



**The Institute for Information Infrastructure Protection (I3P)
Managed by Dartmouth College**

Call for Membership Applications

Applications must be received by May 31, 2008.

About the I3P

The Institute for Information Infrastructure Protection (The I3P) is a national Consortium that includes academic institutions, federally-funded labs and non-profit organizations. With a nationwide membership, the I3P brings experts together to identify and help mitigate threats aimed at the U.S. information infrastructure.

Benefits of Membership

I3P Members are part of an active multi-disciplinary research consortium that serves as a national forum to discuss research and policy among peers, promotes collaboration with other leading researchers and policy makers on issues related to information infrastructure. Members help to shape the national cyber security agenda and have opportunities to participate in I3P funded research projects, the I3P fellowship and scholar programs.

Eligibility

Membership in the I3P Consortium is at the institutional level – individuals are not eligible. Membership is open to not-for-profit research and academic institutions actively engaged in research and policy focused on cyber security and information infrastructure protection. Consideration of the strength of an applicant institution's cyber security research and development program will be based on the institution's standing among experts, level of funding, sustained commitment to the mission of the I3P, contributions to professional journals and other publications related to cyber security and the I3P mission, impact or influence of its research, organizational viability, and other factors. Recognizing the multi-disciplinary nature of cyber security issues, under exceptional circumstances institutions with a particular specialty, even those that lack the usually desired breadth and depth, may be considered for membership. Government agencies are not eligible for membership (Article III, Section 1 of the [I3P Bylaws](#)).

Membership Responsibilities

I3P Members must appoint an appropriate Principal Representative with the authority to act on behalf of the member institution in all Consortium matters, as well as an Alternate Representative who may act on behalf of the member institution if the Principal Representative is unavailable. A representative from the I3P Member institution must attend at least two of the quarterly Consortium meetings in a year in order for the institution to remain an active, voting member.

To Apply for Membership

Each application must contain:

- An [Institutional Application Form](#): Note: The application must be endorsed by a person who is authorized to act on behalf of the institution or organization.
- The curriculum vitae or résumé for the proposed principal and alternate representatives.

The completed application packet may be e-mailed to i3p-consortium@dartmouth.edu.
http://www.thei3p.org/repository/membership_application-2008.pdf

The Selection Process

Each March the I3P Executive Committee will determine the number of openings the Consortium has available to offer to new members. Applicants will be invited to complete the I3P Institutional Application and submit it for review by May 31. The full I3P Consortium will vote on each applicant at the summer Consortium meeting. All applicants will be notified of their membership status shortly after the meeting. The Consortium will evaluate each application based on the criteria set forth in Article III, Section 1 of the [I3P Bylaws](#).

Contact Information

For additional information, please contact the I3P via email to i3p-consortium@dartmouth.edu or (603) 646-0787.