



Join Us

The IES seeks to improve the lighted environment by bringing together those with lighting knowledge and by translating that knowledge into actions that benefit the public.



Illuminating
ENGINEERING SOCIETY



Improving life through quality of light™

When you join the IES, you gain access to a wealth of educational resources, standards, and publications to expand your professional knowledge. As a member, you are part of a peer-based community with countless opportunities to build your professional network and enrich your leadership skills.

Education

The IES is committed to the ongoing development and delivery of cutting-edge education for lighting professionals. Our educational opportunities are designed to share expertise across our community, provide practical, relevant information, and cover a broad range of topics from inspiration to science.

- **Free for IES members:** Monthly live webinars (\$465 value) and three archived webinars with CEU credits annually
- Introduction to Lighting course: Seven-module introduction to the technology and practice of lighting
- Fundamentals of Lighting course: Hosted by IES Sections, this course offers in-depth lighting content and CEUs
- IES eLearning: Over 150 educational programs searchable by topic, speaker, and course type. Earn and track your CEUs.
- Study Groups: Prep course for the NCQLP Lighting Certified (LC) professional exam (up to \$300 discount)
- Educational sessions at conferences like IES The Lighting Conference, IES Street & Area Lighting Conference, virtual Light for Life Symposia, Light + Intelligent Building North America, and more (**Free for IES members:** Light + Intelligent Building North America showfloor access, up to \$125 value)



Research

IES Lighting Research activities encourage and support research projects and programs through collaborative funding, academic research support, and research community development.

- **Free for IES members:** *LEUKOS*, *The Journal of the Illuminating Engineering Society*, an online, quarterly journal
- FIRES Forum, an online space for our lighting community to openly share the latest research and innovations
- IES Reference Retriever: Search for IES Standards, related references, and external research materials
- Research Track at IES The Lighting Conference, including conference papers, technical presentations, and posters



Standards & Recommendations

Our standards are diverse, informative, and timely. A full Lighting Library® subscription includes access to our five collections of more than 100 ANSI-approved standards: Lighting Applications, Lighting Measurements and Testing, Lighting Practice, Lighting Science, and Lighting Roadway & Parking Facilities.

- Full library subscription is only \$249/year for IES members (Regularly \$549/year)
- **Free for IES members:** Lighting Science Standards Collection (\$249 value)
- Standards Toolbox, including the Illuminance Selector and Reference Retriever
- Technical committees, responsible for the creation and oversight of technical documents



“Arguably, no other organization is more important to the lighting industry than the IES.”

—Al Uszynski, *inside.lighting*

Awards & Prestige

The IES recognizes outstanding lighting professionals through a variety of award and recognition programs.

- Scholarships & Grants
- IES Illumination Awards (Save \$100 per submission)
- Society Awards for Technical and Service Achievement
- Fellow Designation

Networking & Leadership

- Local Section Activities: Volunteer, advocate and socialize with industry professionals and colleagues at local meetings and events
- Mentorship Programs: Participate in opportunities & events tailored for Student & Emerging Professionals
- Join an IES committee: Share your time and experience by volunteering for an IES committee
- Present educational sessions at one of our many events
- Expand your professional network and leadership skills
- Visit careercenter.ies.org if you're looking to make a move!



Membership Levels

Student

\$35/year

Students currently enrolled in an accredited degree or vocational program related to the field of illumination.

Specific Benefits:

- Access to grants and scholarships, mentorship opportunities, and the ability to attend international events
- Membership in local sections

University Membership

\$1600/year

Ask about how you can start your University group membership and its benefits!

Emerging Professional

\$125/year

Any individual who is within their first five years of experience/employment in the lighting industry.

Specific Benefits:

- All current privileges and benefits of the Society
- Resources including Emerging Professionals Committee
- Mentorship opportunities with industry professionals,
- Chance to be highlighted in LD+A Magazine
- Participation at Emerging Professionals Day at IES Lighting Conference

Member

\$245/year

Full members of IES are entitled to all current privileges, including ability to serve on the Board or as a Committee Chair.

Full members can be any individual who:

- Graduated from a four-year accredited college or university curriculum related to the science or art of illumination and an active lighting professional for at least five years
- or-
- Obtained a degree from an accredited four-year college or university and made a valuable contribution to illuminating engineering or its literature
- or-
- Have a minimum of 5 years in the practice or teaching of illumination
- or-
- Made an exceptionally valuable contribution to the science or art of illuminating engineering or to its literature

Sustaining Membership (Corporate)

Starting at **\$1350**/year

Sustaining Memberships are the perfect way to support the IES, while providing valuable services and benefits to your company, organization, and employees.

All IES Sustaining Membership levels include significant tax deductible amounts, together with discounts on events, programs, engagement opportunities and access to vital tools and resources such as the Lighting Library, Illuminance Selector, and more. See details at ies.org/sustaining

Learn more about IES membership & join at ies.org/membership

Member Benefits

PREFERENTIAL PRICING

- Lighting Library Subscription
- IES Society-Level Events
- Light + Intelligent Building North America
- On-Demand CEUs
- Educational Courses

EXCLUSIVE CONTENT

- Unlimited Live Webinars
- CEUs
- LD+A Magazine (\$62/yr value)
- Free access to LEUKOS
- Free access to Lighting Science Collection

NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES

- Global Membership Directory
- Local Section Membership
- In-Person Events
- Virtual and Hybrid Events

LEADERSHIP & VOLUNTEERS

- Society Support
- Committees
- Section and Committee Leadership
- IES Board of Directors
- Society Award Eligibility



Illuminating Engineering Society | +1 212.248.5000 | membership@ies.org | ies.org/membership