



Peruvian Engineers Association

Membership of Professional Engineers licencing practice in Peru

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Peruvian Engineers Association

Non-governmental institution, created by Act of Congress in 1962, and amended in 1987 in order to establish a decentralized structure

Non-profit organization of an ethical nature, responsible for registering and licensing engineers, and supervising the practice of engineering in the country

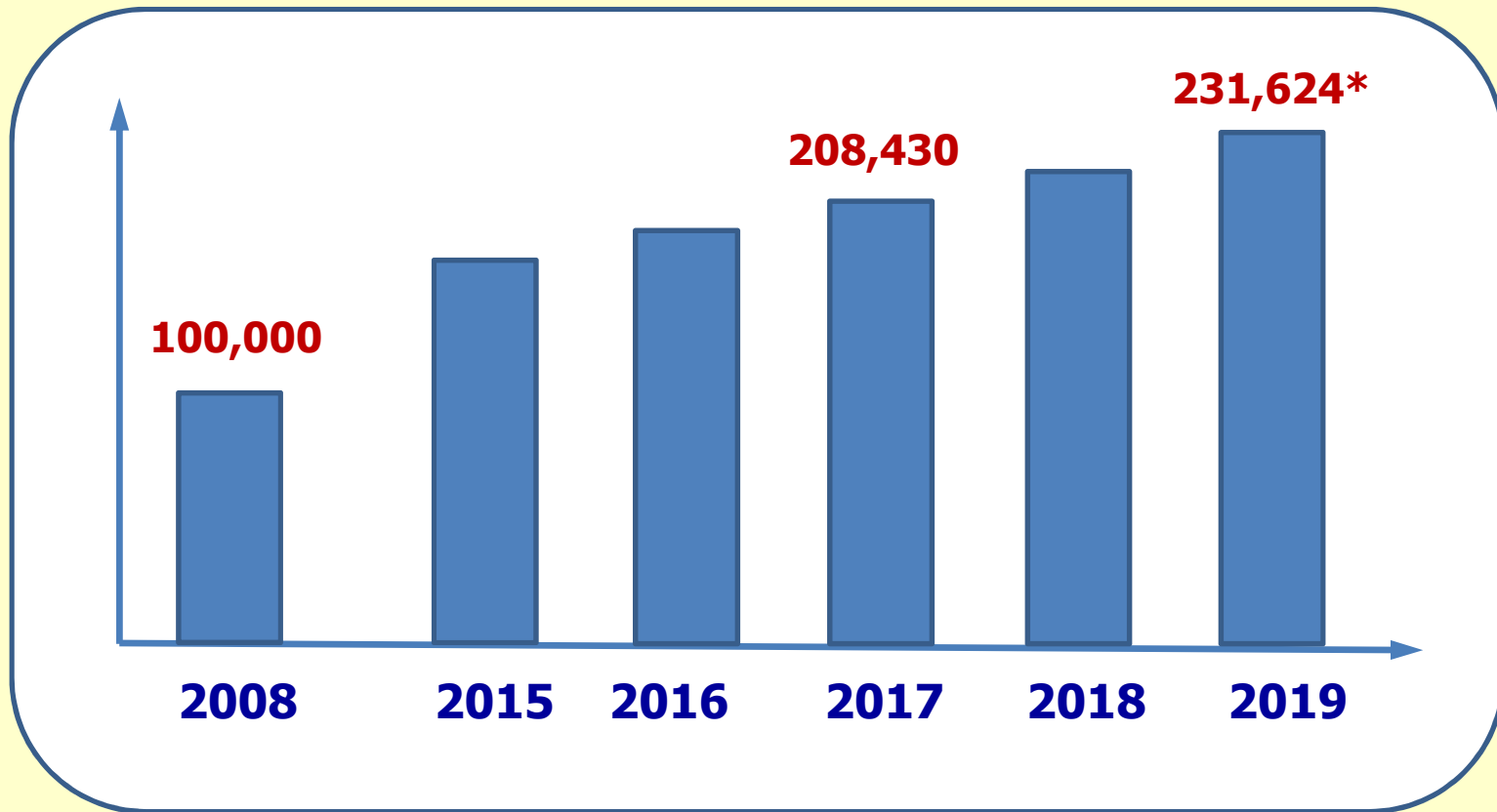
Peruvian Engineers Association

- **231,624 registered members.***
About 80% practicing engineering
 - **19 engineering specialty chapters**
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- **1 National Council and 28 Regional Councils**
 - **Authorities elected in open elections every 3 years**
 - **Code of Conduct and Auditing Bodies**

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Registered Members



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Engineering Specialty Chapters

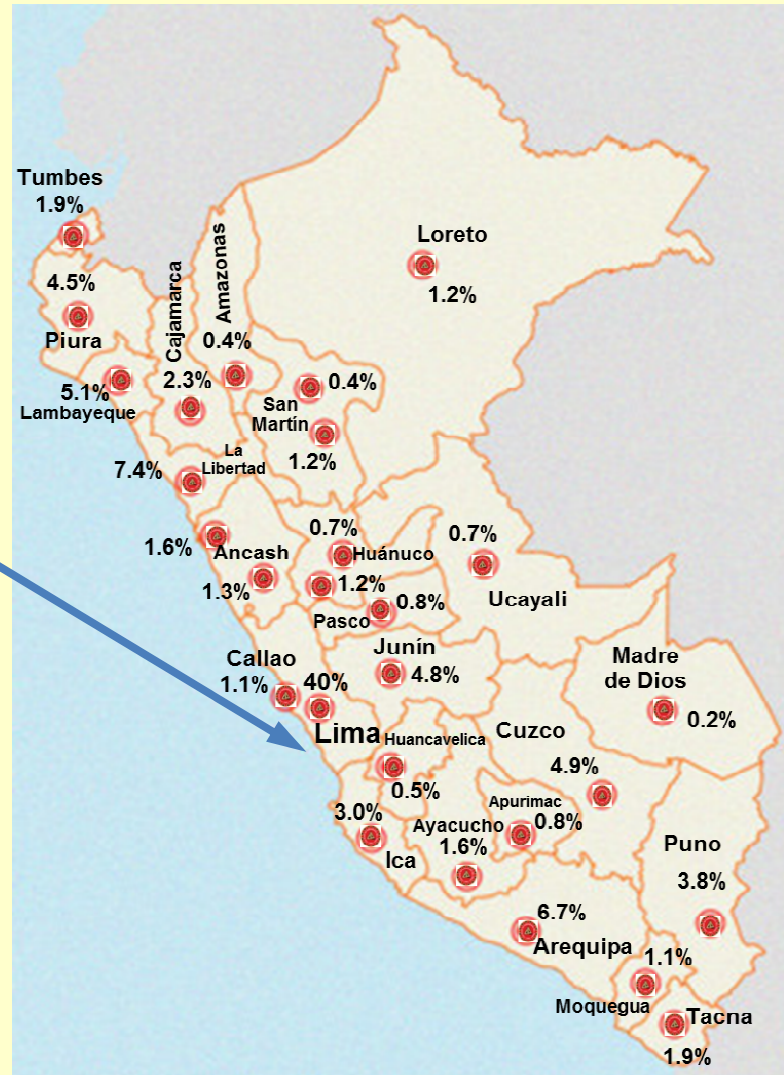
CAPITULOS DEL CIP-CN	CANT. COLEGIADOS*
AGRICULTURAL	6,545
AGRONOMIC	26,369
CIVIL	54,208
ECONOMIC	3,818
ELECTRIC	6,529
ELECTRONIC	8,344
FOREST	3,873
GEOLOGICAL	5,442
INDUSTRIAL AND SYSTEMS	37,893
FOOD INDUSTRY	8,680
MECHANICAL	7,577
MECHANICAL AND ELECTRICAL	11,856
METALLURGICAL	5,664
MINING	10,180
FISHERIES	4,477
PETROLEUM AND PETROCHEMICALS	1,228
CHEMICAL	15,072
SANITARY AND ENVIRONMENTAL	8,603
ANIMAL HUSBANDRY	5,266

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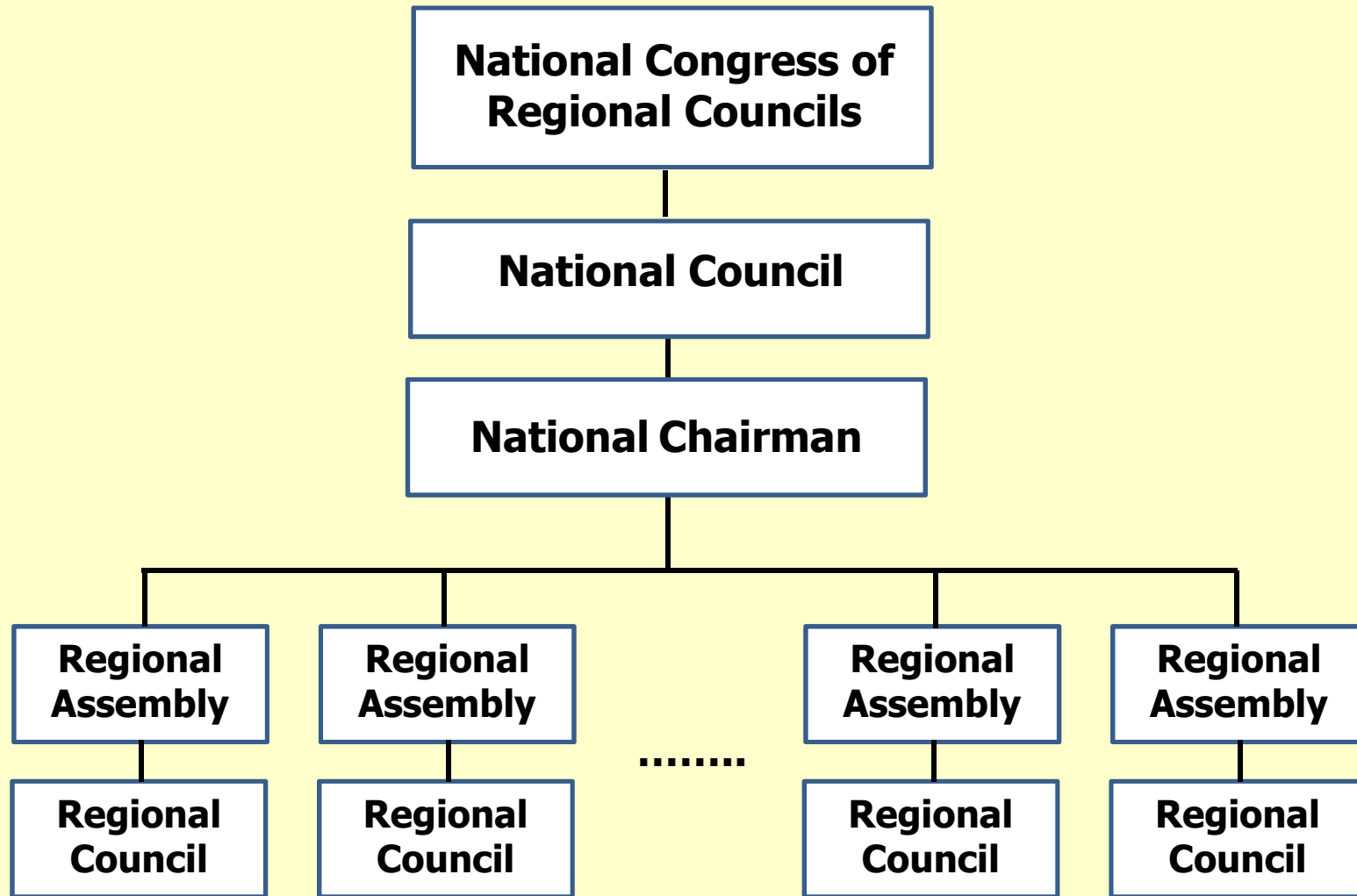
Members Throughout the Country

**40% of Members
in Lima**



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Governmental Structure



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National Congress of Regional Councils

**Maximum governing body.
Its decisions must be followed and
enforced**

- **National Chairman**
- **Regional Chairmen (28)**
- **Vice-Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer**
- **Pro-Secretary, Pro-Treasurer**
- **Delegates of Regional Councils**

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National Council

Conducts the institutional life of the Association and executes the policies and decisions of the National Congress

- **National Chairman**
- **National Vice-Chairman**
- **Director – Secretary**
- **Director Treasurer**
- **Director Pro-Secretary**
- **Director Pro-Treasurer**
- **Four Regional Chairmen**

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Code of Conduct Body

Regulates, monitors, guides and sanctions the ethical behavior of engineers

- **National Ethics Tribunal**
- **Regional Ethics Tribunal**
- **Regional Disciplinary Tribunal**
- **Regional Code of Conduct Prosecutor**
- **Ad Hoc National Tribunal**

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Professional Practice Body

**Defends the practice of engineering and
looks after the well-being and social
welfare of engineer members**

- **Working Center Committee**
- **Professional Defense Committee**

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Professional Development Body

Promotes the training and updating of engineers according to the advances of engineering and technology

Specialty Chapters continuously offer courses and training programs to engineers at regional and national levels

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Oversight Body

Supervises the auditing of the financial statements of the institution and reports to the National Congress

- **National Accounts Control Committee**
- **Regional Accounts Control Committee**

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Other Bodies

- **Electoral Body**
- **Advisory Body**

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Disciplinary Procedures and Measures

- **Ex officio, by any Code of Conduct Tribunal**
- **Pursuant to complaint by any body of the Association**
- **Pursuant to complaint by any member engineer or any interested party or institution**



Code of Conduct Tribunal



- **Penalty Fee**
- **Suspension**
- **Reprimand**
- **Expulsion**

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Types of Licensing

The Peruvian Engineers Association offers two types of licensing: ordinary and temporary. Ordinary licensing is mostly awarded to engineers graduated from Peruvian universities or with a degree recognized or revalidated by the corresponding Peruvian educational authority or university, and temporary licensing is mostly awarded to foreign engineers graduated from foreign universities.

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Licensed engineers are awarded a Certificate of Registration / Professional License and included in the register of licensed engineers of the Peruvian Engineers Association accessible from the website for verification.



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Requirements for ordinary licensing

- **Bachelor's degree in engineering awarded by an authorized university with recognized five-year engineering programs.**
- **Title of professional engineer awarded by an authorized university with recognized engineering programs after the approval of the dissertation on a relevant engineering project.**
- **Assessment and approval of graduate transcripts with special focus on transfer subjects. Transfer of subjects taken in institutions not recognized by the National Superintendence of University Education SUNEDU (maximum Peruvian university education authority) are not accepted.**

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Requirements for ordinary licensing

- **Pass an interview and oral evaluation by representatives of the corresponding engineering specialty chapter assessing the candidate's ability to communicate effectively, practical experience, ethical behavior, understanding of engineering's impact on society, public safety and environment, as well as knowledge of legal fundamentals regulating the practice of engineering.**
- **Participation in an induction and motivation session preparatory to swearing-in ceremony.**
- **Signed commitment to comply with the code of ethics of the Professional Engineers Association of Peru.**

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Requirements for temporary licensing

- **Engineering degree (or engineering title) awarded by a degree-granting institution which has been approved and recognized by the national education authority in the home country.**
- **Assessment and approval of graduate transcripts and engineering curriculum taken in home country's university.**
- **Licensing for engineering practice in the home country.**
- **Employment contract containing the terms, period of time and functions to perform.**

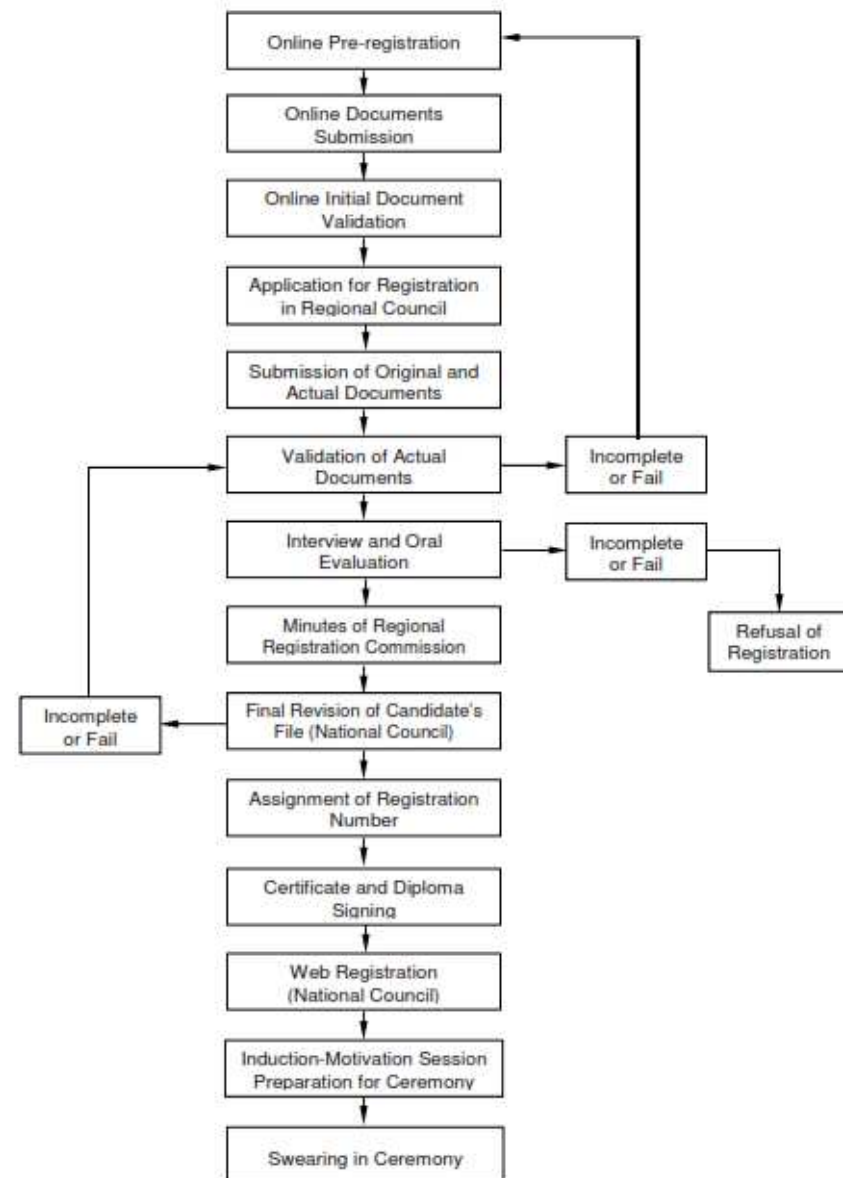
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Requirements for temporary licensing

- **Pass an interview and oral evaluation by representatives of the corresponding engineering specialty chapter assessing the candidate's practical experience, ethical behavior, understanding of engineering's impact on society, public safety and environment, and knowledge of legal fundamentals regulating the practice of engineering.**
- **Signed commitment to comply with the code of ethics of the Peruvian Engineers Association.**

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Procedure for Registering and Licensing



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Preserving Accreditation

To preserve the registering and licensing by the Peruvian Engineers Association, engineers must follow its norms and regulations, and comply with and be bound by the Code of Ethics of the Peruvian Engineers Association.



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