

Institute of Circuit Technology

Objectives

The Objectives of the Institute of Circuit Technology are:

- To provide a forum for members of the Institute of Circuit Technology to discuss the technology of printed circuits and related technology.
- To unite through membership in the Institute persons engaged in the technology of electronic circuit and component design and manufacture employing subtractive or additive processes or a combination thereof, generically referred to as printed circuit technology.
- To seek to improve the standard of knowledge of electronic and electrical circuit design and manufacture employing printed circuit technology and thereby increase the effectiveness of the service provided to industry and commerce. To achieve this by providing opportunities for members to improve their knowledge of materials, processes and practices.
- To develop through research, discussion and the exchange of information a better understanding of the part played by circuit technology in all types of economic endeavour.
- To hold meetings, seminars and training courses for the exchange and dissemination of knowledge and to sponsor national and international meetings for this purpose.
- To co-operate with other overseas organisations formed to improve knowledge and promote interest in circuit technology and with other organisations interested in or concerned with this subject.
- To sponsor educational facilities through colleges, universities, schools, and other organisations for the training of persons in circuit technology.
- To provide such educational facilities where this is expedient by setting up a training college.
- To provide a professional status to those members who are engaged in electronic and electrical circuit design and manufacture, and ancillary services concerned with circuit technology and to secure recognition of this status.
- To make grants to or for the benefit of and education of all such persons (Members or otherwise) as shall be considered likely to benefit from education at technical colleges and at any educational establishment either at home or abroad.
- To create and administer and to assist in the creation and administration of scholarships, exhibitions, bursaries and prizes for the encouragement of study tenable at any educational establishment either at home or abroad and to act as trustees and managers of any property, endowment, bequest, or gift for educational purposes.
- To organise or assist in organising exhibitions, lectures, public meetings, classes and conferences calculated directly or indirectly to advance the cause of education whether general, scientific, technical or professional.
- To purchase, hire, exchange, borrow, accept a gift, donation bequest, or loan of, or in any way acquire and hold, whether temporarily or permanently, for the purpose or advantage of the Institute (so far as the law shall allow, and subject to the sanction or license of the D.T.I. if required) any real or personal property, and in particular any lands, buildings, rooms, furniture, apparatus, machinery, appliance, conveniences and accommodation: and to sell, demise, let, sublet, mortgage or otherwise dispose of the same or any part thereof; and to permit the use of the same, either gratuitously or on such terms as the Institute may think fit, for public or other meetings, lectures, demonstrations, experiments, classes, discussions, or for any other purposes which the Institute may consider advisable.
- To borrow or raise money, and to secure repayment of the same, by mortgage, charge, or lien. or by the issue of debentures or debenture stock promissory notes, or other obligations or securities.
- To invest the monies of the Institute not immediately required for the purpose thereof, upon such securities, or in such a manner as may be determined by the Council.
- To employ managers, teachers, professors, demonstrators, lecturers, librarians, servants and agents, and to employ persons to edit, write, adapt, publish, prepare and print newspaper, pamphlets, journals, reports and books, or to make researches, experiments or demonstration connected with any of the objects of the Institute, and to pay salaries, wages or rewards to any such persons.