



# TRAVEL & LEARN WITH A QUEENSLAND FOUNDATION FELLOWSHIP

**TRIENNIAL IFME CONGRESS  
FINLAND & SWEDEN 2012**

*An unprecedented skills development opportunity open to all Public Works Engineering professionals with a thirst for knowledge, a vision for excellence and a quest to improve performance in your field.*



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PUBLIC WORKS ENGINEERING



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PASSPORT TO  
PROFESSIONAL  
GROWTH



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### DATES

**Wed 30 May - Fri 1 June** > Pre Congress study tour  
**Mon 4 June - Thu 7 June** > Attend IFME World Congress,  
**Helsinki**

(including one-day study tour to Tallinn,  
Estonia by ferry)

**Fri 8 June - Sun 10 June** > Study tour to **Stockholm** by ferry

The pre-congress study tour comprises a series of Council-hosted technical visits and presentations on infrastructure issues. Tour delegates will be based at a hotel in central Helsinki, near the Congress venue, the Finlandia Hall. Delegates will stay at the same hotel for the duration of the study tour and the Congress.

The **host municipalities** for the study tour visits are:

- Helsinki City Council
- Vantaa City Council
- Espoo City Council

### FUNDING

**Up to \$8,500 to cover the cost of participating in the 2012 Study Tour.**

It is also open for members to join the study tour without the benefit of a Foundation Fellowship if they can arrange full payment themselves, or for example have their participation sponsored by their employer.

We will again be exploring best practice in public works and the pre-congress part of the tour will be jointly conducted with INGENIUM our sister organisation from New Zealand.

This adds another dimension to the tour as it provides the opportunity for networking between the delegates from the two countries.

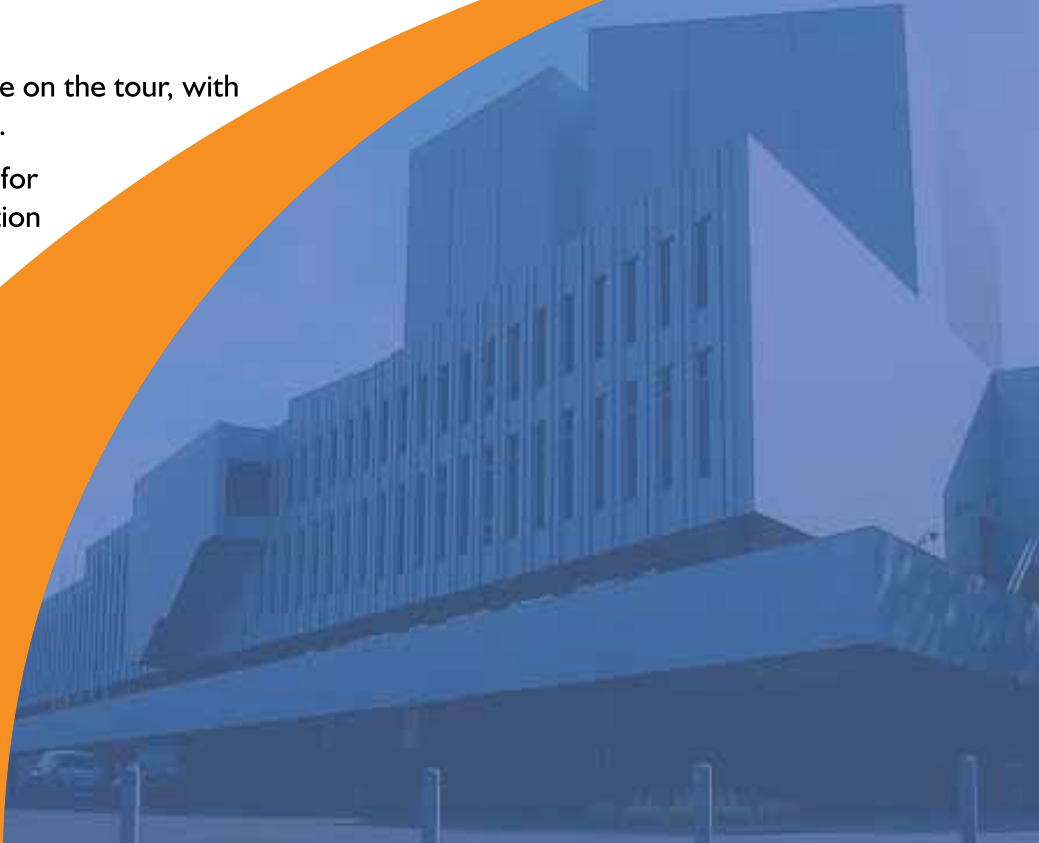
### AVAILABLE PLACES

A maximum of 20 places will be available on the tour, with 10 places allocated to each organisation.

The National Office will be responsible for most travel, transport and accommodation arrangements.

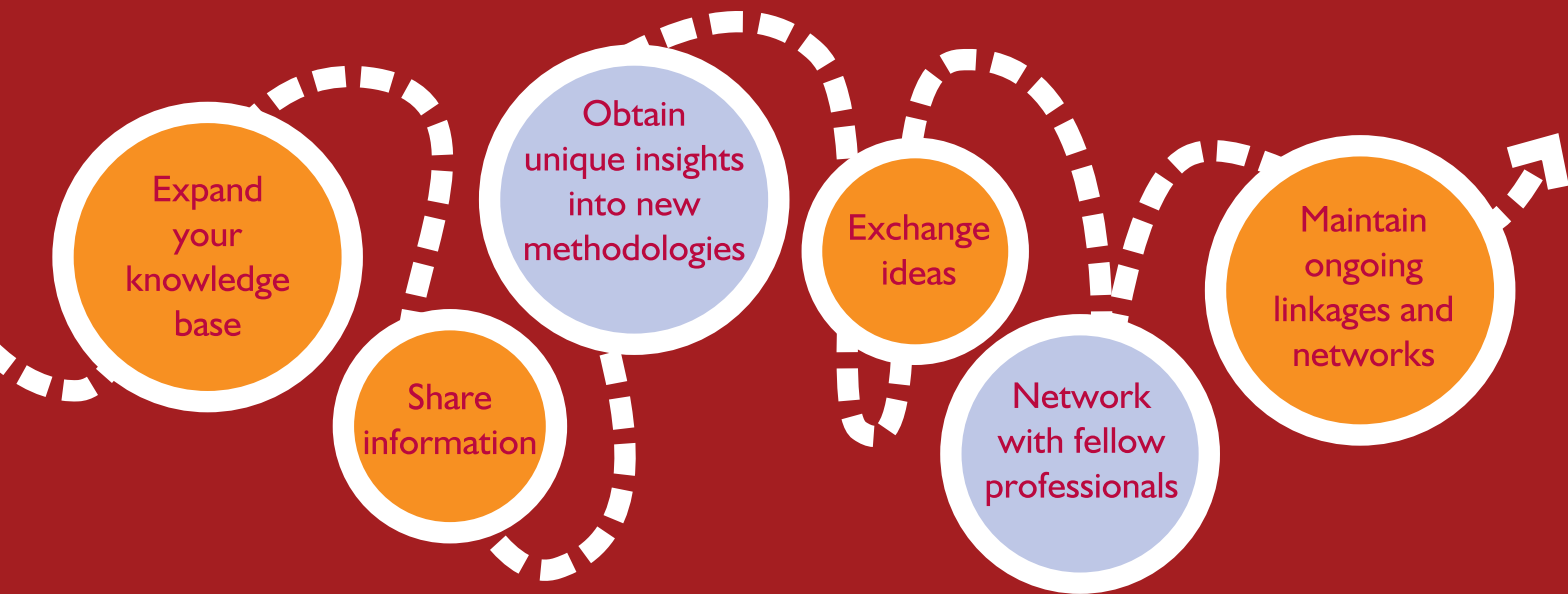
This Study Tour is a real opportunity to broaden your perspective of the world and how you approach your daily work and personal life.

**It is an  
exciting  
opportunity,  
and one  
not to be  
missed!**



# CONSIDER THE BENEFITS

In today's ever-changing world, gaining a new perspective can play a vital role in your personal and professional growth. A Queensland Foundation study tour offers a wealth of benefits through a chance to:



## ELIGIBILITY FOR FELLOWSHIP

Each applicant shall:

- a) Be at least 21 years of age, be a member of IPWEAQ or be eligible for such membership and have an active interest and involvement in the advancement of public works and the science of public works engineering.
  - b) Have had at least three years practical experience either in public works engineering or in work associated with public works engineering (at the discretion of the trustees).
- c) No candidate shall be entitled to have his application submitted to the Selection Committee unless he shall:
- (i) In the opinion of the trustees have the qualifications referred to in Clauses (a) and (b) hereof.
  - (ii) Give the undertakings referred to and complete the nomination form in the Fellowship Requirements document, available on the IPWEAQ website or by emailing **SBarnes-Gillard@ipweaq.asn.au**

No person shall be eligible to be a candidate if he/she has previously been awarded a Fellowship within the last five (5) years. The trustees may waive this clause if the application is considered to be of outstanding benefit for the development of public works engineering in Queensland.



## ABOUT THE FOUNDATION

The Foundation was established in 1984 to provide and administer the funds necessary to enable engineers involved in providing public works engineering services and others to undertake study and research and to obtain experience in the science of engineering and engineering practice and allied scientific subjects in countries overseas or within Australia.

In order to fund these scholarships, the Foundation holds a local government and public works Expo every two years, LOGOV, at Meakin Park, Logan City.

LOGOV provides the opportunity for local government and public works practitioners to view the latest equipment and services available for the industry, with the Foundation providing buses and subsidising flights from regional centres, attracting over 5,000 visitors to these events.



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## A VIEW TO YOUR FUTURE!

Don't delay! To benefit from this leading edge professional development opportunity and obtain further information visit the website -

[www.ipwea.org.au/Queensland/Education/AwardsScholarships/](http://www.ipwea.org.au/Queensland/Education/AwardsScholarships/)

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Entries must be received by **5pm 13th February 2012**

Entries can be mailed to:

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**PO BOX 2100**

**FORTITUDE VALLEY B.C. 4006**

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