

The 115th IDEA Annual Conference will explore emerging technologies, encourage collaborative discussion and enable peer exchange to accelerate continued investment in district energy. The 2024 conference will bring together industry leaders, energy and environmental experts and business partners from around the globe.

Get your company in front of an informed, influential audience.

# SELECT THE SPONSOR LEVEL TO BEST SUIT YOUR NEEDS.

# Leadership. Inspiration. Vision.

IDEA Sponsors will help to support education and encourage new approaches for integrated energy in cities. A portion of sponsor proceeds will help underwrite participation of invited public leaders from cities, communities and institutions, including college energy and sustainability clubs.

# **Local Industry in Action.**

Orlando features a state-of-the-art district cooling system providing low-carbon, innovative and sustainable services to cities, campuses and communities. IDEA is planning tours to showcase local industry leadership.

# **Global Industry Leaders.**

The IDEA Annual Conference historically attracts global business leaders from dozens of countries and hundreds of cities across North America, Europe, Middle East, and Asia, sharing best practices in launching, optimizing and expanding highly valuable systems for world-class cities.

Pre-conference workshops will augment a robust conference program, drawn from experienced district energy professionals and carefully curated. In recent years, over 800 registrants participated from 20 countries and 275 different cities.

# Technologies and Innovations on Display.

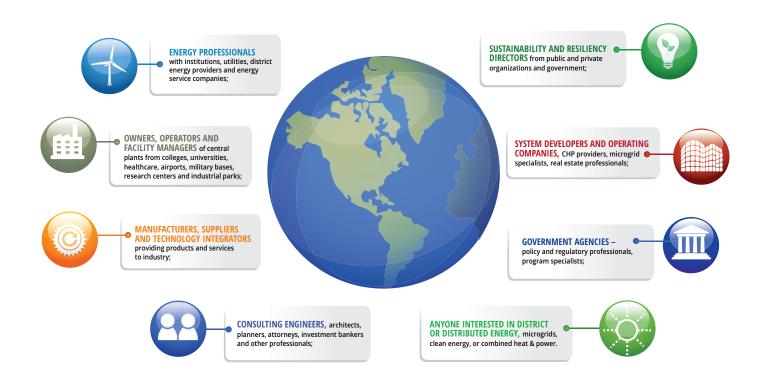
Over 100 leading technology suppliers, consultants and integrators share the latest in equipment and solutions in a relaxed trade show setting, perfect for cultivating new opportunities and collaboration. Refreshments, networking, gifts and raffles enable personal connections.

# **IDEA Sponsors are Key to a Successful Conference.**

Sponsors are amply recognized for their important contributions to the success of the conference and receive unique visibility at IDEA. Demonstrate your industry leadership and commitment and differentiate your firm as a sponsor. Enjoy special opportunities and enhanced visibility while capturing value and savings for your clients and staff.



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# What People Say

# ABOUT IDEA

# I DIRECTLY ATTRIBUTE THERMO'S BUSINESS GROWTH with affiliation with IDEA. In the 13 years we have been actively engaged with IDEA our district energy business has grown by over 10X. Further, the relationships and friendships we have developed, and the training and knowledge our staff has gained, cannot be measured in dollars. I am looking forward to our next 13 years with IDEA.

David Musto
Thermo Systems





FOR EVERYTHING WE PUT INTO
THE ORGANIZATION we get ten-times
that amount back. So we really feel like
this is probably the highest value trade
association that we can participate in... it is
a great investment and it always pays off.

Bob Smith RMF Engineering, Inc.

SPONSORSHIP LEVEL	DIAMOND \$30,000 USD	PLATINUM \$20,000 USD	GOLD \$10,000 USD	SILVER \$5,000 USD	BRONZE \$3,000 USD
Company Promotion					
Advertisement in <i>District Energy</i> magazine	2X Full-page	2X Full-page	1X Half-page		
Web banner ad on IDEA's website	1 year	6 months	3 months		
Visibility – Event Sponsor Opportunities	Premier Conference Sponsor & Chair's Dinner	Exhibit Hall Reception	Luncheon, Workshop	Breakfast, Dessert, Refreshment Break	
Option to participate in Industry Leaders Plenary Panel Discussion	•				
Option to participate in "Meet the Experts" panel discussion		•			
Optional Executive Podcast Interview <i>OR</i> Industry Leader's Vision Discussion – (Released on IDEA website and social media platforms)	•				
Banner ad placement in IDEA's – This Week in District Energy email	-	•	-	-	
Primary logo placement in home screen of event mobile application	-	•			
Mobile application listing	•	•	•	-	
Social media post during conference announcing sponsor participation	-	•	-	-	
Company logo/ link to your website from IDEA conference website	-		•		
Company listing in <i>District Energy</i> magazine	-		•	-	
Visual and verbal recognition of your sponsorship at the conference	•	•	-	-	
Company logo on signage at the conference	-	•	•	-	
Full attendee list, post event	-		•		
Conference Participation					
Full conference registrations	6	4	2	1	
Additional guest passes for dinner	7	5	3	2	1
Conference participation featured in media notices	-	•			
All registered staff given sponsor ribbons for name badge	-	•	-	-	
Place company brochure or giveaway on table near registration desk	-	•	•		

# DIAMOND SPONSOR - \$30,000 USD Benefits:

- Complimentary full registrations for six (6) people to attend the conference, including all meals and receptions
- Large, top company logo recognition during conference including rolling slides, general session slides, meals and breaks throughout the conference, and signage
- Large, top company logo recognition in all event materials and link to your company website - including the conference website, mobile application and promotional emails
- Option to participate in Industry Leaders Plenary Panel Discussion
- Optional Executive Podcast Interview (Released on all IDEA social media platforms prior to Conference) OR Industry Leader's Vision Discussion. (Virtual panel recorded and promoted in advance of event. Deadline to participate Jan. 27)
- · Access to the attendee list following the conference
- Home screen logo placement on event's mobile application
- Customizable mobile application listing upload documents, add additional pictures and personalize your listing for conference attendees to view
- Two (2) full-page advertisements in District Energy magazine
- Web banner advertisement on IDEA's website for 12 months
- Banner ad placement in IDEA's This Week in District Energy email
- Social media post announcing sponsor participation
- · Company listing in District Energy magazine
- Conference participation featured in media notices
- Seven (7) complimentary passes for dinner
- All registered staff given sponsor ribbon for name badge
- Place company brochure on table near registration desk
- Listed as premier conference sponsor and Chair's Dinner

# PLATINUM SPONSOR – \$20,000 USD

### Benefits:

- Complimentary full registrations for four (4) people to attend the conference, including all meals and receptions
- Large, top company logo recognition during conference including rolling slides, general session slides, meals and breaks throughout the conference, and signage
- Large, top company logo recognition in all event materials and link to your company website - including the conference website, mobile application and promotional emails
- · Access to the attendee list following the conference
- Option to participate in "Meet the Experts" panel discussion
- Home screen logo placement on event's mobile application
- Customizable mobile application listing upload documents, add additional pictures and personalize your listing for conference attendees to view
- Two (2) full-page advertisements in District Energy magazine
- · Web banner advertisement on IDEA's website for 6 months
- Banner ad placement in IDEA's This Week in District Energy email
- Social media post announcing sponsor participation
- Company listing in District Energy magazine
- Conference participation featured in media notices
- · Five (5) complimentary passes for dinner
- · All registered staff given sponsor ribbon for name badge
- Place company brochure on table near registration desk
- Option to be listed as the sponsor of a specific event **Exhibit Hall Reception**





# GOLD SPONSOR - \$10,000 USD

### Benefits:

- Complimentary registrations for two (2) people to attend the conference, including all meals and receptions
- Company logo recognition during conference including rolling slides, general session slides, meals and breaks throughout the conference, and signage
- Company logo recognition in all event materials and link to your company website – including the conference website, mobile application and promotional emails
- · Mobile application listing
- Access to the attendee list following the conference
- One half-page advertisement in District Energy magazine
- Web banner advertisement on IDEA's website for 3 months
- Banner ad placement in IDEA's This Week in District Energy email
- Social media post announcing sponsor participation
- · Company listing in District Energy magazine
- Three (3) complimentary passes for dinner
- · All registered staff given sponsor ribbon for name badge
- Place company brochure on table near registration desk
- Option to be listed as the sponsor of one event Luncheon or Workshop



# SILVER SPONSOR - \$5,000 USD

# Benefits:

- Complimentary registration for one (1) person to attend the conference, including all meals and receptions
- Company logo recognition during conference including rolling slides, general session slides, meals and breaks throughout the conference, and signage
- Company logo recognition in all event materials and link to your company website – including the conference website, mobile application and promotional emails
- Mobile application listing
- Banner ad placement in IDEA's This Week in District Energy email
- Social media post announcing sponsor participation
- Access to the attendee list following the conference
- Company listing in District Energy Magazine
- Two (2) complimentary passes for dinner
- All registered staff given sponsor ribbon for name badge
- Place company brochure on table near registration desk
- Option to be listed as the sponsor of one event Breakfast,
   Dessert Break or Refreshment Break

# **BRONZE SPONSOR – \$3,000 USD**

# Benefits:

- Company logo recognition during conference including rolling slides, general session slides, meals and breaks throughout the conference, and signage
- Company logo recognition in all event materials and link to your company website – including the conference website, mobile application and promotional emails
- Access to the attendee list following the conference
- Company listing in District Energy Magazine
- One (1) complimentary pass for dinner
- All registered staff given sponsor ribbon for name badge

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Signature								

Please send a digital file (jpg AND eps) of your company logo to:

tanya.idea@districtenergy.org.

(The logo will be used on sponsorship signage and various conference materials.)

# **Questions?**

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