

Short Biosketch of Zdeněk P. Bažant

Born and educated in Prague (Ph.D. 1963), Bažant joined Northwestern in 1969, where he has been W.P. Murphy Professor since 1990 and simultaneously McCormick Institute Professor since 2002. He was inducted to Nat. Acad. of Sciences, Nat. Acad. of Engrg., Am. Acad. of Arts & Sci., as well as Italian Nat. Academy (dei Lincei), Austrian Acad. of Sciences, Czech Acad. of Engrg., Eur. Acad. of Sci. & Arts, and Istituto Lombardo. An ASCE Hon. Member, he received six honorary doctorates (Prague, Karlsruhe, Colorado, Milan, Lyon, Vienna), ASCE von Kármán, Newmark and Croes Medals, SES Prager Medal, ASME Warner Medal and Nádai Medal, RILEM L'Hermite Medal, Torroja Medal, Šolín Medal, Stodola Medal, Bažant(Sr.) Medal, etc. He authored six books: *Scaling of Structural Strength*, *Inelastic Analysis, Fracture and Size Effect*, *Stability of Structures*, *Concrete at High Temperatures*, and *Concrete Creep*. With H-index 42, he is ISI Highly Cited Scientist in Engrg. (www.ISIhighlycited.com).