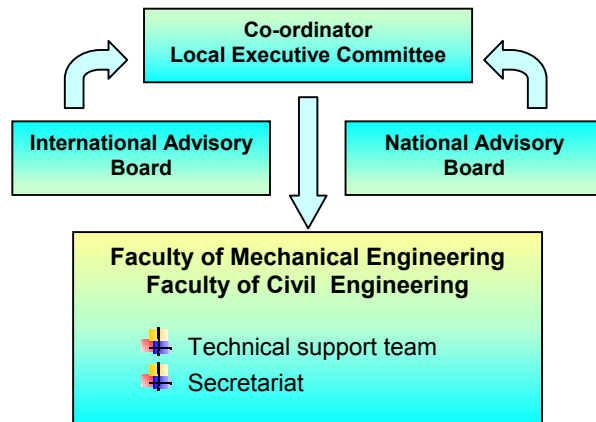


Organigramme

The organigramme of the Centre presents its structure and shows division of the tasks. At the level of operational decisions, there are two faculties: the Faculty of Mechanical Engineering with the Dept of Mechanics and Machines Design and the Faculty of Civil Engineering with its three departments engaged in the project: the Dept of Physics of Material, the Dept of Structural Mechanics and the Dept of Building Materials Engineering at the TUO. At the same time, these departments naturally form working groups.

Below is depicted a schematic diagram representing the structure of the organisation.



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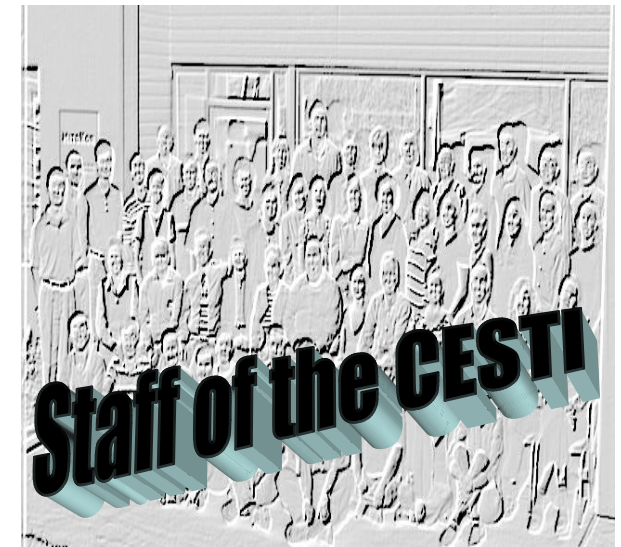
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The mission of CESTI

The main aim of the Centre is to better concentrate a number of outstanding units in science and technology at the Technical University of Opole (TUO) in the subject of Structural Integrity, and to strengthen national and international competence in: fatigue, damage and fracture of materials, machines and civil engineering structures; assessment, identification and rehabilitation of existing civil engineering structures; full scale and model-scale studies of dynamic behaviour of large structures. The important activities of the Centre are focussed on: education on an advanced domestic and international level through creation of PhD and post-graduate studies, local seminars, summer schools and conferences; integration of the Centre with European Research Area through networking, exchange, training and twinning arrangements.

Structure of the CESTI

The Centre of Structural Integrity consists of four Departments of Technical University of Opole:

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Faculty of Mechanical Engineering
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 **Dept of Physics of Materials**
Faculty of Civil Engineering
Head: Prof. Jan KUBIK

 **Dept of Building Materials Engineering**
Faculty of Civil Engineering
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 **Dept of Structural Mechanics**
Faculty of Civil Engineering
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The Local Executive Committee is composed of people from all the participating Departments of TUO. It has overall responsibility for defining policy lines, needs analysis, design and planning, developing, implementing, monitoring, evaluating and reviewing all the work packages of the project. The Local Executive Committee meets at TUO and discusses the realisation of particular actions, the result obtained and, if necessary, corrects the plan for the next phases of the project.

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