

## WHAT IS IEA?

The International Ergonomics Association is the federation of ergonomics and human factors societies from around the world. The mission of IEA is to elaborate and advance ergonomics science and practice, and to improve the quality of life by expanding its scope of application and contribution to society.

IEA aims to promote the knowledge and practice of ergonomics by initiating and supporting international activities cooperation. To meet these objectives, IEA supports international cooperation between individuals and organizations active in the field, in order to facilitate the practical application of ergonomics in industry and other areas, and encourages research in the science and practice of ergonomics.

The work of the IEA is accomplished by academicians and practitioners. However, many initiatives vital for the development of ergonomics as a unique science and profession cannot be funded with existing resources.

Funds are therefore needed to support the development of ergonomics worldwide, including in industrially developing countries; to disseminate ergonomic knowledge to the industry and to society at large; to promote ergonomics education and competency standards; and to support the work of IEA Technical Committees. IEA invites organizations and individuals who support these goals to become Sustaining Members through annual contributions. IEA is a non-profit organization. This means that 100% of IEA funds support the implementation of the IEA goals.

## IEA SUSTAINING MEMBERSHIP

### *IEA Organizational Sustaining Membership*

The IEA Organizational Sustaining Membership program, offered to corporations and other organizations, supports the science and application of ergonomics worldwide, and it provides exposure and enhances the image of institutional members.

There are four levels of organizational support, and each level offers specific benefits. The granting of IEA Sustaining Membership does not imply IEA endorsement or approval of company products or services. Sustaining membership in any category does not confer the right to voice or vote in IEA Council meetings.

### **Organizational Sustaining membership benefits:**

#### **Gold level US \$ 1,000/year**

- Listings on the IEA website
- Complimentary electronic copy of the regular updates from the IEA President to the federated Societies.
- Sustaining Member Plaque with organization name inscribed

#### **Platinum level US \$ 5,000/year**

- All benefits at the Gold level

- Official listings in the programs of IEA conferences and congresses
- Two complimentary registrations for the forthcoming IEA congress
- Organization logo on IEA website home page with active links

**Diamond level US \$ 10,000/year**

- All benefits at the Platinum level
- Complimentary distribution of materials at IEA congresses
- Display of organization logo at IEA conferences and congresses
- Other benefits such as an invited address by an IEA officer can be negotiated

**Star level US \$ 25,000/year**

- All benefits at the Diamond level
- Additional three complimentary registration for the next IEA congress
- Acknowledgments on the inside front cover of the Congress program brochure
- Free exhibit booth and distribution of promotional materials at IEA Congress
- Additional benefits can be negotiated

***IEA Individual Sustaining Membership or IEA Sustaining Fellow***

Individual Sustaining Members support the advancement of human factors and ergonomics internationally through voluntary annual contributions. Such support enables IEA to undertake projects and initiatives that cannot be covered by Federated Society dues alone.

IEA Individual Sustaining Members or Sustaining Fellows may contribute in the following categories:

- **Contributor** (annual contribution of US \$200)
- **Supporter** (annual contribution of US \$500)
- **Benefactor** (annual contribution of US \$1000 and above)

IEA Fellows who become Individual Sustaining Members will be recognized as ‘Sustaining Fellows.’

For all categories, IEA Individual Sustaining Members will be prominently listed on the IEA Web site and will be acknowledged in the programs of all IEA Congresses and endorsed events.

At the IEA Congress, Individual Sustaining Members will receive a special ribbon, and will be acknowledged from the podium at the Opening Plenary Session.

At the Benefactor level, Individual Sustaining Members may designate a purpose to which their funds should be assigned; for example, to help support the attendance of a student from a specific country or Federated Society at the IEA Congress.

**IEA Sustaining Membership Form**

Please complete this form to support IEA as a Sustaining Member and email it to the IEA Vice President/Treasurer at [VPTreas@iea.cc](mailto:VPTreas@iea.cc):

Please select a membership level

*Organizational Sustaining Membership*

Gold US \$ 1,000/year

Platinum US \$ 5,000/year \_\_\_\_\_

Diamond US \$ 10,000/year \_\_\_\_\_

Star US \$ 25,000/year \_\_\_\_\_

*Individual Sustaining Membership*

Individual Contributor US \$200/year \_\_\_\_\_

Individual Supporter US \$500/year \_\_\_\_\_

Individual Benefactor US \$1000 and above/year \_\_\_\_\_

Are you an IEA Fellow? \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate member name as it should appear in print:

Name or Contact Person: .....

Organization (if applicable): .....

Address: .....

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Telephone: .....

E-mail: .....

The IEA Vice President/Treasurer will contact you to arrange payment.

**Thank you very much for supporting the IEA!**