

## Corporate Profile

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# Commercial Structure

Sandberg is an independent private professional limited liability partnership founded in 1860 providing consultancy, quality management, testing and inspecting services on construction industry materials, practice and processes throughout the world. National and international clients include consulting engineers, architects, surveyors, civil engineering and building contractors, property developers and managers, lawyers, building materials manufacturers and suppliers and government and public authorities.

The Partnership places a high value on client confidentiality, following a code of conduct in accordance with the Association for Consultancy and Engineering of which the firm is a member.

## Organisation

The firm's head office is situated at 40 Grosvenor Gardens, London, SW1, where it has been since 1919. Our main UKAS accredited laboratories are based at Clapham in London. Sandberg also holds Quality Management accreditation to BS EN ISO 9001.

Overseas Sandberg Asia Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary, is based in Hong Kong.

Sandberg comprises three coordinated operational areas supported by administration, quality management and general management functions:

- **Civil Engineering** On-site laboratories for major construction projects world wide.
- **Inspection** Building Inspection and Investigation, Precast Concrete Inspection and Steelwork and Protective Treatment Inspectorates.
- **Laboratories** Consultancy, Construction Materials, Geology/Geomaterials, Metallurgy and Chemistry Departments.

These areas are closely interwoven to provide comprehensive and relevant services to meet individual client's requirements. This collective approach to the client's needs and problems predominates, with each department able to call upon any of the others to help solve a particular problem. In this way the client can be assured of a comprehensive and thorough service.

## Quality of Service

The Sandberg service is founded upon three factors. Firstly, there are the 147 years of professional service which underlie the practice's attitudes and policies and which provide a substantial reservoir of experience. Secondly comes the specialised staff and consultants, whose professional ability and integrity is evident in every aspect of their work. Thirdly there are the close national and international links with colleagues in universities, research organisations, advisory bodies and others. This enables problems to be assessed and balanced in a wider context and keeps the firm in the forefront of materials technology, whilst we continue to offer a highly practical service to look after our clients' interests.

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To discuss your needs please contact

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