

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF HYDROGEOLOGISTS

CORPORATE MEMBERSHIP

The International Association of Hydrogeologists (IAH) invites companies who work in the field of groundwater and the environment to become corporate members of the Association. Corporate membership of IAH will provide promotional opportunities for your company, give groundwater professionals on your staff the benefits of personal membership of the Association and improve the resources of IAH to carry out its mission. IAH is the premier, truly international organisation for scientists and engineers working in the fields of groundwater resource planning, development, management and protection. Founded in 1956, we have grown with the increasing environmental and social importance of groundwater to an organisation of over 4000 members in nearly 140 countries.

The mission of the Association is:

- to advance public education and promote and disseminate research in hydrogeology;
- to promote understanding of issues relating to groundwater and its use and protection and to enhance the role of groundwater professionals throughout the world.

The membership of IAH embraces professionals from many related disciplines who have the common goal of the better protection and use of groundwater for the benefit of mankind. IAH works with agencies in the UN system, especially UNESCO, FAO, IAEA and the World Bank, with other water-related NGOs, and is a member of the World Water Council and UNwater. IAH is also affiliated to the International Union of Geological Sciences.

The benefits of corporate membership are as follows:

- 50% discount on advertising space in IAH's printed newsletter, News and Information;
- Promotion opportunities at IAH Congresses and other exposure as a corporate supporter in IAH publicity;
- Recognition of corporate support on the IAH website.

For the basic fee of Euro 485 a company which is a corporate member of IAH can nominate **three** of its employees to have personal membership of the Association. As a member they will receive:

- The Hydrogeology Journal, the official journal of the Association, and one of the major cited international journals dealing with groundwater. Each issue is sent direct to members eight times a year and is also available online.
- Networking opportunities; at meetings and online.
- The option to participate in IAH's mentoring scheme.
- A 30% discount on IAH books from Taylor and Francis, a 20% discount on all Springer-Verlag English-language books, and a 20% discount on all Wiley-Blackwell titles.
- Discounted registration fees at IAH congresses.
- Regular contact and newsletters covering activities in groundwater and within the Association.

They will have the full membership and voting rights of any member of the Association. Reduced corporate member fee rates apply to middle (Euro 300), transitional (Euro 255) and low income (Euro 220) countries.

For an additional fee of Euro 69 per person the company can nominate up to a further three employees to also have personal membership. Therefore a corporate member of IAH can provide the benefits of IAH membership of six members of its professional staff for Euro 692. Similar arrangements can be made for additional members from companies in middle, transitional and low income countries at reduced rates; please contact us for more details.

An application form for corporate membership is overleaf.

Please contact Sharon Warden at the IAH Secretariat if you require further information.

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