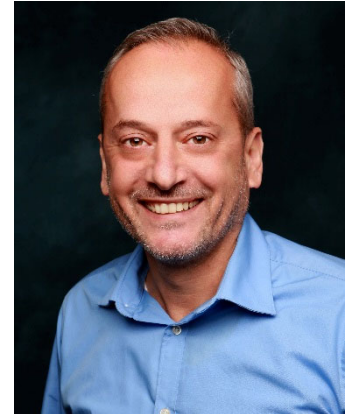


**2023-24 Orange County Section Election  
Candidate Statement**

**Delegate:           HUSSEIN KALAKECH**

I am excited to run for the delegate position for PEGG Orange County Section. I joined Caltrans in the year 2000 and have been working in District 12 for over 23 years in my position as a Transportation Engineer Electrical. I have been an active PEGG member since I joined the state service because early on in my career, I recognized the importance of working collectively for our common goals including better pay, better benefits, and better pension. To achieve that, I recognize the importance of keeping PEGG members informed about our various challenges so that they can be actively involved in decisions that touch their lives. As your D12 Orange County PEGG section representative, I will transmit your concerns and ideas to PEGG so that your voices are heard, and we can together ensure that we always achieve our pay, benefits, and pension goals. Moreover, I am committed to relaying your voice in seeking enhanced working conditions, upward mobility, and better recognition of our achievements and contributions at Caltrans.



Please vote for me to be your Delegate for the PEGG Orange County Section.