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Monthly Newsletter, August - September 2011

MESSAGE

With the slogan “Engineering Integration, Solidarity, and Innovation for Society’s Sustainable Development,” we would like to announce the XXXIII Pan American Convention of Engineering – UPADI 2012 to be held from April 9 to 13 in Havana, Cuba.

The event venue will be the Palacio de Convenciones in Havana and will include congresses, forums, symposiums, lectures, and exhibits. We expect the participation of 27 representatives from Central America, South America, and the Caribbean who will exchange experiences and innovations that will contribute to the new challenges of technical and scientific development and to the debate on the current role of engineering professionals with regard to the hemisphere’s sustainable development.

In addition, all engineering disciplines, such as information and communication technologies, globalization of engineering services, chemistry and fuels, environment, and human development, will be represented.

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UPADI Executive Committee

OF OUR ORGANIZATIONS

1. UPADI would like to congratulate de presidency of the Colegio de Ingenieros Civiles of Honduras.

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2. The Colegio de Ingenieros y Agrimensores of Puerto Rico was Honored with the Zenit Award

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3. Engineers’ Role as Promoters of Social Change

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4. Congratulations to the Asociación Salvadoreña de Ingenieros y Arquitectos

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5. UPADI regrets the death of these two professionals .

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TECHNICAL PRESENT

Interview with Dr. Leslie Robertson, World Trade Center designer

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Costa Rica hosted COPIMERA 2011

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Interview with Engineer Julian Cardona, new president of COPIMERA

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PAN AMERICAN TRANSPARENCY

Engineering and Ethics in Professional Practice

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UPADI and GIACC join efforts to discourage corruption

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NEWS

1. UPADI and Brazilian Engineers Join Haiti’s Reconstruction
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2. Nominations for UPADI Board of Directors
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3. Universidad Politécnica de Madrid Offers Scholarships for Engineering Professionals
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4. INEA Opens Up Consultation Period about the Natural Disaster Management Project
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5. Without Borders Magazine
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Evaluation of the Technical and Financial Pre-feasibility of Reusing Construction

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1. XXXIII Convention of the Pan American Federation of Engineering Associations (UPADI) Havana, Cuba April 9 to 13, 2012 More info >>	4. XI Ibero American Meeting of Women Engineers, Architects, and Land Surveyors Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic March 5 to 10, 2012t More info >>
2. X Forum on Water Basins Havana, Cuba April 9 to 13, 2012 More info >>	5. X International Symposium on Ferrocement Havana and Varadero, Cuba October 12 to 17, 2012 More info >>
3. VI International Engineering Conference, Mechanical, Electrical and Industrial Havana, Cuba April 9 to 13, 2012 More info >>	

INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION

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