



# EUROPEAN COUNCIL OF CIVIL ENGINEERS

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# **EUCEET 3: WORKING GROUP H**

**DEVELOPING A SYNERGY BETWEEN  
ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL  
WORLDS**

# BUILDING ON PREVIOUS WORK

- 2001: Synergies between Universities, Research Institutes, Industry and Public Authorities
- 2001: Challenges to the Civil Engineering Profession in Europe - Sinaia Conference
- 2002: Demands of the Economic and Professional Environments in Europe with Regard to Civil Engineering Education
- 2006: Enhancing the Attractiveness of the Civil Engineering Profession

# AIMS OF GROUP H

- Development of a position on the Common Platform - not for EUCEET
- Review and update previous work; analyse nature of links
- Risk of repeating what has gone before
- Yet worth seeing if things have changed

# NEW AIMS OF GROUP H

- What are the new things which involve Industry and support teaching and learning?
- Innovative Practice
- Industry/University interaction: bring together existing studies/reports as a concise literature survey
- Don't collect new data; we have plenty already

# INNOVATIVE PRACTICE

- The Constructionarium
- Presentation to SCET
- DVD

# STATE OF THE ART SURVEY

- Plenty of information; no need to collect more
- X Government reports
- Y Professional Society reports
- Z Trade and technical articles
- Review and precis into a three-page summary
- Can we do the same for all Countries?

# CAN YOU HELP US?

- We need authors. Volunteers, nominations and suggestions are most welcome