International Commission on Illumination
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Lighting the future together

VISION & COLOUR, MEASUREMENT, LIGHTING, PHOTOBIOLOGY & PHOTOCHEMISTRY, IMAGE TECHNOLOGY

What we do

Light allows us to see and therefore better perceive and understand the world. At the CIE, we are all about understanding optical radiation, lighting and image technology and in building a bridge between research and application. Deep scientific knowledge and an international community of experts, users and industry come together to make us the international authority within our scope, recognized as such by the CIPM, ISO and the IEC.

Our goals are:

- Providing a forum for open discussion and interchange on scientific fundamentals and applications in all fields related to light and lighting.
- Developing international standards within our scope which are also used on a regional basis.
- Publishing new findings and technologies in optical radiation, lighting, image technology and related fields.
- Cooperating with other international organizations.

Join the network

CIE provides the most important international platform for discussion, standardization and knowledge transfer on vision and colour, measurement of optical radiation, lighting, photobiology and photochemistry, and image technology.

Everyone participating in the CIE can enjoy access to the latest information on these subjects. By connecting authorities, manufacturers and consumers the CIE paves the way for the development of better quality, more economical and more energyefficient solutions. It saves work by offering access to existing knowledge. We provide a platform for international cooperation and exchange where research is mutually recognized.

Let us enlighten your mind – have a closer look at our work:

Working together for 120 years and into the future – be part of our mission.

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