

CESMII Membership Types

Membership Benefits	Silver*	Gold*	Platinum*	Observer*
Number of Funded Projects you can lead	One	One	Multiple	
Can participate in multiple Funded Projects	✓	✓	✓	
# Non-Funded Projects can lead or participate in	Multiple	Multiple	Multiple	
Access to the Smart Manufacturing Knowledge Base	✓	✓	✓	
Contribute (Publish) to the Smart Manufacturing Knowledge Base	✓	✓	✓	
Passes to Annual CESMII Smart Conference	10% discount	25% discount	50% discount	10% discount
Access to our Monthly Smart Manufacturing Webcast & Newsletter	✓	✓	✓	✓
Invited to annual membership meeting	✓	✓	✓	✓
Access to Smart Manufacturing Platform capabilities	✓ **	✓ **	✓ **	
Access to Smart Manufacturing Profile Designer	✓	✓	✓	
Request & Prioritize Development of Smart Manufacturing Profiles	✓	✓	✓	
Access to Institute IP	✓ **	✓ **	✓ **	
# of Free Education Credit Hours (towards SM Certificate)	3 (can purchase more)	20 (can purchase more)	40 (can purchase more)	
Seat on the Governance Board			✓ Except for Cost Option B	
Seat on Standing Committees	1	2	Multiple	
Access to Smart Manufacturing Job Marketplace	✓	✓	✓	
Invitation to Funded Project Reviews/Report-Outs	Y/N	Y/N	Y/Y	
Participation in Affinity Groups	✓	✓	✓	***
Membership Eligibility, Fees, and Cost-Sharing Requirements	Silver*	Gold*	Platinum*	Observer*
Manufacturers	Costs: \$4K/year cash + cost-share for All Projects. Eligibility: annual revenues up to \$350M			
System Integrators, Application Vendors, or Machine Builders	Costs: \$4K/year cash + cost-share for All Projects. Eligibility: <100 Employees.			
Hardware Vendors	Costs: \$4K/year cash + cost-share for All Projects. Eligibility: annual revenues up to \$100M			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Academia (excluding Community Colleges) • Non-Profits (eligibility >100 employees) 		Costs- Option A: \$25K/year cash + cost-share for All Projects; or Costs- Option B: \$10K/year cash + \$40K/year cost-share + cost-share for All Projects. (Project cost-share counts towards \$40K/year cost-share req.)	Costs- Option A includes seat on Governance Board: \$50K/year + cost-share for All Projects; or Costs- Option B excludes seat on Governance Board: \$25K/year cash + \$70K/year cost-share + cost-share for All Projects. (Project cost-share counts towards \$70K/year cost-share req.)	Costs: \$1K/year cash

Membership Eligibility, Fees, and Cost-Sharing Requirements	Silver*	Gold*	Platinum*	Observer*
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Small Non-Profits (eligibility <100 employees) • Authorized MEP partners 	Costs: \$4K/year cash + cost-share for All Projects.			Costs: Free
Community Colleges	Costs: - Option A \$4K/year cash + cost-share for All Projects. Costs: - Option B no cash + \$10K/year cost-share + cost-share for All Projects. (Project cost-share counts towards \$10K/year cost-share req.)			Costs: Free
Government Labs and FFRDC's	Costs: Free + cost-share for All Projects. Project cost share can come from project partners. Eligibility: must be approved by CEO to have intrinsic strategic value to CESMII.			Costs: Free

- * Any exceptions require Governance Board Approval
- ** Free access for internal use (R&D testing & evaluation) and non-production purposes
- *** Government Observers can participate

Membership Services for Platinum, Gold, and Silver levels:

- Introductory training curriculum to include primers on Smart Manufacturing, Platform, Testbed and Business Case Development. Curriculum offerings subject to change.
- Intermediate-level training curriculum to include Smart Manufacturing Platform, Train-the-Trainer, SM Solution Evaluation, and Proposal Development. Curriculum offerings subject to change.
- Institute communications: access to SM concepts, knowledge, resources, reports, and Institute intranet.
- Forums for networking and sharing; access to meetings, events, and workshops.
- Network and build relationships.
- Growth opportunities through SM business, markets, and skills.
- Product exposure to provide members with access to product information (for applications, toolkits, etc.) across the Institute.
- Access to and training on SM Platform™ for internal use (R&D testing & evaluation) and non-production purposes.

Extended Services (negotiated and fee based) for Platinum, Gold, and Silver levels:

- Dedicated product support and advanced implementation training, including role-focused curriculum on corporate Smart Manufacturing Roadmap Development and Value Proposition, SM Installation and Operations, and Project and Cost-Share Planning.
- Service-Level Agreements on SM Platform™ and SM Marketplace™ licenses for development, and production.
- Toolkit development and promotion.
- Commercialization planning.
- Testbed implementation planning, design, and integration involving Institute expertise on control strategies, modeling and simulation, and sensor placement.
- Personnel, product, and systems (hardware or software) certifications.

General Notes:

- MEMBER joins the Institute with the intention of remaining a fee-paying MEMBER for at least five (5) years, but there is no obligation to continue membership beyond the first membership period. MEMBER may terminate this Agreement at any time and cease membership in the Institute by giving ninety (90) days written notice prior to the Anniversary Date.
- Standing Committees include Technology, Business, and Outreach, with supporting working groups as needed.
- The CESMII will review all proposed cost share to determine whether it is allowable and will also ensure that all proposed in-kind cost share is valued in a reasonable manner in accordance with 2 CFR 200 and the DOE Cooperative Agreement.
- All Regional Manufacturing Centers (RMC's) must be a Platinum, Gold, or Silver Member in addition to executing a sub-recipient agreement with an approved cost-share contribution with CESMII.
- Must be a Platinum, Gold, or Silver Member to lead and/or participate in All Projects and execute an appropriate agreement with CESMII.
- Definitions:
 - *Funded Projects* receive funding from CESMII
 - *Non-Funded Projects* do not receive any funding from CESMII
 - *All Projects* are any combination of Funded and Non-Funded Projects