



# International Network of Women Engineers and Scientists

... building a better future worldwide

## *An Invitation to Become a Corporate Member*

### Mission of INWES

The International Network of Women Engineers and Scientists (INWES) was established to strengthen the capacity of individuals, organisations, and corporations to influence policies in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) worldwide, and encourage the education, recruitment, retention, support, and advancement of professional women and students through an international network of organisations and experts.

The INWES Education and Research Institute, a charitable organization in Canada and a not-for-profit 501c3 in the USA, was formed to advance education in the fields of STEM and to expand the reach of INWES through funding of charitable projects.

The goal of INWES is to build a better future worldwide through full and effective participation of women and girls in all aspects of STEM. This goal will be accomplished by:

1. Becoming an influential voice on STEM issues for the benefit of women, gender equity, and society.
2. Increasing the presence of women in mainstream STEM decision-making bodies.
3. Promoting exchange of information, networking, advocacy, and opportunities through a number of global and regional events and projects.

### Eligibility for Corporate Membership

An corporation interested in supporting the purpose and the goal of the International Network of Women Engineers and Scientists is eligible for Corporate Membership in the Network upon:

- Providing documentation of policies and/or programs that have similar goals as INWES,
- Payment of annual dues, and
- Identification of a corporate representative.

### Organisational and Individual Memberships also available

### Corporate Membership

Payment of the \$2,500 (US) annual Corporate Membership dues entitles your corporation to become a Corporate Member of INWES, and select a corporate representative and up to four other employees that can participate in INWES activities.

The corporate representative can be nominated for election to the Board of Directors of INWES. A number of Director positions are specifically reserved for Corporate Members.

Corporate Directors will be involved in establishing the policies and strategic direction of the Network. Corporate employees will be encouraged to participate in Network committee activities, and take advantage of the opportunities provided for networking and international programs.

*Note: Corporations from developing countries and countries in transition will pay one third of set fees above (see list on CIDA website: <http://www.acdi-cida.ca/CIDAWEB/webcountry.nsf/index.html>).*

### Corporate Membership Benefits

Your corporation will receive from INWES:

- Link on the INWES website,
- Special access to the INWES website for "Members Only" to review proceedings, reports, studies, book reviews, minutes of meetings, workshop materials, presentations, etc. (details on INWES website),
- Opportunities to participate in regional and international INWES activities,
- Listing in the online INWES Membership Directory,
- Listing in the INWES Annual Report,
- All general INWES mailings, e-mail bulletins, newsletters, regional and triennial international conference announcements, and other reports,
- Access to experts on gender issues on a consultancy basis,
- Information and strategies for career development, and
- Opportunities to co-host conferences, workshops and seminars that focus on gender issues with regards to STEM.

**For more information on INWES, visit our website at [www.inwes.org](http://www.inwes.org)**



Application for Corporate Membership

Name of Corporation: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP/Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Corporate Representative

Surname: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title/Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP/Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Corporate Employees (up to four)

Surname: \_\_\_\_\_ Surname: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Surname: \_\_\_\_\_ Surname: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check all the following options that apply.

- My corporation is applying for a new Corporate Membership in INWES. \$2,500 (US) from my corporation is enclosed to cover one year's dues.
My corporation is from a developing country or a country in transition, and is applying for a new Corporate Membership in INWES. \$833 (US) from my corporation is enclosed to cover one year's dues.
My corporation is interested in making a donation to INWES. Please contact us to discuss potential programs or activities that we may be interested in sponsoring.

Complete this form, and provide the following information on a separate sheet of paper (1 page):

- Brief description of corporation
Brief description of policies, and/or programs with similar goals to INWES (existing corporate policies regarding diversity, and recruitment/advancement of women may be enclosed), and
Reasons for joining INWES.

Payment Method

- Money Order
Master Card
Visa
Wire Transfer

Credit Card Information

Card number: \_\_\_\_\_

Exp. date: \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholder name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Wire transfer to INWES account at:

ScotiaBank #00406
Carleton University, 1125 Colonel By Drive
Ottawa, Ont. K1S 5B6
ACCOUNT NO: 30486 00045 10
INSTITUTION # 002
ABA: 026 002 532

If funds are being transferred from anywhere other than Canada or the USA, use Swift Code NOSCCATT.

Please include sender's name, address, and e-mail.

Send this form with your payment or payment information to Jennifer Poll, Membership Administrator, by fax to ++ 1 (613) 520 5727, or by mail to 2445 Ball Road, RR #3, Chesterville, ON, K0C 1H0 Canada