

Chairman's Message

Welcome to the web page of Associate Members Committee (AMC). Thank you for all fellow members electing me as the Chairman of this Session. I am very glad to have the support from the Committee Members and the members.

Our mission is to promulgate activities of a technical and social nature for the Associate Members of the Institution. With the leadership of the Immediate Past Chairman, Mr Daniel Cheung, and the strong support of all Committee members, the Committee had joyfully experienced a very exciting and challenging year. A lot of technical seminars and visits had been arranged in last year.

As AMC is a multi-disciplinary group of professionals, I will make my best endeavour to maintain the momentum and make this year to be rewarding. Looking forward, I presume it will be a busy session for AMC. We will be dedicated to organizing high-quality seminars and technical visits to inspire the Associate Members to the culture of continuous learning.

I am pleased to witness the birth and growth of Associate Members of the Institution since its embryonic stage three years ago when the profession of Associate Members was officially recognized in the Sydney Accord and Engineering Technologist Mobility Forum (ETMF). It is a good time and of great importance for Associate Members in our continuing effort to gain recognition from the Government such as Departments under the Environment, Transport and Works Bureau and other corporate bodies. With the efforts of the Past Chairmen, the Committee has made great advances towards our recognition. I will continue to proceed in this direction and hope that we will be able to attain such recognition soon.

Furthermore, formal training programmes in three pioneer disciplines i.e. Building Services, Civil and Manufacturing & Industrial Engineering and the Continuing Professional Development (CPD) requirements for the training scheme for the Associate Members were implemented last year. The CPD programme ensures that engineers continue to keep abreast of the developments in the engineering profession. These new initiatives should yield extensive growth in our membership and increase community's appreciation of our longstanding commitments to professional excellence.

All Committee members and I would like to encourage you to actively participate in our activities, attend technical talks and technical visits organized by the Committee. Your continuous support to the Committee would surely drive us to another successful and fruitful year. More importantly, our march in step to achieve our goals would be a meaningful experience.



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