



SEAOA Honorary Membership Nomination Form

Nominee's Name: Jane Structural Engineer Chapter Affiliation: Tucson

SEAOA Current Status: Active Full Member Inactive/Retired Not Active

Years of active SEAOA Membership: 38

Current Arizona Licensure Status: Structural & Civil Engineer

Selection criteria (select one): Person of Acknowledged Eminence Service to SEAOA

- A person of acknowledged eminence in some branch of engineering or the science related thereto Honors, awards, and other laudatory recognition from any source pertaining to service to the structural engineering profession.
- Service to SEAOA at all levels including offices held, significant achievements, areas of expertise acknowledged by colleagues in the profession, and other pertinent service activities.

Written statement (400 words max) that discusses nominee and supports their nomination.

Jane Structural Engineer graduated from Minnesota State University with a Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering in May of 1980. The following month, she began her career in structural engineering at Old Pueblo engineering in Tucson, Arizona. She worked there as an engineering intern for four years. She passed her SE professional exam in 1984 and shortly thereafter she received an offer to work at GDU Engineers as a structural engineer. She became a junior partner and stayed there until 2001 when she opened her own firm, JSE Structural. Over the years JSE Structural has grown from just Jane and one structural tech to a 12-person firm.

Jane was very interested to learn about the Structural Engineer Association of Arizona (SEAOA) and quickly became involved. She recognized that SEAOA is THE organization for structural engineering in the state of Arizona. She has enjoyed being a part of the organization since she first joined in September of 1982. She has served on the State Board as President for two terms, the Tucson Board as President for three terms, Secretary for two terms, and a Director for three terms. During her tenure on the State Board, Jane organized events with Habitat for Humanity coordinating member volunteers on seven projects. She also served on various City of Tucson code committees including masonry and straw bale construction. She was also a member of the State Board of Technical Registration from 2010 to 2014.

Jane was active with the Structural Engineers Emergency Response (SEER) Team from 1999 through 2006. During this time, Jane responded to the efforts post-911 in New York City as well as Hurricane Katrina in 2005. Her expertise in the field of structural engineering helped emergency responders to safely rescue and recover victims of these disasters.

On the personal side, Jane is married to her husband Dick and they have two grown children, Jeannie and Jake. Her non-work time included soccer and tennis with her children and now the same with the grandchildren. She and Dick enjoy their annual vacations to various places of interest in the US.

Nominator's Name: Anthony Song, PE, SE Title/Firm: Sr. Struct Engr./AES Engineers Date: 12/21/20

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