

JOIN THE PROFESSIONAL BODY FOR KNOWLEDGE TRANSFER



'The Institute of Knowledge Transfer exists for those who are professionally engaged in making the exchange of knowledge more effective. I want the Institute to be of equal value to everyone involved in the process; from the innovators, to those immersed in science and technology, to those within the creative arts. The Institute's agenda is to be set by its members; it is the members that give it life. As the first Institute of this kind in the world others will watch our evolution. With the help of those who have already joined us, the Institute is currently developing the services required by members. Mentoring is one example and is an important step in sharing the experiences of a new profession'. Sir Brian Fender, President and Chairman.

IKT MEMBERSHIP

Join the professional body for the Knowledge Transfer Professional

Whether you're a seasoned Knowledge Transfer (KT) professional, someone new to the game and finding your way around, or just interested in what KT can do for you or your business, the IKT could play a significant role in your career.

The Institute of Knowledge Transfer (IKT) sets standards for the development of the profession and addresses issues surrounding accreditation, certification and training. The IKT is fast becoming a major force, helping KT professionals work effectively by drawing on best international practice.

Every member of the Knowledge Transfer industry is actively encouraged to become involved. Associate Member fees are £56 whilst full Membership is £75. For more details please call 07595 217910 or visit www.ikt.org.uk

Benefit Overview

- The use of the designatory letters **MInstKT** and **AMInstKT**
- Membership area of the IKT website and the GiNNN community network (www.ginnn.com)
- Access to Membership Lounge and Meeting Facilities at 76 Portland Place, London
- Access to the IKT's mentoring scheme which includes mentors from IKT's partnership organisations
- Notification of events and conferences such as our Research Into Practice of Knowledge Transfer Seminar Series

ORGANISATIONAL SPONSORED MEMBERSHIP

Organisations can play a role in the development in their KT professionals.

Since our launch, the IKT has accredited as Associate and full Members, individuals who recognise that the field of knowledge transfer is either central or significantly related to their careers. The IKT now wishes to take the next step in enhancing professionals' access to the Institute and its development services, by inviting leading organisations with an interest in knowledge transfer, from the UK and beyond, to sponsor its staff to become Associate Members.

Sponsors are able to nominate any number of employees as Associates. This membership will give them, and hence their organisation, access to a wide range of the IKT's services. For example continuing professional development, current information, mentoring and networking. We will also recognise and promote your organisation as an employer that takes a keen and active interest in the professional development of your employees and the workplace.

Cost of Sponsorship

- For up to 5 nominations, our normal associate membership of £56 will apply.
- For 5 or more nominations we will apply a 10% discount to the first year's membership fee.
- Rates could be reduced where it is possible and appropriate for the IKT to become an institutional member of your organisation.

RECOGNISED COURSE PROVIDER STATUS

Join an ever increasing number of reputed training providers of KT.

The IKT sets the highest standards for the development of its profession and is keen to help KT professionals work more effectively by providing support and guidance on a range of relevant KT Training and Development (T&D) and Continuing Professional Development (CPD) courses and qualifications. The IKT actively seeks providers of best practice Knowledge Transfer training and development and/or CPD who could become recognised suppliers.

Cost of Recognition

- For Organisational Sponsors - £100 per annum
- For non-sponsors - £500 per annum

RESEARCH INTO KNOWLEDGE TRANSFER PRACTICE

From Innovation to Dissemination.

The IKT is identifying and investigating the issues that arise from and underpin our KT activities by assessing their impact, in economic, social, and cultural terms. Understanding them will help to inform the future shape and direction of KT, as well as supporting relationships and interactions among KT 'actors' and stakeholders, including government and business. A series of seminars will be held throughout the coming year. Please contact the IKT to take part.

Forthcoming Seminar

- 10th February 2009 - The IKT's first Academic Underpinning Research Seminar. Held at STFC, Daresbury.
- for a free place please contact the IKT