



# Hydraulic Institute Academic Partner Program

## Collaboration to Benefit the Global Pump End-User Community



**The Hydraulic Institute** is a manufacturing trade association whose mission is to advance the pump manufacturing industry by becoming the world's resource for pumping solutions through:

- Addressing Pump Systems
- Developing Standards
- Expanding Knowledge and Resources
- Educating the Marketplace
- Advocating for the Industry

HI has long relied on members of the academic community to provide much needed expertise in the review of ANSI/HI pump standards. Occasionally individual academics were invited to consult with standards developing committees, providing knowledge that was simply not available among pump manufacturers. Now, as HI Academic Partners, professors and students at colleges and universities around the world have the opportunity to work alongside HI members contributing their unique expertise to the development of HI's highly regarded pump standards.

The HI Academic Partner program is open to individuals who are employed by or attend a college or university and who wish to contribute to the development of Hydraulic Institute's resources for the pump industry including standards, guidelines, guidebooks, and other educational materials. By connecting to the wealth of ongoing academic research on pumps and pumping systems, HI can produce reference material that will reflect the most current information available.

HI Academic Partners are invited to attend regular meetings of the Institute at reduced registration rates. There they collaborate with engineers at pump manufacturing companies, those who work for companies that manufacture the supplies used in and with pumping equipment, those who provide consulting services, and with end-users of pumps to develop standards and other educational resources for the global pump user community. Academic Partners may also be asked to make educational presentations to attendees at HI conferences or online webinars, sharing their expertise with pump engineers and end-users worldwide.

To become an HI Academic Partner complete the form on the reverse side and mail it with payment of your annual fee to the address provided.

**For more information, please visit:**  
[www.Pumps.org/AcademicPartner](http://www.Pumps.org/AcademicPartner) or  
Contact: [AcademicPartner@Pumps.org](mailto:AcademicPartner@Pumps.org).

### Benefits Include:

- Participation in standards, guidebooks and educational materials development
- Conference and webinar presentation opportunities
- Networking, education and professional development
- Discounted conference registration fees
- Discounts on HI standards, guidebooks, and educational events



# Hydraulic Institute Academic Partner Application

### APPLICANT CONTACT INFORMATION:

NAME

TITLE

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY NAME

ADDRESS

ADDRESS

CITY STATE/ZIP

PHONE

FAX

EMAIL

### Annual Fees:

Academic Partner \$100

### Payment Method

- Check payable to Hydraulic Institute enclosed
- VISA     MasterCard     American Express

NAME ON CARD

CARD NUMBER

EXPIRATION DATE

CARD SECURITY CODE (CVV)

### ELIGIBILITY:

Any individual who is employed by or attends a college or university and who wishes to contribute to the development of Hydraulic Institute's resources for the pump industry including standards, guidelines, guidebooks, and other educational materials is eligible to participate as a Hydraulic Institute Academic Partner.

### EXCLUSIONS:

Individuals employed by corporations that are eligible to join the Hydraulic Institute are not eligible to become HI Academic Partners but are encouraged to apply for membership. Individuals employed by companies whose primary business is in the distribution or reselling of pumps or related pumping equipment are not eligible for the Academic Partner Program.

### PARTICIPATION:

Each Academic Partner must complete a Technical Areas of Expertise Form available for download at [www.Pumps.org/AcademicPartner](http://www.Pumps.org/AcademicPartner). Academic Partners are welcome to attend HI conferences and events at reduced prices. Academic Partnership is on an individual basis and does not extend to the Partner's business colleagues or to the college or university with which he or she is affiliated.

### ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

I have read and attest that I meet the eligibility requirements as described herein and will comply with the participation guidelines outlined above and in the Membership section of the HI web site ([www.Pumps.org](http://www.Pumps.org)). I understand that joining as an HI Academic Partner does not imply membership in the Hydraulic Institute nor does it imply that Academic Partners receive preferential advantage over others in the selection to participate in review and final approval of ANSI/HI standards during the ANSI Canvass Review process. Academic Partners are, however, encouraged to actively participate in HI Committees and attend HI meetings, contributing their unique knowledge and expertise to the drafting and editing of HI standards, guidelines and other educational resources. In submitting this application I agree to abide by the Antitrust Guidelines, the HI Code of Conduct, and all other HI policies and procedures as presently constituted and as may be amended from time to time. Further, I agree not to discredit the products, personnel, activities or policies of the Institute, HI members, associate members, Standards Partners or other Industry or Academic Partners. I understand that failure to comply with the forgoing or any other HI policy or procedure may be sufficient reason for HI to re-evaluate and rescind my Academic Partner status.

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SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

DATE OF APPLICATION

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