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HOCHTIEF memberships: Actively participating in shaping topics and markets



ALWAYS
READY TO TALK

Room for shaping, and contribution to opinion-forming via memberships

- Corporate citizenship is a natural part of HOCHTIEF's corporate culture.
- For us, this includes an active contribution to society—for example, via carefully selected memberships in federations, associations, NGOs and interest groups, as well as active cooperation in boards. The HOCHTIEF Executive Board and numerous managers within the Group support institutions with their personal cooperation.
- We consider memberships an important contribution to shaping our markets in a responsible way and to democratic opinion-forming:
 - As a key expert and experienced player, we push ahead important topics together with partners and raise awareness of these topics within society—this includes the fields of digitalization and business ethics, as well as sustainability.
 - In transparent partnership with other players, and with a common goal, we reinforce our joint position and engage in social discourse in this process.

Clear rules for memberships

- The scope for action is clearly determined by internal rules: “HOCHTIEF’s business units and companies do not make any direct or indirect donations to political organizations, parties or individual politicians.” (excerpt from the HOCHTIEF Code of Conduct)
- On total, the HOCHTIEF Group spent EUR 2.13 million on memberships in federations, associations, and NGOs in 2019.

Memberships: Examples

- German Society for Concrete and Construction Technology (DBV):
HOCHTIEF has been a long-time member. As such, we engage for the promotion of science and research for further developing technical fundamentals in the fields of concrete construction and construction technology, and support the dialog within the network with Germany-wide operating partners of the entire value chain of construction.
- German Property Federation (ZIA):
As a member, HOCHTIEF participates in representing the general, economic and ideological interests of the entire property sector. ZIA supports and accompanies measures suitable for sustaining and improving the economic, legal, political and fiscal framework conditions of the property sector.
- buildingSMART International:
The neutral industry association drives digital transformation in the construction industry by creating and adapting open, international standards and solutions for infrastructure and buildings.

Memberships: Examples

- German Sustainable Building Council (DGNB e.V.):
HOCHTIEF is a founding member of the German Sustainable Building Council, Europe's largest network for sustainable construction today with 1,200 member organizations. The members' shared interest is to actively engage for more sustainability in the construction and real estate industry.
- Transparency International Deutschland e.V.:
Transparency International Deutschland e.V. (Transparency Germany) is the national chapter of Transparency International. Transparency International is a global network leading the fight against corruption. The aim is to raise public awareness about the harmful consequences of corruption and to strengthen integrity systems. HOCHTIEF has been a member since 1999.
- European Network of Construction Companies for Research and Development (ENCORD):
ENCORD's mission is the exchange of experience and the promotion of central innovation topics within the industry.

Memberships of HOCHTIEF Aktiengesellschaft

Current partnerships and memberships

- Industrie- und Handelskammer (Chamber of Industry and Commerce); ICC Germany e.V.; American Chamber of Commerce; Essener Unternehmensverband e.V. (Business Association Essen); Stifterverband für die Deutsche Wissenschaft e.V. (Donors' association for the promotion of humanities and sciences in Germany); Foundation for the Global Compact; Deutsches Verkehrsforum e.V. (German transportation platform); Association ENCORD; Transparency International Deutschland e.V. (Transparency Germany); B.A.U.M. – Bundesdeutscher Arbeitskreis für Umweltbewusstes Management e.V. (German Environmental Management Association); Institut Finanzen und Steuern e.V. (Finance and tax institute); DIRK e.V. (German Investor Relations Association); Deutsches Institut für Compliance e.V. (German Institute for Compliance); Museum Folkwang; Förderverein Bundesstiftung Baukultur e.V. (Federal Foundation for Building-Culture); Verband deutscher Treasurer e.V. (Association of German Treasurers); Deutsche Gesellschaft für Baurecht e.V. (German Society for Construction Law); VDI Verein Deutscher Ingenieure e.V. (Association of German Engineers); Deutschsprachige SAP®-Anwendergruppe e.V. (German-speaking SAP User Group); Deutsches Institut für interne Revision e.V. (German Institute of Internal Auditors); Freundeskreis Theater und Philharmonie Essen e.V., (Circle of Friends of Theater and Philharmonie Essen)

Memberships with fees from EUR 1,000

Memberships of the companies of the HOCHTIEF Europe division

Current partnerships and memberships

- Chamber of Industry and Commerce; German Society for Concrete and Construction Technology (DBV); Essener Unternehmensverband e.V. (Federation of commercial enterprises in Essen, Germany); DGGT Deutsche Gesellschaft für Geotechnik e.V. (German Society for Geotechnical Engineering); German Business Travel Association (VDR); forum Vergabe e.V. (forum for awarding contracts); BME Bundesverband Materialwirtschaft, Einkauf und Logistik e.V. (Association for Supply Chain Management, Procurement and Logistics); Association of Austrian Industrial Building Contractors (MIBÖ); GESTRATA (Society for the maintenance of road construction technology with asphalt); STUVA (Research for the improvement of inner-city traffic and underground construction); Güteschutz Kanalbau (association for continuous improvement of sewers); VGB PowerTech e. V. (international technical association for generation and storage of power and heat); DSTV (German Structural Steel Federation); German Lean Construction Institute; TOS Prüf GmbH; buildsmart; BFW Bundesverband Freier Immobilien- und Wohnungsunternehmen (German Association of Property and Housing Enterprises); Rotonda Business Club e.V.; BFW Landesverband Berlin/Brandenburg e. V. (Service provider of the Construction Industry Association Berlin/Brandenburg); German Eastern Business Association (OAOEV); VDBUM Verband der Baumaschineningenieure und –meister (association of construction machinery engineers and foremen); BMV mittelständische Wirtschaft Unternehmensverband Deutschland (German Association for Small and Medium-sized Businesses); Bauingenieure für Hamburg e. V. (Engineers for Hamburg); VBKI Verein Berliner Kaufleute und Industrieller e. V. (Association of Berlin Merchants and Industrialists); LBI Förderverein c/o Turner & Townsend GmbH (Friends of TU Munich's LBI Chair of Construction Management and Real Estate Management); Deutsche Gesellschaft für Nachhaltiges Bauen e.V. (German Sustainable Building Council); DIN e.V. Berlin; IMMOEBS e.V.; GEFMA Deutscher Verband für Facility Management e.V. (German Facility Management Association); International Project Finance Association; BuildingSMART International Limited; German Property Federation (ZIA)

Memberships with fees from EUR 1,000

Memberships of the companies of the HOCHTIEF Americas division

Current partnerships and memberships (excerpt)

Associated General Contractors of America; Construction Management Association of America; American Concrete Pavement Association; Association of Consulting Engineering Companies; Design Build Institute of America; International Partnering Institute; United Contractors; Water Design-Build Council Inc.

Memberships of the companies of the HOCHTIEF Asia Pacific division

Current partnerships and memberships (excerpt)

Minerals Council of Australia; Business Council of Australia; Australian Mines and Metals Association; Queensland Resources Council; Resources Industry Network