# 2017 Annual Report



Develop global engineers



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# Message from the President



Happy Anniversary to all our members worldwide!

Engineers without Borders International (EWB-I) is celebrating 15 successful years of building and evolving engineering capacity throughout the world, and achieving sustainable development for the benefit of people everywhere. Thousands of implemented projects, relating to water and sanitation, waste, energy, education, and agriculture justify our crucial role in the improvement of the quality of life in many disadvantaged communities.

After a fruitful 15 years of dedicated work, EWB-I still has much space for improvement: the update of the vision and values of the EWB-I network (movement) is in the final phase; a dedicated platform for EWB-I Member Associations (MAs) for sharing information is being created; the clarity of the processes and procedures of EWB-I and the Executive Committee will be defined by the end of the year. The new EWB-I Board is ready and eagerly facing the upcoming challenges.

EWB-I is increasing its role and reputation as a responsible partner to many global funding institutions that recognize the huge potential and the capacity of the network. The awarded grants to several EWB MAs confirmed the trust that donors like Arconic and Tetra Tech have in EWB-I.

May the coming year bring you every success and happiness. I wish you all a Happy New Year 2018!

Sincerely,

Oliver Nachevski EWB-I President

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# Member Associations



EWB-I Member Associations are united together in pursuit of helping to build a better world

Country	Member Contact
Argentina	Adàn Levy
Australia	Phil Clark
Belgium	
Bolivia	Afnan Agramont Akiyama
Brazil	Raphael Costa
Burundi	Jean Claude Sabushimike
Cambodia	Mom Mony
Cameroun	Jean Merlin Etobe
Canada	Boris Martin
Chile	Cristobal Bisso
Colombia	
Congo	Michel Omanga Wedy
Denmark	Dorte Lindegaard Madsen
Ecuador	Andrea C. Landazuri
Egypt	Hany Sidhom
Finland	Sumita Sahu
Gabon	Emmanuel Tuombe
Germany	Andreas Feldman
Ghana	Ebenazer Frimpong
Greece	Ioannis Koujianos
Honduras	Luis Eveline
Hong Kong	Edward Chan

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	India	Ashok Agarwal	Country	Member Contact
1	2	Ashok Agai wat	Panama	Larry Belken
1	Iran		Portugal	Miguel Filipe Silva
	Iraq	Tareq Aljumylee	Qatar	Monsoor Basha
	Israel	Vered Blass	Quebec	Gilles Bellemare
	Ivory Coast	Lanciné Bamba		
	Jordan	Hayel Alamoush	Rwanda	Wellars Bahoranye
I	Kenya	Jerry Osheng	Sierra Leone	Mohamed Selman Khalil
	Korea		Singapore	Ng Saye Phin
	Kosovo	Vigan Jashari	South Africa	Wiebke Toussaint
	Kuwait	Eng. Zainab Garashi	Sri Lanka	Nilusha Rajapaksha
	Lebanon	Nader Hajj Shehadeh	Sudan	Sakhr Abu Darag
	Macedonia	Oliver Nachevski	Sweden	Gustav Isaksson
	Malawi	Stephen Chalimba	Switzerland	Anne-Kathrin Bodenbender
	Malaysia	Lim Sze Wei	Syria	Manaf Abdulghani
	Mexico	Gerardo Sanchez	Tanzania	Chris Kuffar
	Nepal	Liva Shrestha		Cenk Erdil
	Netherlands	Andreia Veiga	Turkey	
	New Zeeland	Carys Everett	UAE	Eoin O'Loughlin
	Nigeria	Oladimeji Olutimehin	Uganda	Lwanga Herbert
	Norway	Haykush Olse	UK	Katie Cresswell-Maynard
	Pakistan	Mohammad Salman Khan	USA	Cathy Leslie
	Palestine	Amer Rabayah	Venezuela	Carlos Hernández

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### The board is known

As stated by EWB-I by-laws, the Executive Committee voted four officers of the board for the four main positions.

#### Executive committee

EWB-I is governed by an Executive Committee that comprises nine elected members and two appointed directors.



**Election process** 

From October 2016 to February 2017, EWB-I held elections to elect the nine members. EWB-I Global Forum 2017 : "The Formation of Engineers: A Global Issue" - 24-25 August 2017



### Increase collaboration

The purpose is about bringing the community together, sharing knowledge, and increasing collaboration.

### member' associations

**Engineers Without Borders** organisations were represented by 45 people coming from over 20 different countries.

### Formation of engineers

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The forum explored formation related issues including gender diversity, global citizenship, project management and global relationships.



Support of EWB-International affiliates by Arconic Foundation and Bechtel Group Foundation



## Developing global engineers

Arconic made US\$105,000 available for a competitive grants process, with Engineers Without Borders-International facilitating the process. Successful applicants were Brazil, Canada, Mexico and the UK.

Global Engineering Initiative

EWB Canada's Global Engineering Initiative (GEI) Certificate works with role model engineers to evolve curriculum and approve courses for GEI accreditation without additional coursework.



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### Support to Three EWB-International Affiliates

Bechtel Group Foundation is providing US\$50,000 in gifts to support the 2018 operations of three EWB-International affiliates (Chile, Gabon, India).

### Happy 15th Birthday EWB-International.





#### A network of like-minded organizations

In 2002, my colleague Dr. Claes Helgesson (Sweden) and Bernard Amadei (USA) decided to launch EWB-International to address the needs of developing communities worldwide.



### Synergistic activities

Our vision was to coordinate our efforts, work on joint projects, share practices, and build an international network where the whole was larger than the sum of its parts through synergistic activities.

## A platform for science diplomaty

EWB-I has potential to describe how science can serve as a vehicle to create transboundary and cross-disciplinary partnerships through scientific collaboration.

# **Financial Reports**



EWB Intern	ational									
Balance Sh	Balance Sheet									
As of December 31, 2015						Restricted				
				General Funds	Gra	ant Administration		Project Grants	Total	
Assets										
	Grants Receivable		\$	73,459.29	\$	10, 166.21	\$	70,907.44	\$ 154,532.94	
Total Assets	S		\$	73,459.29	\$	10,166.21	\$	70,907.44	\$ 154,532.94	
Liabilities										
	Accounts Payable		\$	<u> </u>	\$	<u>-</u>	\$	54,907.44	\$ 54,907.44	
Total Liabilities				-		-		54,907.44	54,907.44	
Net Assets										
	Beginning Balance			49,379.16		31,824.21		16,000.00	97,203.37	
	Current Year Activity			24,080.13		(21,658.00)		-	2,422.13	
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Total Net Assets				73,459.29		10, 166.21		16,000.00	99,625.50	
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EWB Intern	ational							
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As of December 31, 2015				•				
		General Funds		Grant Administration	Project	Grants	-	Total
Revenue								
	Memberships	\$ 1,700	.00 \$	\$ -	\$	-	\$	1,700.00
	Corporate Gift	23,962	.13	-		310,342.99		334,305.12
Total Reve	nue	\$ 25,662	.13 \$	<b>∮</b> -	\$	310,342.99	\$	336,005.12
Expenses								
	Grants		-			310,342.99		310,342.99
	Social Media/Conferences		- :	21,658.00		-		21,658.00
	Meetings	891	.00	-		-		-
	Admin Fees	691	.00	-		-		691.00
Total Exper	nses			l				
		1,582	.00	21,658.00		310,342.99		332,691.99
Net Revenue								
		\$ 24,080	.13 \$	\$ (21,658.00)	\$	-	\$	2,422.13

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# Thank you!



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