

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS / INFORMATION

Materials Science and Technology Society of Nigeria is a charitable, non-profit, learned and interdisciplinary professional society, therefore;

- a) Any person interested in the science, engineering, development and application of materials shall be eligible to apply for membership of the Society, but no application from group individuals shall be entertained.
- b) There shall be two broad categories of membership: **Individual** (Fellow, Professional, Associate, Student, and Honorary) and **Institutional/Organizational** (Companies, Institutes, Research Centres, etc.)
 - i. **Professional** Membership grade shall be the main corporate membership grade which is the minimum entry for a university graduate, after the normal 2-year period of experience.
 - ii. **Associate** Membership grade shall be an intermediate grade for those yet to satisfy the requirements for the Professional Membership grade.
- c) **Application for Membership**
 - i. Application for membership shall be made in writing and supported by financial members of the Society in a manner to be approved from time to time by the National Executive Board (NEB).
 - ii. There shall be a registration fee which shall be determined from time to time by the National Council and payable with the application for membership.
 - iii. Council shall consider any such application and if a simple majority of Council members present at a meeting approve the application, then notice shall be given to the applicant of his election and he shall be requested to pay his first annual dues subscription.
 - iv. Having paid his first annual dues subscription, he shall be enrolled as a member and be entitled to all the benefits and privileges of membership and be bound by these rules.
 - v. If an applicant elected as aforesaid shall not have paid his annual dues subscription within two months of being notified of his election, then Council may at its absolute discretion declare the election of such applicant void.
 - vi. Council shall have power to elect to honorary fellowship, any person who has achieved distinction through scientific attainment or by reason of service to the Society.
 - vii. A member retiring from normal employment shall be eligible to enjoy the privileges of full membership at reduced rate.

SUBSCRIPTION

- a) A registration fee shall be paid by anyone applying for membership of the Society. The fee payable by each category of members shall be determined by National Council annually.
- b) An annual subscription of such amount as the Annual General Meeting may decide shall be paid by each member according to membership category.
- c) All subscriptions (except the first subscription of a new member as provided by clause 5 above, shall be payable from 1st October in each year.
- d) If the subscription of any member shall be three months in arrears, notice shall be sent to him calling his attention thereto. If he does not pay the amount due within thirty days of such notice, the Society may forthwith cease to send him any of the Society's publications. If annual subscription of a member shall still be unpaid at the expiration of twelve months from the date it was due, then further notice shall be sent calling his attention thereto. If the subscription be not paid within one month of the posting of such further notice, then he shall be removed from the list of members.
- e) Any person who ceases to be a member under this aforesaid rule may be re-elected to membership, but only after re-application and payment of a re-entry fee to be determined by Council.

The New MSN Membership Application Fees with Effect from 21st November, 2016

S/No.	Category	Registration fee (Form/ Processing) (₦)	Annual Subscription (₦)	Total (₦)
1	Honorary Fellow	250,000.00	25,000.00	275,000.00
2	Fellow	110,000.00	10,000.00	120,000.00

****Guaranty Trust Bank (GTB)* Acct. Name: Materials Science & Technology Society of Nigeria* Acct No: 0171794514****

OUR CORE OBJECTS

- a) The object of the Society shall be to advance and develop all aspects of the science, engineering, technology and use of materials; the study and practice of materials science, engineering and technology; the dissemination to the public of knowledge related to advancement in engineering materials and to encourage and coordinate education therein.
- b) In pursuance of the objects herein defined, the Society may:
 - i. assess, promote, encourage, undertake or organize research in materials science and engineering;
 - ii. organize exhibitions, meetings, lectures, conferences, workshops and examinations for the benefit of materials science, engineering and technology professionals;
 - iii. support career development of members at all levels by providing facilities for their enhancement;
 - iv. forge special relationships with government and public for the appreciation of the special role of materials in technological development;
 - v. affiliate or become affiliated to any national or international scientific and/or professional body of similar objects to those herein defined; and may acquire and undertake all or any part of the assets, liabilities and engagements of any such body which the Society may lawfully acquire.



MATERIALS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY SOCIETY OF NIGERIA (MSN)

(Materials, serving humanity in all fields of endeavour)

National Secretariat: Engineering Materials Development Institute
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Affix a passport-sized photograph

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FELLOWSHIP APPLICATION FORM

1. PERSONAL DATA:

Surname: _____ Title: _____

Other Names (in full) _____

Date and Country of birth: _____ Nationality: _____

Addresses:-

(i) Business _____

(ii) Home: _____

Tel. No: Home _____ Business: _____

E-Mail: _____

2. JUSTIFICATION FOR FELLOWSHIP AWARD:

Have you reached the peak of your career (Yes/No)? _____

State your current Designation / Rank: _____

How long have you been a member of the Society (MSN)? _____

State your current Membership Class: _____ Membership No: _____

State number of Congresses organized by the Society that you have participated: _____

State number of Annual General Meetings of the Society that you have attended (indicate years and venues): _____

Briefly describe your contributions (past and present) to the growth of the Society:

Application Fee Paid: _____

3. EDUCATION & ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS:

Institutions Attended	Qualifications	Area of Specialisation	Year

4. RELEVANT TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE:

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5. MEMBERSHIP OF OTHER PROFESSIONAL BODIES:

S/N	Name of Organization	Position Held	Year

6. RELEVANT EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:

Employer's Name & Address	Position Held	Dates of Appointment

Declaration by Proposer 2 (an active Fellow of MSN):

I have known the applicant for _____ years and I am of the opinion that the applicant is suitable/unsuitable for consideration by the Society for the Fellowship Award

Name: (Block Letters) _____

MSN Fellowship Number: _____

Current Position Held in MSN (if any): _____

Other Professional Qualification(s): _____

Address: _____

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Declaration by Proposer 3 (an active Fellow of MSN):

I have known the applicant for _____ years and I am of the opinion that the applicant is suitable/unsuitable for consideration by the Society for the Fellowship Award

Name: (Block Letters) _____

MSN Fellowship Number: _____

Current Position Held in MSN (if any): _____

Other Professional Qualification(s): _____

Address: _____

Signed: _____

Date: _____

11. CERTIFICATION:

I, _____
the undersigned, certify each and every of the above statement to be complete and correct and that any false declaration should nullify my application.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

(Kindly attach copies of your credentials, recent curriculum vitae and payment receipt of application form)