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The Deep Foundations Institute

An Introduction

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DFI Purpose

Advances the design and construction of deep foundations by disseminating information to engineers, contractors, manufacturers and educators through publications, seminars and discussion.

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General



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Membership



Technical Committees

- Augered Cast-in-Place Piles (CFA Piles)
- Codes and Standards
- Deep Foundations for Landslides and Slope Stabilization
- Driven Piles
- Drilled Shafts
- Ground Improvement
- Helical Foundations and Tiebacks
- Marine Foundations
- Micropiles
- Seismic and Lateral Loads
- Slurry Walls
- Soil Mixing
- **Subsurface Characterization for Deep Foundations**
- Sustainability
- Testing and Evaluation
- Tiebacks and Soil Nailing

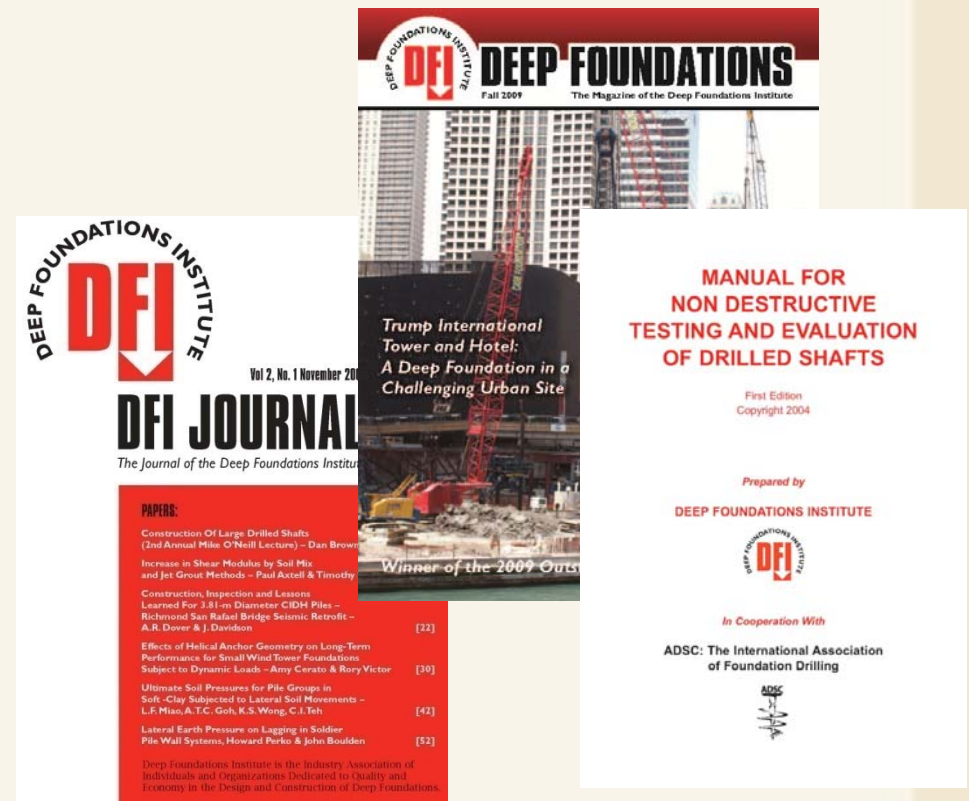
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DFI Activities



Publications

- Bi-Monthly Magazine
- Bi-Annual Technical Journal
- Committee guidance documents, manuals, white papers
- Conference & Seminar proceedings



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Resources



Conferences and Seminars

- Annual Conference on Deep Foundations
- International Conference on Piling & Deep Foundations
- Technical Specialty Seminars and Short Courses
- Co-sponsored Events with Other Organizations



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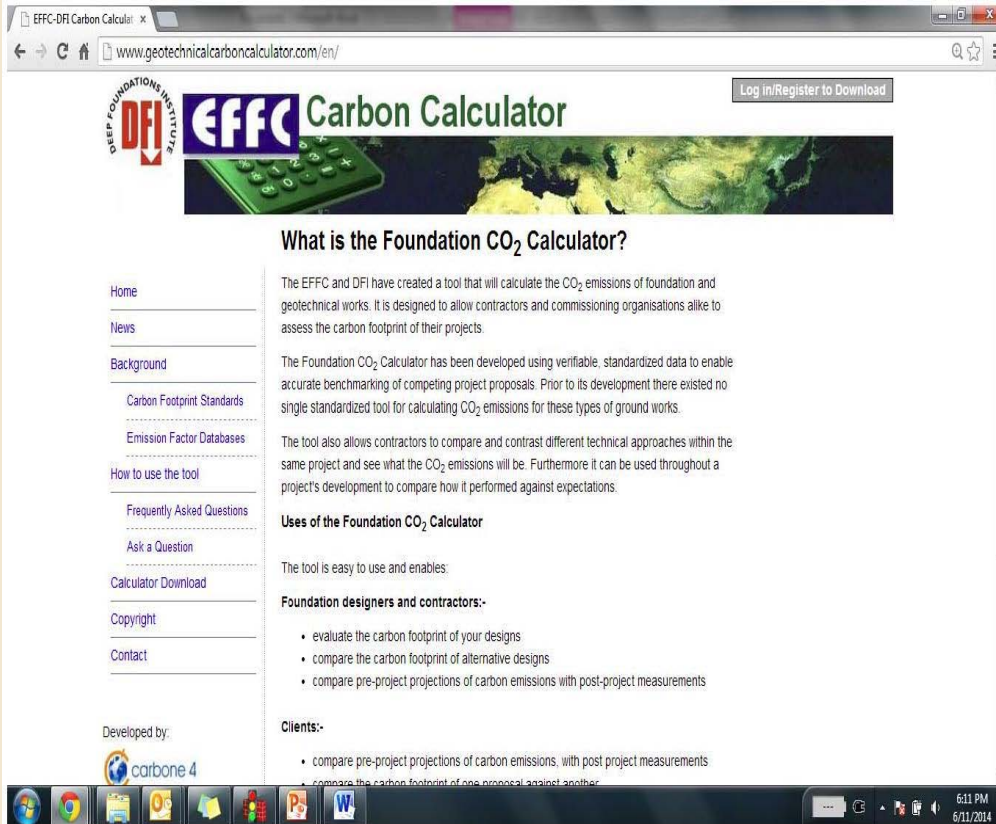
Cooperative Association Liaisons

- ADSC-IAFD
- ISM (International Society for Micropiles)
- EFFC
- ISSMGE
- FHWA
- GeoInstitute of ASCE
- Canadian Geotechnical Society
- PDCA (Pile Driving Contractors)
- NHI (National Highway Institute)
- American University Dubai
- Indian Institute of Technology
- Indian Geotechnical Society



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Associations



DFI-Europe
www.dfi-europe.org

- Online glossary of foundation terms providing comparable terms used globally
- Monitoring and Instrumentation Committee

- Carbon Calculator Tool available for free download at www.geotechnicalcarboncalculator.org

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