



DFI TUNNELING AND UNDERGROUND COMMITTEE

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The DFI Tunneling and Underground Committee is a professional forum established to advance new methods and technologies for design, construction, inspection, maintenance and operation of tunnels and underground systems. The committee's objectives are to:

- Transfer technology among the owners, designers, contractors, material and equipment suppliers, and researchers/academics involved in the use and construction of tunnels and underground structures.
- Collaborate on technical studies and research programs.
- Educate and train undergraduate and graduate students.
- Support and develop emerging industry leaders.
- Create technical task groups to advance tunneling technologies and practice.
- Invite full industry participation regardless of age or experience.

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DFI TECHNICAL COMMITTEES

The DFI Tunneling and Underground Committee is one of the following 26 technical committees, which are the backbone of DFI. Committee members keep the industry up to date with the state of practice via publications, guidance documents, peer review of papers, educational events and research funded by the DFI Committee Project Fund (CPF). DFI's CPF provides more than \$100,000 annually for industry research projects that advance the use and understanding of deep foundations.

- Anchored Earth Retention
- Augered Cast-In-Place Pile
- BIM/Digitalisation (DFI Europe)
- Codes and Standards
- Deep Foundations for Landslides/Slope Stabilization
- Drilled Shaft
- Driven Pile
- Electric Power Systems Foundations
- Energy Foundations
- Ground Improvement
- Helical Piles and Tiebacks
- International Grouting
- Manufacturers, Suppliers and Service Providers
- Marine Foundations
- Micropile
 - International Society of Micropiles
- Project Information Management Systems
- Risk
- Seepage Control
- Seismic and Lateral Loads
- Slurry Wall
- Soil Mixing
- Subsurface Characterization for Deep Foundations
- Sustainability
- Testing and Evaluation
- Tunneling and Underground
- Women in Deep Foundations



WHAT MEMBERS SAY

“Serving on a DFI Committee is an investment in the future of our industry. In return, you collaborate with exceptional people who share the same interest, expand your knowledge and effect change in your industry.”

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DEEP FOUNDATIONS INSTITUTE

DFI is an international association of contractors, engineers, manufacturers, suppliers, academics and owners involved in the design and construction of deep foundations. For over 40 years, we have provided industry professionals a platform for networking, education, communication and collaboration. When you join our multidisciplinary membership, you help create a consensus voice and a common vision for continual improvement in the planning, design and construction of deep foundations and excavations.

DFI's diverse membership encompasses all disciplines and specialties of deep foundations. Our membership spans the globe, representing more than 50 countries and 6 continents, including Regional Chapters in Europe, India and the Middle East.

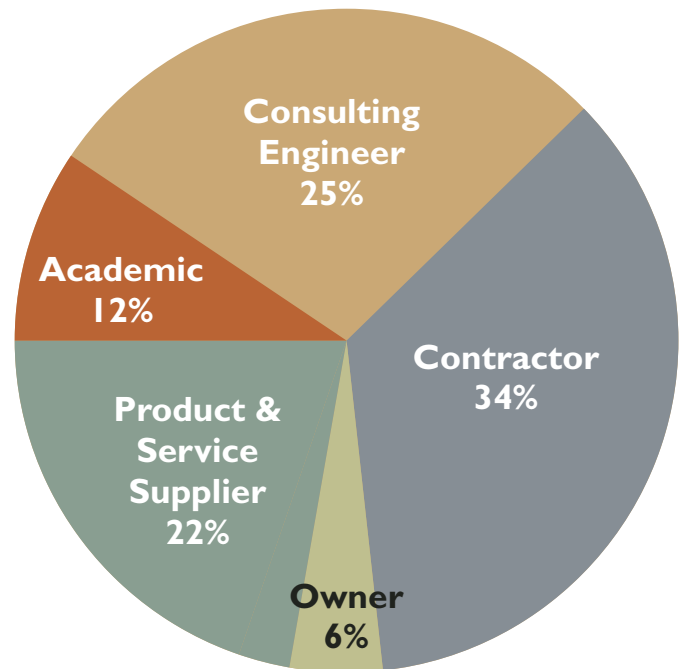
MEMBERSHIP

DFI offers a variety of membership levels including corporate memberships in varying classes based on the type, location and size of organization; individual memberships; affiliate memberships; memberships for noncommercial organizations such as government agencies, associations, societies and union organizations; government employee memberships and free student membership.

- **Network** with thousands of members and industry professionals worldwide.
- **Strengthen** your knowledge base and obtain practical information at seminars, short courses, workshops and conferences.
- **Collaborate** with colleagues by joining one of 26 active Technical Committees or Regional Chapters.
- Gain **visibility** with a corporate member listing on the DFI website, which has 37,000 views each month.
- **Connect** and communicate with industry peers through DFI's social networking sites on Twitter, Facebook, LinkedIn and YouTube.

WHAT MEMBERS SAY

“If you are interested in being part of a member-driven organization where members are involved, knowledgeable and committed to promoting the advancement of the deep foundations industry, you’ve found common ground.”



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DFI PROGRAMS AND PUBLICATIONS

DFI offers several programs for its members – and the industry – including events, publications, awards and scholarships.

Educational Events: DFI Technical Committees develop specialty seminars, short courses and workshops to educate and update members on the fundamental applications of deep foundation elements and systems, present innovations and technological advancements, and discuss relevant market and practice issues.

Conferences: Each fall, DFI holds its Annual Conference on Deep Foundations in North America. DFI also hosts international conferences, including one annually in India and regularly in Europe, Australia and the Middle East.

Deep Foundations magazine: The flagship publication of DFI is created by the industry for the industry. The magazine has one goal — to keep members informed about the industry they themselves are shaping. The magazine is distributed bi-monthly to DFI members worldwide.

DFI Journal: This peer-reviewed publication of high-quality papers related to the broad area of deep foundations engineering and construction is available online to members. Papers are welcome on topics of interest to the geoprofessional community related to all systems designed and constructed for the support of heavy structures and excavations.

OneMine.org: DFI members have free, unlimited access to more than 130,000 technical papers from this online library for the mining, tunneling and deep foundations communities.

Awards: DFI annually showcases and celebrates the achievements and contributions of individuals, teams and companies in the deep foundations industry.

DFI Educational Trust: An independent charitable foundation, the Trust provides student scholarships, promotes awareness of careers, and provides financial support for educational programs and student activities.



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