ASCE Young Member Event

Trivia – Round One (ASCE focus)
1. ASCE was founded was the same year Franklin Pierce became president. What was the year?

a) 1840

b) 1844

c) 1848

d) 1852
2. What is the oldest national engineering society?

a) ASCE

b) ASME (American Society of Mechanical Engineers)

c) SAME (Society of American Military Engineers)

d) NSPE (National Society of Professional Engineers)
3. The number of ASCE members in the world is about equal to the population of what US city?

a) Rock Island, IL (population ~40,000)

b) Dayton, OH (population ~140,000)

c) Orlando, FL (population ~240,000)

d) Honolulu, HI (population ~340,000)
4. Who is the current president of ASCE?

a) Greg Geoffrey   c) Andrew Hermann

b) Greg DiLoreto   d) Ray Lahood
Every four years, ASCE issues a status report on the condition of the nation’s infrastructure in report card format. The latest report card was just released this week. Overall, what grade did ASCE give the nation’s infrastructure?

a) A-
b) C+
c) D+
d) F
6. Through ASCE, certain states also issue report cards for infrastructure in their state. What states have state report cards?

a) Iowa and Minnesota

b) Illinois and Wisconsin

c) Missouri and Kansas

d) North Dakota and South Dakota
7. Today is the day of the ASCE OPAL gathering in Washington DC. What does OPAL stand for?

a) Open Program About Licensure
b) Ordinary Professionals Awards Luncheon
c) Outstanding Projects And Leaders
d) Opportunities for Publishing in ASCE Literature
8. ASCE came up with a list of 7 wonders of the modern world. Which of the following is not a wonder, according to the list?

a) Hoover Dam, Nevada
b) Netherlands Flood Protection
c) Empire State Building, NY
d) Itaipu Dam, Paraguay
9. ASCE came up with a list of 7 wonders of the modern world. The following pictures show four of them. Name them.

a) 

b) 

c) 

d)
10. What is not something ASCE membership can do for you (taken from 101 ways to benefit from ASCE)?

a) Provide continuing education units and professional development hours
b) Provide networking opportunities
c) Provide Civil Engineering Magazine
d) Provide Engineering and Salary Survey
e) Provide legal resources
f) Provide access to the ASCE library
g) Provide opportunities for outreach and promoting the civil engineering profession
h) Provide ways to discuss issues with elected officials, from local to the national level
i) Provide membership in an ASCE institute for free
j) Provide various conferences throughout the year
k) Provide career resources
l) Provide discounts on computers, car rentals, Whirlpool products, and insurance
m) Provide support for civil engineering education
n) Provide a free meal at every section meeting