**Application for Membership**

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

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| **Eligibility for Membership** | |
| The following are eligible for membership of INWES:   1. Network Members: not-for-profit or charitable, incorporated or unincorporated women in STEM organizations, representing networks of women in STEM or organizations whose core work is to support women in STEM; 2. Institutional Members: consisting of post-secondary academic institutions, including universities, colleges, engineering schools, research institutes, with similar goals and missions to INWES; and | 1. Individual Members: individuals interested or engaged in the practice, teaching or other application of science, technology, engineering or mathematics, who are in agreement with the goals and missions of INWES.   Individuals, Networks and Institutions become members by completing and submitting this form and paying their membership dues. After membership application has been received and confirmed by INWES, members may be requested to provide further details to enable INWES to support members and the mission of INWES. |

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| **Benefits of Membership** | |
| Membership of INWES will provide you with:   * Membership rates for INWES activities, * Access to INWES websites including “members only” items to review proceedings, reports, studies, minutes of meetings, etc., * Listing in the online INWES Membership Directory, | * Opportunities to participate in regional and international INWES activities, including the triennial International Conference of Women Engineers and Scientists, ICWES, * Information and strategies for recruitment, retention and career development, * Nomination rights and to be selected as a Board Director, * Voting rights: each INWES member has one vote. |

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| **Membership Fees** | |
| Payment of Annual Membership dues will allow you to become a member of INWES.  Membership runs from 1 July to 30 June each year. | For details of dues and methods of payments please refer to latest information on:  <http://www.inwes.org/payment-options/> |

*IMPORTANT Before completing the application form, please note INWES reserves the right to refuse membership or withdraw membership from any member (individual or organizational) as per the INWES By-Laws 3.08 Discipline of Members, and in particular, should information provided in the application form or as part of confirmation of membership be found to be false.*

**On completion of this application form and send with your payment or payment information to   
Jennifer Poll, Membership Administrator,  
1125 Colonel By Drive, 4456 Mackenzie Building, Ottawa, ON, K1S 5B6. Canada**

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| **Application Information** | | | | | | |
| Are you applying on behalf of…? *(Tick ONE only)* | A Network  An Institution  Yourself? | | If a Network or an Institution, please give the full name of the organization: | | Click or tap here to enter text. | |
| If you are applying on behalf of a Network or an Institution, provide a name for the Key Contact (usually the person completing this form) and address and information for the organization. Otherwise, provide your personal address and other information. | | | | | | |
| Family Name | Click or tap here to enter text. | | | | | |
| Given Name(s) | Click or tap here to enter text. | | | | | |
| Contact Email Address | Click or tap here to enter text. | | | | | |
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| Country | Click or tap here to enter text. | | | ZIP/Postal Code | | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| For individuals only: | | | | | | |
| Employer/ Business/University | Click or tap here to enter text. | | | Your job title or position | | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Are you known by an existing INWES member? | YES  NO | If YES, please give the name and organization of the INWES member: | | Click or tap here to enter text. | | |
| If you belong to other similar organizations, list here: | Click or tap here to enter text. | | | | | |
| For organizations only: | | | | | | |
| Website | Click or tap here to enter text. | | | | | |
| Number in organization | *Please provide an approximate number of members in the Network or employees in the Institution:* Click or tap here to enter text. | | | | | |
| All to complete below. Upon confirmation of your application you will be given the opportunity to find out more about INWES activities and to provide INWES with further information about yourself or the Organization. | | | | | | |
| Please TICK to agree to confirm criteria for joining INWES: | **I/We confirm my/our organization’s objectives, goals, purposes and missions are consistent or complimentary to INWES.** | | | Date | | Click or tap to enter a date. |
| Please re-enter your name to confirm: | | Click or tap here to enter text. |
| Brief reasons for joining INWES, including any INWES activities you may be interested in: | Click or tap here to enter text. | | | | | |

**In case of queries and questions regarding this application form, please email** [**membership@inwes.org**](mailto:membership@inwes.org)