



The Certified Inspector of Sediment and Erosion Control Newsletter

CISEC, Inc. Board of Directors

By CISEC, Inc. Staff

During the annual general meeting and election held at StormCon in August 2018, registrants re-elected Yolanda Leal and elected Brendan Cusick to the Board of Directors.

The Board elected new officers as follows:

- President-Yolanda Leal
- Vice President-Brock Peters
- Secretary-Cal Palmer
- Treasurer-Brendan Cusick

At a special meeting in September, the Board of Directors appointed Dan Jefferson to fill a vacancy left by a resigning member.

Your new CISEC, Inc. Board of Directors are:

- President-Yolanda Leal
- Vice-President-Brock Peters
- Secretary-Cal Palmer
- Treasurer-Brendan Cusick
- Past President-Tina Evans

Members:

- Ken Kristoffersen
- John Balobeck
- Josh Downey
- Tim Slatunas
- Dan Jefferson

Welcome to all returning and new members; we look forward to working with you.

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MOU Signed with Malaysia MSO

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We are proud to announce the signing of the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the Malaysian Stormwater Organization (MSO) in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia in October 2018.

The CISEC, Inc. program was brought over by MSO in September of 2016 and since then have held eight classes. Currently we have over 350 Malaysian registrants and look forward to many more becoming certified in the future.

The photos below were taken during the signing ceremony and contain the following individuals:

Dato' Ahmad Fuad Embi (Vice President MSO)

Dato' Ir Dr Md. Nasir Bin Md. Noh (President MSO)

Miss Tina Evans (Immediate Past President CISEC, Inc.)

Puan Norlin Bt. Jaafar (Deputy Director, Development, Department of Environment)

We wish to offer our thanks to MSO, Leong Kwok Wing and Yip Jian Lee for conducting the classes and examinations and allowing us to be a part of the Malaysian stormwater industry.



Past President and Founder

By CISEC, Inc. Staff

Jerald S. Fifield stepped down from his position as past president in August 2018. He will continue to assist in developing new programs and classes for CISEC, Inc. as well as devoting time to writing his latest book.

We cannot express our gratitude for all the work he did to bring CISEC, Inc. to the place it currently is—approximately 3600 registrants in three countries and more applicants signing up to take classes and become registered as Certified Inspectors of Sediment and Erosion Control.

We will miss his attendance at the monthly BOD meetings with his signature laughter and his experience and knowledge shared without reserve over the many years.

Thank you, Dr. Fifield, or as you always say, “Thank you Jerry.”



Thank You Zac Martin

By CISEC, Inc. Staff

Zac Martin stepped down from being on the Board of Directors in August 2018. He has been an asset to our Board with his knowledge and insight into EPA regulations, storm water problems and so much more. He has been with the Board while CISEC, Inc. grew to become what it is today. He has been and will continue to be a valuable instructor to our organization.

Zac will be missed, and we hope that he continues to stay in contact with the Board and continues to help CISEC, Inc. grow in the future.

CISEC, Inc. Website

By CISEC, Inc. Staff

CISEC, Inc. introduced a new website in January 2018. This website has been a work in progress during the last 10 months as we continue to improve and add to the site. The site includes new features that will aid with renewals, replacement of contracts, certificates and pocket cards.

This year was the first time US registrants were able to go online and renew their registration for the next year with receipt being sent immediately showing status. This will make the renewals quicker and more efficient for the registrants.

If you need a replacement contract, pocket card or certificate, this can be ordered online.

Check out the site and check for your name and information under the “Find a CISEC” link; if you do not find your name there, contact the renewals department at: cdh_renewals@cisecinc.org. Also, please read “Why is My Name Not on the CISEC, Inc. Website?”

Renewal Information

By CISEC, Inc. Staff

2018 has been a busy year for renewals as this was the first renewal period for the Malaysian or MY-CISEC registrants. With the large number of classes and new registrants, we look forward to more registrants renewing each and every year.

This year also saw the first use of our online renewal option and for the most part, it has been successful and most glitches have been addressed. It will be available for US registrants again this next renewal period; we welcome any comments.

We have 2550 plus U.S. registrants; 600 plus Canadian registrants and 350 plus Malaysian registrants. We are proud of the program and welcome our new registrants.

Finally, you can still renew or reactivate if you are more than 3 years behind but not more than 6 years. Contact the renewals department at: cdh_renewals@cisecinc.org

Email us with your questions about renewing, being reinstated or reactivated and we will get back to you within 48 hours. **Please do not call as that can delay responses.**

If you sent in a renewal via USPS, email or online and have not seen the web updated with your information, please contact renewals at the above email address.



Frequently Asked Questions: Pocket Certificates, Renewals and Reactivation

By Renewals Committee Staff

This article is one that we continue to publish as it answers questions that we are continued to be asked.

- **Pocket certificates or wallet cards:** Pocket certificates or wallet cards are sent via email to all new registrants and to those who request them at the time of renewal. They are sent via email to you for printing and indicate when the expiration of the registrant will occur (corresponds to the renewal date). **Please be aware that the pocket certificates are for your convenience and do not take the place of your annual renewal.**
- If you have **not yet renewed**, please contact the renewals department via email (see below) for information on what you need to become current and active. If you have already renewed but have not yet received your receipt, please email the renewals department for that information. **Please do not call as that can delay a response.**
- **Re-Activation Policy:** CISEC, Inc. has a policy to assist registrants who have expired certifications of over three years to six years, to become Certified with their original number.

This requires applying to take a re-activation exam at a cost of US\$90 or US\$330 for the exam plus a review course (scheduled at select times) for US registrants. For Canadian registrants, the fee is being evaluated. Proctor fees applicable if not taken at a scheduled time.

If you would like more information. Email us at: cdh_renewals@cisecinc.org

We will have updated information on the website with an examination fee payment form for your use by the end of November. Please contact us with your questions.

- If you have any questions or concerns about renewals or reinstatement, email us at cdh_renewals@cisecinc.org and we will see how we may be of assistance.

“Why is my name not on the CISEC, Inc. Website?”

By CISEC, Inc. Staff

When do you not find your name on the CISEC, Inc. website under “Find a CISEC”, it is due to one of the following reasons:

- We are missing your signed and notarized Certification Contract. If you were certified before July 2018, you were issued two copies of the contract as part of your certification packet via the postal system. If you were certified July 2018 to today, your contract was sent via email which allowed you to sign on-line.
- You may have unpaid annual or yearly renewal fees for the current renewal period and/or previous renewal periods (this is a yearly fee required to maintain your active status).
- You may have unpaid late and or reinstatement fees.
- We are missing a re-certification contract that was emailed to you for your next re-certification period (this will soon be passé as by July 1, 2018 for U.S. registrants and October 1, 2018 for Canadian registrants will have all registrants on a yearly renewal and re-certification time frame).
- You are short CDHs required for re-certification; 3-year contracts or those with contracts expiring on June 30, 2017 or June 30, 2018, that is a minimum of 36 CDHs; or the re-certification yearly minimum requirement of 12 CDHs.
- You were inadvertently dropped from the site when it was hacked in April of 2016 and the web technical people had to reset from the first of the year.

If you have questions, or concerns; please email us at cdh_renewals@cisecinc.org.



Upcoming CISEC, Inc. Classes and Exams

Dates/Location

November 29 & 30, 2018	Sacramento, CA
November 29 & 30, 2018	Santa Ana, CA
December 6 & 7, 2018	San Diego, CA
December 11 & 12, 2018	Ignacio, CO

If you are interested in becoming a CISEC, Inc. instructor, please go to the CISEC, Inc. website and click on FAQ & Quick Links; under General Questions, click on "Becoming a CISEC Instructor," then check the requirements, fill out the form and email it to contactus@cisecinc.org Thank you.

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