A Word From Your President:

We are well underway for 2013 and I hope you all got a chance to recharge and refresh over the Christmas break. It’s important that we recognise the value of time away from our challenging roles and spending quality time with family and friends. We all acknowledge the work/life balance but how many of us actually practice this? Let’s all aim to make improvements and for those who have managed to figure out how to do this, I bet your families are appreciative of your efforts.

We have an exciting year head of us with technical events, international guest speakers and our annual New Zealand Chapter Lighting Design Awards. This year in conjunction with VIVID we have our second SPARC Expo in Sydney. For those that attended the event in 2012 knows the experience is well worth the trip and I encourage all of our industry professional members and corporate members to get across to this event. A lot of planning and improvements have been made and it would be great to see a large New Zealand presence there to support the industry.

Once again I have the full support of an experienced team and I take this opportunity to thank all the IES Chapter Management Committee Members who kindly volunteer and spend countless hours guaranteeing we provide quality events and support to our members.

Looking forward to a successful 2013 and catching up with you all at one of our upcoming events.

Tony Tavita - President IESANZ NZ Chapter

Upcoming Technical Event:

An Overview of Wireless Technologies

Lumen Radio are one of the leading suppliers in wireless data communication technology for lighting applications.

The Vice President of Entertainment at LumenRadio AB in Sweden, Peter Kirkup is in New Zealand and will present an overview of wireless technology and how it can be used to send DMX, Dali, DSI and a number of Ethernet protocols without the use of cable. In addition he will provide a number of case studies of their installations around the world.

This technical event has been sponsored and organised by Kenderdine Electrical and Kenderdine will have a number of their control systems and luminaires linked and on display to demonstrate the possibilities.

The IES NZ Chapter would like to thank Kenderdine for their efforts and support in organising this technical event. Please RSVP to office@kelpls.co.nz
IES NZ CMC Changes:

Welcome Raj Chandra as new Vice President

This year we welcome Raj Chandra to the role of Vice President of the IES NZ Chapter Management Committee, taking over the role from previous VP, Antony Collett.

The IES CMC would like to thank Antony for his contribution as Vice President and Technical Events Co-Ordinator, your tireless efforts have been much appreciated.

In addition to supporting the NZ Chapter President, Tony Tavita in the Vice President role, Raj has also volunteered to take over the Technical Events Co-Ordinator position, and has some exciting technical evenings lined up for 2013.

The IES New Zealand Chapter Management Committee has undergone a few changes for 2013 with Kat Badham leading the Awards Committee Chair, supported by Tony Harford for Sponsorship, Erin Kilpatrick for Marketing, and David Barrett for Finance.

A full listing of the IES NZ Chapter Management Committee contact details have been printed on the back of this newsletter or can be found on the IESANZ website.

IES Technical Meetings:

Call for speakers and suggestions

The aim of the IES NZ Chapter Management Committee is to provide its members with relevant technical seminars and information sharing evenings to help expand our knowledge of technical developments in the industry with which we all work.

We are extending a call out for suggestions on topics you would like us to cover in our technical meetings. Do you have an international guest visiting NZ soon that would like to share knowledge on their topic of expertise?

Please send your suggestions to: nzchapter@iesanz.org

Events Diary 2013:

February 2013

Valentines Day: 14

EMANZ: National Commercial Lighting Expo 27

EMS: An Overview of Wireless Technologies 20

Kenderdine Electrical Office, Auckland CBD

Waitangi Day: 6

EMANZ: National Commercial Lighting Expo 6

Addington Raceway Convention Centre Christchurch

IES Technical Meeting: 27

“An Overview of Wireless Technologies” Kenderdine Electrical Office, Auckland CBD

March 2013

EMANZ: National Commercial Lighting Expo 15

Michael Fowler Centre Wellington

Easter: Have a safe and relaxing long weekend.

April 2013

Easter Monday 1

Massey University Graduation: Takapuna 16

Check with the university for times
Industry News:

A quick guide to what's happening here and abroad

Thank's again to our 2012 Lighting Awards Sponsors:

The IES NZ Chapter Management Committee would again like to express our deepest gratitude to our sponsors of the 2012 Lighting Awards Dinner. Your support is critical to the success of our industry's night of nights, and is very much appreciated.

2012 PLATINUM SPONSORS:

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2012 SILVER SPONSORS:

2012 BRONZE SPONSORS:

Aesthetics Lighting Solutions; Dot Downlights; Safescape; SteelGAL; Tridonic; Versalux

Lighting Mag Correction:

Award of Excellence

The Editors of Lighting Magazine, Rala, have issued a correction to a misprint in the December/January edition of Lighting Magazine.

Cawley Lighting Design's Award of Excellence for lighting the panelled ceiling of Knox Church in Christchurch was incorrectly reported as an Award of Commendation. Click here for details.

IES Memberships:

Issue with website

We have received reports from our members of difficulties with paying for their IES Memberships online on the www.iesanz.org website.

The IESANZ Board are looking into this, however in the meantime, please contact the IESANZ secretariat directly to process payment. Thank you for your patience.
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IES NZ Chapter Membership Options:

There are five different membership grades available to Lighting Industry professionals:

- Associate
- Technician
- Member
- Fellow
- Corporate

For more information on how to become a member, please visit www.iesanz.org or email nzchapter@iesanz.org

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