals or AGP” in the amount of \$300.

OR

___ Please charge \$300 on my credit card:

Visa ___

MC ___

AMEX ___

Credit card # _____

Exp. Date _____

Name _____

Signature _____

Please submit form and payment to:

AGP
1801 Alexander Bell Drive
Reston, VA 20191
USA
Fax: 703-295-6314
Email: info@geopprofessionals.org

If you are **paying by credit card**, you may fax the form to (703) 295-6415 or Email to info@geopprofessionals.org.



**DIPLOMATE, Geotechnical Engineering APPLICATION
CONFIDENTIAL REFERENCE FORM**

You have been listed by an applicant as a reference for the Diplomate, Geotechnical Engineering credential of the AGP (www.geoprofessionals.org).

Please complete this entire form. You may print out the form and print, or **type in the required information** and **save as your document**. You may attach additional sheets to this form if needed. Please return the form and any attached documents directly to AGP by mail, fax, or e-mail at your earliest convenience. Reference forms must be received in order for the application to be considered complete.

Mail: Academy of Geo-Professionals
1801 Alexander Bell Drive
Reston, VA 20191
USA
Fax: 703-295-6415
E-mail: bsien@asce.org

Applicant Name: _____

Reference Name: _____ Date: _____

Reference Title: _____

Reference Business: _____

Reference Address: _____

Reference Telephone or E-mail contact point: _____

Checklist:

- **Submit Completed Application**
- **Attach CV/Resume**
- **Submit One of the Following:**
 - 1.Copy of Diploma**
 - 2.Copy of Transcripts**
 - 3.List Post Graduate Courses**
- **Email Self Photo (for ceremony) to info@geopprofessionals.org**
- **Send Reference Form to 3 P.E.s**