

Benefits of membership of the CIMAC UK National Members' Association

As a member of the CIMAC UK National Members' Association you will be able to participate in UK events organised by our committee that are related to the large engine sector. You also will be invited to the Members' Day and AGM that is held annually, usually in November. That is a full day event where presentations are made on a topical theme in an interesting venue.

Membership of the UK NMA confers membership of the global CIMAC organisation. As a member of the UK NMA you will enjoy access to member-only areas of CIMAC, i.e. the technical database that includes technical papers presented at CIMAC Congress, and the Working Group reports. As a member you are also able to participate in working groups.

The CIMAC Congress is held in one of the CIMAC Member countries once every three years (next year jointly hosted by Canada and USA in Vancouver, see <http://www.cimaccongress.com>) and is an event where several hundred technical papers are presented to showcase the state-of-the-art across the large engine sector.

CIMAC members regularly raise issues which affect us all but with which no individual company can make progress because of lack of information or influence. CIMAC arranges for international specialists amongst our members to form a Working Group to resolve these issues. They then produce a united CIMAC recommendation or a CIMAC position paper speaking for our industry as a whole. These recommendations often form the basis of subsequent standards or techniques which are used throughout the industry. While other people may bring outside information into our Working Groups by limited invitation it is only CIMAC members who are permitted to become full and long-term members of CIMAC Working Groups and thus significantly influence the engine industry.

Current working groups are:

- WG2 | Classification
- WG4 | Crankshaft Rules
- WG5 | Exhaust Emissions Control
- WG7 | Fuels
- WG8 | Marine Lubricants
- WG10 | Users
- WG15 | Controls & Automation
- WG17 | Gas Engines
- WG19 | Inland Waterway Vessels
- WG20 | System Integration

CIMAC offers a wide range of publications in order to inform its members, the community of the large internal combustion engine industry as a whole, as well as the interested public about our activities, events, positions, etc. This is accomplished by CIMAC newsletters and press releases, and in the form of publications such as guidelines or recommendations, which are typically prepared by the CIMAC Working Groups.

In addition CIMAC maintain a Technical Database where all CIMAC Congress articles since 1951 are available for members. This database aims to offer state of the art-information regarding internal combustion engines and its components and accessories worldwide; it includes also the Technical Recommendations.

Since 2011, Springer publishes the MTZ industrial as the official CIMAC magazine twice a year. It is the perfect medium to inform an audience of engine, component and engine system developers and users, both at CIMAC member companies, and in the global large engine industry as a whole. With its unique editorial philosophy, MTZ industrial publishes in particular technical articles such as CIMAC Congress Papers in considerable length and detail. As a CIMAC member, you can subscribe for regular shipment of the MTZ industrial free of charge.

Last but not least, CIMAC publish 'Special Printings' when any kind of CIMAC article has been published in other journals.

Company membership enables any UK-based individuals within your company to obtain access to the CIMAC members' areas.

Cost of company membership to the CIMAC UK NMA is currently £650.00 p.a.

The CIMAC UK NMA is registered as a non-profit organisation run by volunteers and is VAT-exempt.

We look forward to being able to welcome you to our Association.