

Clinical Engineering Division (CED)

Objectives:

Build a thriving, international division serving as the primary scientific and professional focus for all those who undertake and use Clinical Engineering principles in healthcare delivery, industry, government, NGOs, academia, consumer organizations, consultancies and other stakeholders.

Increase individual and organizational membership from all the above groups throughout the world to generate sponsorship and networking opportunities for clinical engineering field and its members.

Collaborate with global and regional organizations/agencies interested in health technology management to improve the science and increase the outcomes from health technology policy around the world.

Conduct annual international meetings that address the interests and needs of members from all disciplines and backgrounds with an interest in healthcare technology and reflect the CED's international nature.

Develop its website and other means of communication to ensure that the Division and its work and deliverables are conveyed to and understood by its members and all healthcare technology stakeholders.

Work with interested regional CE societies and groups to enable their members to meet electronically and at annual meetings and to collaborate on projects of mutual interest on an ongoing basis.

Work with a publisher to support the publication and diffusion of an increasingly highly ranked peer-reviewed international journal on clinical engineering that meets the interests and needs of the Division scope.

Support the development and exchange of information, scientific methods, expertise and ideas through meetings, publications, newsletters and other information services, educational and other activities to support the development of competent clinical engineers and their interaction with experienced clinical engineering leaders.

Enhance the potential of the CED working groups to serve as a means of building consensus on issues involving CED related to policy matters of importance to the public and private sectors and to facilitate interaction with the professionals practicing in any related area within the wide spectrum of IFMBE membership.

Promote the Division's mission by building strategic relationships with agencies, and interested public and private sector organizations.

Support the initiatives and the development of clinical engineering methodologies in those countries whose stakeholders request such support, including developing countries.

Develop and manage systems for the governance and administration for the Division that are responsive, transparent, professional, and accountable to its members.