

IDEA's 2026 Annual Sustaining Sponsor Program

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From the beginning in 1909, IDEA members have been committed to informing, educating and advancing the benefits of district energy systems. The Sustaining Sponsor Program supports that mission throughout the year, providing multiple opportunities to showcase innovation, share best practices and promote more resilient and sustainable district energy systems in cities, campuses and communities around the world.

IDEA is pleased to offer Annual Sustaining Sponsorships that provide a higher platform of visibility, strengthen our core abilities to educate and advocate, and distinguishes our Sustaining Sponsors as true industry leaders in their field.

ANNUAL SUSTAINING SPONSORS WILL HELP TO UNDERWRITE:

- Enhanced education and outreach to showcase the innovation, economic and environmental advantages of district energy systems;
- Timely research and professional advocacy on important industry and regulatory issues;
- Industry support and engagement with public agencies and federal, state, provincial and local governments

In consideration, Annual Sustaining Sponsors will be recognized at both CampusEnergy2026 and IDEA2026 conferences and receive benefits and recognition exclusive to only sustaining sponsors.. See the grid of benefits for each level of sponsorship.

SPONSORSHIP BENEFITS	DIAMOND \$75,000 USD	PLATINUM \$50,000 USD	GOLD \$25,000 USD
CampusEnergy2026 Conference Sponsor Recognition (All benefits of each sponsorship level)	Diamond	Platinum	Gold
IDEA2026 Conference Sponsorship Recognition (All benefits of each sponsorship level)	Diamond	Platinum	Gold
IDEA promoted, moderated and managed webinar and/or podcast featuring sponsor content and/or full page editorial feature in <i>District Energy</i> magazine and/or social media/blog to showcase innovation or executive leadership	3 events	2 events	1 event
Logo on IDEA broadcast emails – exclusive benefit to Annual Sustaining Sponsors	■	■	■
Banner ad on IDEA website for the entire year	■	■	■
Logo on IDEA website homepage – exclusive benefit to Annual Sustaining Sponsors	■	■	■

See conference sponsorship documents (on pages 2 & 3) for details of sponsorship benefits for each conference.

“Being part of IDEA has been an extraordinary journey. IDEA events create a space where the global industry experts who gather can share their invaluable expertise to enhance project outcomes in an environment where the opportunity for career growth and the formation of lasting friendships flourishes. Our commitment as a sponsor for over two decades, and as a sustaining sponsor for nearly half that time, is a testament to the high caliber of IDEA's event attendees.”

— Samuel Chatterton, Vice President, Johnson Controls, Inc.



To make your commitment to IDEA, please complete the attached form or contact:
Tanya Kozel, Director of Sales, +1 410-798-1696 or tanya.idea@districtenergy.org.

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SPONSORSHIP LEVEL	DIAMOND \$30,000 USD	PLATINUM \$20,000 USD	GOLD \$10,000 USD	SILVER \$5,000 USD	BRONZE \$3,500 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	Exhibit Hall Reception	Luncheon, Workshop	Breakfast, Dessert, Refreshment Break	
Banner ad placement in IDEA's – <i>This Week in District Energy</i> email	■	■	■	■	
Primary logo placement in home screen of event mobile application	■				
Logo and listing in mobile application	■	■	■	■	■
Optional Executive Podcast Interview OR Industry Leader's Vision Discussion – (Released on IDEA website and social media platforms)	■				
Option to show a brief informational or promotional video to conference audience (subject to time constraints and pre-screening by IDEA.)	■				
Student Session Participation	■	■	■		
Social media visibility prior to conference	■	■	■		
Social media posts 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	■	■	■	■	■
Place company brochure or giveaway on table near registration desk	■	■	■	■	
Conference Participation					
Full conference registrations	6	4	2	1	
Conference participation featured in media notices	■	■			
All registered staff given sponsor ribbons for name badge	■	■	■	■	■

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Visibility – Event Sponsor Opportunities	Premier Conference Sponsor & Opening Session	Exhibit Hall Reception	Luncheon, Workshop	Breakfast, Dessert, Refreshment Break	
Option to participate in Panel Discussion	■	■			
Optional Executive Podcast Interview OR Industry Leader's Vision Discussion	■				
Option to show a brief informational or promotional video to conference audience (subject to time constraints and screening by IDEA.)	■				
Banner ad placement in <i>IDEA's – This Week in District Energy</i> email	■	■	■	■	
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Name _____

Company _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____

Country _____ Zip/Postal Code _____

Office Phone _____ Mobile Phone _____

Email _____

Website _____

SPONSORSHIP LEVEL

☐ Diamond: \$75,000 USD

☐ Platinum: \$50,000 USD

☐ Gold: \$25,000 USD

PAYMENT

Once approved, you will be invoiced. Payments can be made by:

- Check – payable to International District Energy Association in US Dollars and drawn on a US bank.
- Wire Transfer/ACH – contact Cheryl Jacques cheryl.idea@districtenergy.org for instructions.
- Credit Card (American Express, VISA, Mastercard, Discover) – a secure link will be sent with the invoice.

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.)

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