

2023 Sponsorship Program

January 1 to December 31, 2023

Illuminating Engineering Society - Toronto Section

MISSION STATEMENT

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.

VISION STATEMENT

The IES will build upon a century of excellence to create the premier lighting community dedicated to promoting the art and science of quality lighting to its members, allied professional organizations and the public.



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The Toronto Section of the Illuminating Engineering Society is a collaborative group of professionals that volunteer their knowledge and time to support and promote the IES Mission and Vision. We are one of the largest and most diverse sections in the IES. Our membership is made up of lighting designers, architects, engineers, sales agents, manufacturers, distributors, contractors, energy management professionals, and educators.

The wealth of knowledge and experience found in our membership inspires us to focus our goals on providing a society that supports growth in knowledge; a society that gives us a place to socialize, share ideas, connect, inspire, recognize industry leaders and innovators; a society that helps emerging professionals find a place where they can be mentored, guided, and belong. We are very fortunate to partner with sponsors who are industry leaders that support many of our initiatives.

At the core of our mission and one of our main initiatives is education. We maintain a calendar that has monthly Technical Luncheons (presented virtually during the pandemic) that encompass a variety of relevant subjects. We encourage you to share topics of interest and participate in discussions that usually erupt after a presentation. Lighting education is an integral part of our DNA, so we offer courses such as the Fundamentals of Lighting Program, an LC Study Group, and the Roadway Lighting Symposium. We are projecting to provide New Post Fundamental Courses, as well as a Controls Symposium. As members you have access to the IES' monthly webinars, the Indispensable Lighting Series, the Trailblazers and Icons Series, and podcasts. The IES' new Lighting Library has been launched and is the resource for anyone in lighting. The IES also offer the Ready Reference App is available for anyone wishing to enhance their lighting acumen, and can be downloaded at https://www.ies.org/education/ies-lighting-ready-reference-app/.

We welcome new members and acknowledge those that have supported us for many years. Personal and professional connections are made at our education and social events. We come together as a society to celebrate some of our most innovative bright stars in the Lighting Industry at the iNova Awards and Gala Event, recognizing their work and contributions, showcasing the lighting designs of our Illumination Award Section and Merit Award recipients. We are inspired by lighting installations around the GTA and explore those by meeting for Lightwalks (organized local visits). We play together annually at the IES Golf Tournament. We are constantly exploring new opportunities for getting our members together to exchange ideas.

Our vibrant IES Toronto Section grows through the support of our sponsors and the tireless work of our volunteers on the Board. Special thanks to all of you! We welcome new volunteers to join us, so that we may continue to cultivate new and inspired ideas. It is with continued effort that we provide value to the IES Membership. Please join our mailing list, visit our website, come and participate in our events and discover the many ways IES Toronto connects you to our lighting community.

Stay safe but remain connected!

Eric Teacher LC MIES

President 2020/2023

IES Toronto Section

2023 IES Programs

Thank you to those organizations who have supported the sponsorship program since its inception in 2008...we look forward to your continued support!

To those who are considering supporting the 2023 IES Toronto Section program, we welcome you and trust that you will discover valuable benefits that accompany sponsorship.

The sponsorship period runs from January 1st to December 31st. We are excited to be returning to a full program of in person events. Your support of the IES Toronto Section will provide your company with valuable recognition in front of a wide variety of members involved in the lighting field. We consistently welcome architects, engineers and lighting designers to our events. Here are some of the IES Toronto Section activities and events planned for 2023...many of these are possible because of your support!

Educational courses

IES "Fundamentals of Lighting" (FOL) **technical luncheons** and an exciting new series of **Lightwalks** which will appeal to a variety of interests and levels of lighting expertise of the participants. The FOL course is our most popular with approximately 90 graduates per year.



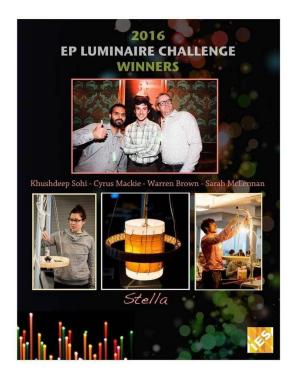
Technical Luncheon seminars are held every month (January-May & September-November, inclusive). They provide opportunities for members to keep up-to-date on new recommended lighting practices, energy code,

technical advances, and lighting techniques. We also seek out experts to deliver informative topics that are relevant to the lighting and electrical industry (which qualify for CEU/LU's). A delicious buffet lunch is also included!

We have seen consistent increases in the number of attendees at these sessions over the past few years. We will continue to work to make sure that the seminars are topical and interesting to our industry with great speakers and subject matter.

Bursaries

Special IES Toronto Section projects such as the **MTU Scholarship Fund**. Each year, a deserving student in the MTU Lighting Certificate program is awarded a \$1000 bursary to assist with education expenses.



Emerging Professionals Program

Networking events and speaker topics geared for those new to the lighting and electrical industry (five years or less experience in lighting). This program encourages young professionals to expand their lighting knowledge and affords opportunities to meet others in an informal setting.

The **Illumination Awards** recognize excellence in lighting design and provide an opportunity for Toronto's IES members and lighting community to come together to honour the Sections Illumination Award winners for superior design and Section Award recipients (in recognition of the Section's long-standing members and contributors).

The iNova Awards Gala will continue to be combined with the 'Illumination and Section

Awards' and is fast becoming the event of the year for our community and was attended by nearly 200 industry guests and award recipients. This event continues to grow in popularity and will be held annually in the Fall.

The venue is always unique...here are some of the locations where we have hosted social events: Studio Event Theatre, The Spoke Club, Drake Hotel, Academy of Spherical Arts, Pravda Vodka bar, Gardiner Museum, Bell LightBox, Thompson Landry Gallery, York Mills Gallery and The Liberty Grand Entertainment Complex.





IES Toronto Section website

www.iestoronto.org

The user-friendly website is also optimized to be viewed on hand-held devices (iPhones, iPad and Android).

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PLATINUM LEVEL: \$5,000

The Platinum Level of sponsorship ensures that your company is recognized as a leader in the support of the Toronto Illuminating Engineering Society. Platinum Level sponsors also receive the following benefits:

- Professionally created signage at each IES event with your corporate logo prominently displayed on a larger, wider banner which illustrates larger logo graphics for greater visibility, brand recognition and impact at every event.
- Your sponsorship will be acknowledged on our frequently visited website.
- Your sponsorship is acknowledged on every correspondence and news blast that the IES Toronto Section sends out by capping out each message with banners illustrating our sponsors' corporate logo.
- Access to the IES CAREER CENTRE. Post openings and find personnel.
- The Platinum Level sponsorship also entitles your company to use your sponsorship dollars (valued at *\$2,000) toward any IES Toronto Section sanctioned event!
- Send your staff/guests to any of the events listed below and <u>you decide how</u> to spend your funds!

Monthly Technical Luncheons, Fundamentals of Lighting, Gala & Illumination Awards, Golf Tournament, Lightwalks, Emerging Professionals events and any other educational seminars <u>hosted</u> by the IES Toronto Section.

(Roadway and Controls workshops may be held in 2023)

*NOTE: You are responsible for utilizing the funds throughout the year. We will provide updates on remaining balance upon request. Any funds not applied toward an event and which remain at the end of the year will be lost and CANNOT be carried over into the next calendar year! Exceptions made for COVID

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GOLD LEVEL: \$3,000

The Gold Level of sponsorship means that your company can positively impact the work of the IES Toronto Section. Gold Level sponsors also receive the following benefits:

- Professionally created signage at each IES event with your corporate logo prominently displayed by means of dedicated banners for each sponsorship category.
- Your sponsorship will be acknowledged on our frequently visited website.
- Your sponsorship is acknowledged on every correspondence and news blast that the IES Toronto Section sends out by capping out each message with banners illustrating our sponsors' corporate logo.
- Access to the IES CAREER CENTRE. Post openings and find personnel.
- The Gold Level sponsorship also entitles your company to use your sponsorship dollars (valued at *\$1,200) toward any IES Toronto Section sanctioned event!
- Send your staff/guests to any of the events listed below and <u>you decide how</u> to spend your funds!

Monthly Technical Luncheons, Fundamentals of Lighting, Gala & Illumination Awards, Golf Tournament, Lightwalks, Emerging Professionals events and any other educational seminar <u>hosted</u> by the IES Toronto Section.

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SILVER LEVEL: \$1,500

The Silver Level of sponsorship means that your company will ensure the IES Toronto Section can continue to carry on with valuable industry activities. Silver Level sponsors also receive the following benefits:

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- Your sponsorship will be acknowledged on our frequently visited website.
- Your sponsorship is acknowledged on every correspondence and news blast that the IES Toronto Section sends out by capping out each message with banners illustrating our sponsors' corporate logo.
- Access to the IES CAREER CENTRE. Post openings and find personnel.
- The Silver Level sponsorship also entitles your company to use your sponsorship dollars (valued at *\$600) toward any IES Toronto Section sanctioned event!
- Send your staff/guests to any of the events listed below and <u>you decide how</u> to spend your funds!

Monthly Technical Luncheons, Fundamentals of Lighting, Gala & Illumination Awards, Golf Tournament, Lightwalks, Emerging Professionals events and any other educational seminar (Roadway and Controls workshop may be held in 2023) hosted by the IES Toronto Section.

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Thank you for your support!

On behalf of the IES Toronto Section Board of Directors, Managers and members, I wish to thank you for your continued support...we are honoured to collaborate with industry leading organizations such as yours in achieving our mission!

Without the continuing support of our sponsors, the IES Toronto Section would not be able to deliver the caliber of educational and technical programs, Emerging Professional Program, or help recognize the outstanding contributions made by the members within our community.

We ask that you continue to sponsor the IES Toronto Section in 2023 and support our mission to increase awareness in our community about the importance of quality lighting!

Kristina Zarembo

IES Toronto Section, Sponsorship Chair



2023 IES Toronto Section - Registration form for $\underline{\text{NEW}}$ sponsors

Company and Contact Information			
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2023 Sponsorship Level:			
		Platinum:	\$5,000
		Gold:	\$3,000
		Silver:	\$1,500
To confirm your NEW sponsorship support of the IES Toronto Section in 2023, please			
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Kristina Zarembo (zarembokristina@gmail.com) or Eric Teacher eric@stllighting.com)			
	I am also submitting our corporate logo in <u>eps</u> or <u>vector</u> format.		
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