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Society

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Join us as a Corporate Patron

Welcome to The Geological Society

Did you know you can join us as a Corporate Patron?

Dear colleague,

In 1807, the thirteen founder members who gathered at the Freemasons Tavern in Covent Garden to inaugurate our Society made an interesting resolution.

They resolved that our purpose was not just 'making geologists acquainted with each other' but also 'stimulating their zeal'. Over 200 years later, our energy and enthusiasm for improving understanding remains undimmed and we have grown to become a world-leading Earth science communicator and publisher.

So, we're not just the oldest national geological society on Earth, but also one of the very best.

We have such a rich history. Why not make it part of your future?

Today, our membership comprises c.12,000 geologists and scientists across the globe. In addition, we have a number of Corporate Patrons: companies from geology-related fields such as energy and mining, who wish to support our work and potentially pursue their own corporate social responsibility objectives through their official association with the Society.

As a not-for-profit organization, we greatly value our Corporate Patrons and offer a wide range of benefits in return for their support.

These include use of meeting rooms at our prestigious central London premises in Burlington House, exclusive networking events, access to publications and other rewards.

You can find out more about the benefits of our Corporate Patron scheme on the following pages. If you think it might be right for your company, please contact our Development Team on +44 (0)20 7434 9944 or email development@geolsoc.org.uk to find out more.

You can be sure of an enthusiastic welcome.

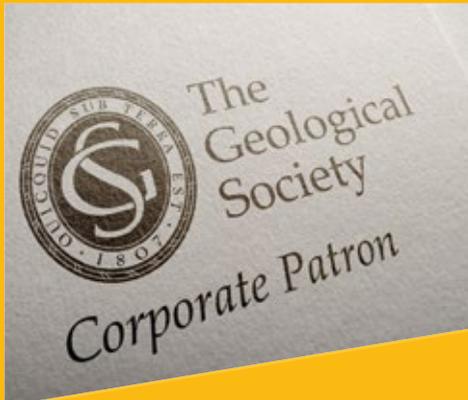
Sincerely,



Malcolm Brown
Chair of the Development Committee



Key benefits for Corporate Patrons



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Official association with the Society, including a Patron certificate and logo, which you can use on your website, plus a rolling acknowledgement on the electronic screen in our reception area and a link from our website to that of your business, to clearly show your commitment to the Earth sciences.

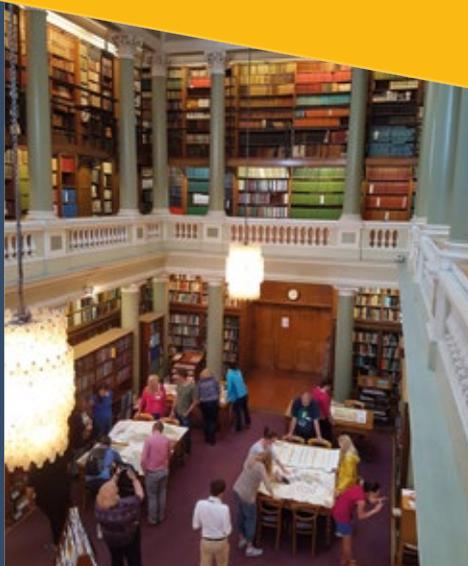
Use of our prestigious central London premises in Burlington House

Employees can access our Lyell Room, Upper Library and Lower Library as informal spaces to work or relax between meetings. Corporate Patrons will also benefit from at least one free use of our impressive meeting rooms.



Access to our world class Library resources and services

The Society has one of the finest Earth science libraries in the world, containing over 300,000 volumes of books and serials, 40,000 maps and access to 600 journal titles. Corporate Patron employees are welcome to use the Library and can borrow up to 12 books and 12 maps (per company) at a time.



Invitations to exclusive Corporate Patron networking events

Typically two per year; a great opportunity to extend your professional circle. Plus invitations to certain Geological Society Business Forum events.

'Access to the Society's historic venue and the unique networking opportunities provided by the Society are all immensely valuable. Even more importantly, we are proud to be associated with an organisation that is relevant to our business and championing the future of geosciences in this ever-changing world.'

Iain Bartholomew,
Subsurface Director, Siccar Point Energy

Free publications and an exclusive Corporate Patron e-newsletter

Our membership magazine, *Geoscientist*, delivered free to your workplace plus a quarterly Corporate Patrons' newsletter.



Special rates on conference attendance

Many of our industry conferences offer special rates for Corporate Patron employees, which may be up to £100 less per attendee than public prices.

Discover more...

These are the core benefits available to all Corporate Patrons. There is also the option to upgrade from Bronze to Silver, Gold or Platinum options, to gain additional benefits and to publicly demonstrate an even greater commitment to the Earth sciences.

Go deeper still to find the Bronze, Silver, Gold and Platinum options

Where do you see yourself?

Breakfast or lunch meeting with our President and/or Executive Secretary

Use of our meeting rooms at least once a quarter, plus use of our lecture theatre at least twice a year

Invitations to our exclusive Geological Society President's Day

Acknowledgement on a special donor board in the Society's reception, alongside key organizations from across the Earth sciences

20% reduction on all venue hire, including our impressive lecture theatre and Lower Library

Opportunities for staff to engage with our education and outreach activities

Special rate of 20% off advertising in *Geoscientist*, to get your message in front of c.12,000 Fellows worldwide

Use of our meeting rooms at least twice a year

Acknowledgement in the Society's Annual Review

Special rates on conference attendance for all staff

Free editions of *Geoscientist* and our Corporate Patron e-newsletter

Invitations to exclusive networking and Geological Society Business Forum events

Access to our world class Library

Use of our meeting rooms at least once a year

Official association with the Society

Annual membership fees

Discounts are available when you sign up for three years.
Reduced prices and savings (pre-VAT): Bronze £1,600 (save £450);
Silver £3,250 (save £750); Gold £6,500 (save £1,500) and Platinum £9,250 (save £2,250)

BRONZE

£1,750
+ VAT

SILVER

£3,500
+ VAT

GOLD

£7,000
+ VAT

PLATINUM

£10,000
+ VAT

Join now or find out more

For further details or to sign up now, please get in touch with our Development Team:
Tel: + 44 (0) 20 7434 9944 Email: development@geolsoc.org.uk
You can also find out more about our work at www.geolsoc.org.uk

This could be the bedrock for building stronger business relationships

Things you may not know about us...

- Our London premises are located in Burlington House, Piccadilly, developed by the government in the nineteenth century as a meeting place for the arts and sciences. This means we share a courtyard with the Royal Academy of Arts, the Royal Astronomical Society and the Royal Society of Chemistry, amongst others.
- As well as a substantial collection of books, journals, archives and maps, our collection features a number of rare and fascinating objects, including an early edition of the first-ever geological map of England and Wales, created by William Smith.
- We are a signatory to the Science Council's Declaration on Diversity, Equality & Inclusion and part of the Diversity and Inclusion Progression Framework Steering Group.
- The Society is the only body in the world to accredit university geoscience programmes, accrediting over 140 in the UK and overseas.
- We also award the professional titles of Chartered Geologist (CGeol) and Chartered Scientist (CSci).
- Our education & outreach program includes a diverse range of school events, teacher training, careers fairs and other activities to engage more young people with the Earth sciences.
- The Geological Society has been making Awards since 1831, when our senior medal, the Wollaston, was first awarded to William Smith. The majority of Awards are presented at our annual President's Day event.

Perhaps it's time to get better acquainted.



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