

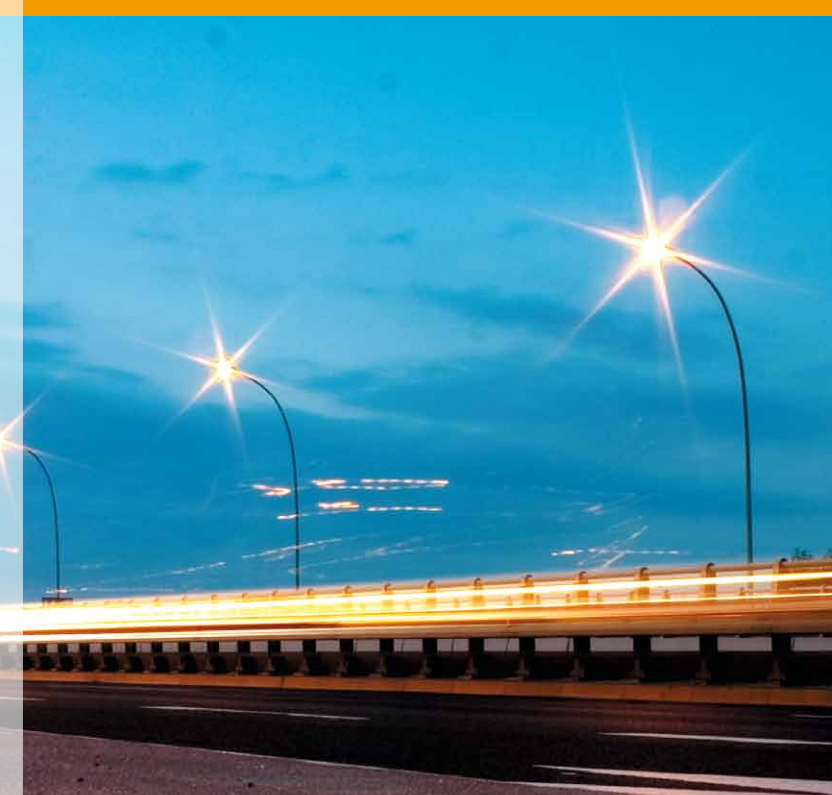
## About us

FEHRL is a registered International Association with a permanent Secretariat based in Brussels, Belgium. Formed in 1989 as the Forum of European National Highway Research Laboratories, FEHRL is governed by the Directors of each of the national institutes. It provides a coordinated structure for the interests of over thirty national research and technical centres from Europe, together with associated institutes from around the world.

FEHRL is engaged in road engineering research topics including safety, materials, environmental issues, telematics and economic evaluation. Research capacity is provided by the national institutes and makes use of the wide range of test facilities available to them.



## Knowledge Dissemination and Training





## FEHRL Knowledge Centre

The Knowledge Centre (KC) is an integration of the following features for knowledge exchange and knowledge generation activities. These features are available to FEHRL members and major stakeholders.

The FEHRLopedia provides a common portal for knowledge sharing and gathering. It has a multilingual interface to support the dissemination and exploitation of results.

The File Zone provides information of on-going calls, conferences/workshops, FEHRL activities, project opportunities, project information and publications.

The KC also has a Project Database for quick evaluation of past, current, and planned projects.

## Training Activities

FEHRL offers a various range of training opportunities to its members, including project management courses, Secondments at the FEHRL office, and workshops in national languages.

## Secondment at FEHRL

FEHRL regularly hosts Secondees at the Brussels office. The primary aim is to familiarise the Secondees with international project activities, as well as to provide them with the opportunity to meet with colleagues from other key organisations.

FEHRL has so far hosted Secondees in finance, project management and knowledge transfer.

## Workshops in National Languages

Overcoming the language barriers, FEHRL uses existing systems that most of its members already have for dissemination and training purposes.

CERTAIN workshops are a good example of workshops in the national language of the country.  
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## Project Management Forum

- Intellectual exchange
- Learning new ideas and refining old ones
- Developing new contacts
- Keeping up with current events
- Learning about new opportunities

## European Project Management Training

The major objective of this course is to recognize procedures and techniques needed to work effectively in European Commission (EC) and multinational projects. The training course focuses on building teamwork with experts from different nations and cooperates with experts from the public and industrial academic sectors. Lectures and workshops are provided by professional trainers, qualified project managers and EC officials. Included in the course is a visit to the EC headquarters and other related organizations, helping participants learn how to work with members of the industry and the EC itself.