# **SOCIAL MEDIA CHEAT SHEET**

# **GET SOCIAL**

#### **Optimize your profile**

- Choose a professional photo
- Make your bio count
- Highlight your connection to ASCE

#### **Establish yourself**

- Write in first-person, and be conversational while remaining professional.

- Be a thought-leader. Proactively share things that are interesting and ask thought-provoking questions.

#### Share valuable content

- Share interesting and timely news stories, blogs, journal reports, etc. - Join industry-relevant groups, such as ASCE's LinkedIn Group, and engage in conversations with other members.

- Use keywords and hashtags when possible.

#### Be a brand ambassador

- Talk about the things that you are excited about.

- Provide members and potential members with a glimpse into ASCE culture.

#### Stay on the record

- Everything you say can be used in the court of public opinion.

- Remember: you are a professional, and your name is your brand.

# **ENGAGE WITH ASCE**

#### Follow, like, share, and tag us:

American Society of Civil Engineers





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@GeoInstitute

### **QUICK TIPS**

- Avoid acronyms, technical terms & jargon
- Use images, graphics,
- videos & links
- Tag ASCE for a chance to be reposted
- Use engaging, spirited language
- Write simply & directly
- Follow and engage with your local sections & branches

### HASHTAG 101

When sharing content that is...

...general, related to ASCE: **#ASCE** 

...related to ASCE's annual convention: **#ASCE22** 

...related to sustainability:

#sustainability4CE ...related to ASCE Landmarks: **#VisitASCELandmarks** 

...related to ASCE's Podcast: **#ASCEPlotPoints** 

...related to ASCE's Legislative Fly-in: **#ASCE2DC** ...related to infrastructure initatives:

#InfrastructureNow

...related to happenings in your local group: **#ASCELocalNews**