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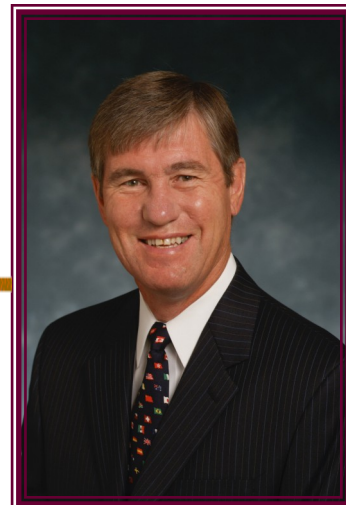
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Professor Jean-Louis Briaud is President of ISSMGE, the International Society for Soil Mechanics and Geotechnical Engineering and Buchanan Chair Professor at Texas A&M University. He recently travelled to Athens, Greece (10-13 Sept 2011) to visit with geotechnical engineers and participate in the European Conference on Soil Mechanics and Geotechnical Engineering. The event was organized by Christos Tsatsanifos, Andreas Angelopoulos, with the help of many others. At the event he also met with Ivan Vanicek, the Vice President for Europe, and several Presidents of national Societies including Vyacheslav Ilyichev (Russia), De Jong (Belgium), Jana Frankosvska (Czech and Slovak Republic), XXXXX (Turkey). On the lighter side, he enjoyed a few moments at the Acropolis and the Parthenon.



Professor Jean-Louis Briaud
ISSMGE President

Right: From Left to Right: Ivan
Vanicek, Christos Tsatsanifos,
Pedro Pinto, Enrique Dapena,
and Neil Taylor



Below: From Left to Right: Jean-Louis
Briaud, Paul Marinos, Chris Clayton,
Stefanos Tsotsos, Dimitris Karamitos



Below: Jean-Louis Briaud congratu-
lating Andreas Angelopoulos

