Industrial Affiliates Program
Membership Form
Academic Year 2015–2016

Yes, my company, ____________________________________________, would like to join the Texas A&M University Department of Computer Science and Engineering’s Industrial Affiliates Program for the 2015–2016 academic year, at the following level:

[    ] Platinum Level—$20,000
Up to six (6) company representatives may attend the IAP events.
A Platinum Level Membership fee includes eight (8) scholarships in your company’s name.

[    ] Gold Level—$10,000
Up to four (4) company representatives may attend the IAP events.
A Gold Level Membership fee includes four (4) scholarships in your company’s name.

[    ] Silver Level—$5,000
Up to three (3) company representatives may attend the IAP events.
A Silver Level Membership fee includes two (2) scholarships in your company’s name.

For Government and Non-Profit Organizations only
[    ] Bronze Level—$2,500
Up to two (2) organization representatives may attend the IAP meetings.
A Bronze Level Membership fee includes one (1) scholarship in your organization’s name.

In addition to the scholarships, memberships also support student activities such as student conference travel assistance, the IAP Recruiting Event and Reception/CSE-Only Career Fair, the Fall Picnic, the Spring Banquet, the Research Poster Competitions (cash awards) and other activities.

Based on the membership level selected, list the names of your company’s representatives that may be attending events and their email addresses. (To avoid losing contact with us, consider a general email address for the recruiting team such as tamuCSErecruiting@yourcompany.com. You may wish to include technical personnel for research focused events).

Main Contact
(Invoicing):

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Make your check payable to: Texas A&M University

Mail your check and this form to: IAP Coordinator
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3112 TAMU
Texas A&M University
College Station, TX 77843-3112

If you have any questions, please contact Taffie Behringer at (979) 845-5275 or email taffie@cse.tamu.edu.

Thank you for your support!
Industrial Affiliates Program

The Industrial Affiliates Program (IAP) is comprised of industry representatives who have a professional interest in the well-being of the Texas A&M University Department of Computer Science and Engineering and are willing to help us form and achieve our goals.

The purpose of the program is to improve relationships between the department and industry. That is, to improve the department’s knowledge of industry needs and practices, to keep industrial affiliates informed about the department’s research and teaching goals, to help the department better prepare students for real-world careers, to help place students, and to make department/industry collaborations more likely.

Summary of Membership Benefits

- Influence curriculum. IAP members can give feedback on graduates, on teaching aims and approaches, and give insight to significant long-term industry trends
- Receive student scholarships awarded in the company's name as per the membership level. Companies receive the recipients’ names and email addresses, and the company representatives are seated with their recipients at a spring banquet.
- Opportunity to help increase diversity in our student population
- Attendance at twice-yearly IAP events. The fall event and reception/CSE-only career fair focuses on recruiting. The spring event consists of a meeting with faculty research presentations and a spring banquet. Both events include a research poster competition judged by IAP members and provide opportunities to visit with faculty and students.
- Access to the CSE Student Résumé Bank
- Interaction with our students through classroom speaking invitations and sponsorship opportunities
- Assistance with talks/events promotion and job announcements
- Information exchange, gaining information from our faculty about current research directions and projects that are synergistic with the company’s goals
- Company logo on IAP website page, in distributed literature, on IAP recognition and event monitor, and lobby monitors