

# IEK WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

WEEK 1 | APRIL 2026



## TOP STORIES THIS WEEK

### The importance of involving professionals in urbanisation

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### The Engineers' Corner

This Week's Feature Interview - Eng. Dr. Emmanuel Osore - Production Engineer

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Dear Member,

The IEK Weekly Newsletter offers a roundup of recent Institution of Engineers of Kenya (IEK) events and upcoming ones, activities by the various committees, and any upcoming developments that affect Engineers and the Built Environment.

This newsletter is a roundup of activities in the 1<sup>st</sup> Week of April 2026 (IEK/NL/183).

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## TRAINERS' BIOS



### Eng. Kevin Nyakundi

PMP | FIDIC Certified Contract Manager | FIDIC Certified Trainer | PMP Accredited Trainer

Eng. Kevin Nyakundi is a Registered Engineer (EBK) and Corporate Member of the Institution of Engineers of Kenya (IEK) with over ten years of distinguished experience leading large-scale infrastructure projects across the public and private sectors. He is a Certified FIDIC Contract Manager, Certified FIDIC Trainer, and Accredited PMP® Instructor with the Project Management Institute (PMI). Kevin also holds a Professional Diploma in FIDIC Contracts from the College of Contract Management, United Kingdom, and is a Certified Senior Construction Professional (PMI-SCP).

Widely respected for his mastery of Project and Contract Management, Infrastructure Project Delivery, and FIDIC Claims Management, Kevin excels in applying international best practices to drive project success and resolve complex contractual matters. His cross-functional expertise—spanning engineering, finance, project leadership, and contract administration—enables him to deliver impactful, transformative learning experiences that equip professionals to lead with clarity, precision, and strategic insight.



### Ronald Kefa,

PMP | MBA | SMC | Prosci Change Management Practitioner

Ronald is a development professional with more than a decade of experience with international NGOs. He has managed public health programs in Water, Sanitation and Health (WASH); Integrated Management of Childhood Illnesses; Elimination of Trachoma, and prevention of avoidable blindness.

He holds an MBA in Global Business & Sustainability from the Catholic University of Milan and is a certified Project Management Professional (PMP). He is also a certified Scrum Master & Prosci certified Change Management Practitioner.

As a PMI accredited PMP Instructor, Ronald has trained hundreds of PMP aspirants and helped them to earn their PMP credential.

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**Dates: Monday 13<sup>th</sup> - Friday 17<sup>th</sup> April, 2026**

**Time: 8:00 am-5:00 pm EAT**

**CPDS: 18**

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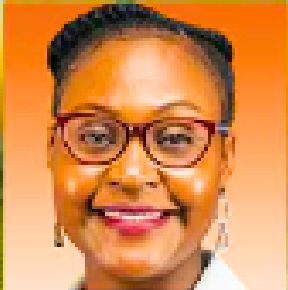
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ENG. JACTON MWEMBE

KATIBU, IEK

## IEK Honorary Secretary emphasizes the importance of involving professionals in urbanisation of cities in Kenya

Tuesday, 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2026

**D**uring a county focus segment on Citizen Television, Engineer Jacton Mwembe, the Honorary Secretary of the Institution of Engineers of Kenya, addressed critical issues surrounding infrastructure development and urbanisation in Kenyan cities, particularly in relation to modern technological demands and the rapidly growing population, especially in Nairobi City.

He acknowledged that most cities in Kenya, including Nairobi, face significant infrastructure challenges. He emphasized the need for a collective effort from the country's leadership to address persistent issues such as frequent flooding and poor sanitation.

He encouraged all engineers in Kenya to strictly adhere to established standards and policies in construction and development. This includes proper planning and awareness of designated land use such as roads, sewage systems, and riparian zones to ensure that flooding risks are mitigated at an early stage.

Additionally, he stressed that the national government, county governments, and the private sector must work collaboratively to ensure that, even as cities expand, developers strictly follow approved designs and designated construction zones. This will help address ongoing challenges such as flooding and building

collapses.

Eng. Mwembe further noted that approval alone is not sufficient. Continuous monitoring and follow-up by relevant government authorities and the private sector are essential to ensure that developments remain within approved parameters and that qualified professionals are involved at every stage of construction.

He also highlighted the importance of embracing modern technologies in building and infrastructure development, alongside proper urban planning. These measures will significantly reduce incidents of flood-related fatalities and building collapses.

Finally, Eng. Mwembe challenged the country's leadership to be deliberate in allocating funds and establishing robust procedures to ensure that urbanisation is steady, well-structured, and capable of accommodating Kenya's growing population.

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## Numerical Machining Complex Limited Industrial Visit Highlights Advanced Computer Numerical Control (CNC) Manufacturing Technologies

Thursday, 2<sup>nd</sup> April, 2026

The Institution of Engineers of Kenya (IEK) in conducted an industrial visit to Numerical Machining Complex Limited providing participants with a valuable opportunity to gain practical exposure to advanced manufacturing and precision engineering processes. The visit offered an in-depth look into the company's operations, with a particular focus on Computer Numerical Control (CNC) machining, industrial component production, and modern fabrication techniques that support Kenya's growing engineering and industrial sectors. Through guided tours and technical demonstrations, participants explored key processes such as metal casting, machining, heat treatment, and quality control systems, gaining a clearer understanding of how raw materials are transformed into high-precision components. The visit also highlighted the role of Numerical Machining Complex Limited in supporting local industries through innovation, technology transfer, and the development of engineering solutions tailored to national needs. A key highlight of the visit was the interactive session with the company's engineering team, where

participants engaged in meaningful discussions, asked questions, and shared insights on industry trends, challenges, and opportunities. These engagements fostered knowledge exchange and provided a platform for bridging the gap between theoretical knowledge and real-world application. Participants left the visit with enhanced technical knowledge, practical insights, and a deeper appreciation of the importance of precision engineering in driving industrial growth. The successful visit underscored IEK's commitment to continuous professional development, industry collaboration, and equipping engineers with the skills and exposure needed to contribute effectively to Kenya's manufacturing and engineering landscape. The visit was attended by IEK President Eng. Shammah Kiteme, reinforcing the Institution's focus on industry collaboration and professional development.

**Numerical Machining Complex Site visit**  
**Thursday, 2<sup>nd</sup> April, 2026**

**PICTORIALS**



## Numerical Machining Complex Site visit

Thursday, 2<sup>nd</sup> April, 2026

### PICTORIALS





## IEK Capital Branch holds a Corporate Social Responsibility Initiative at Zion Empowerment Community

Friday, 3<sup>rd</sup> April, 2026

The Institution of Engineers of Kenya (IEK) Capital Branch successfully held a Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) event at Zion Empowerment Community, reaffirming its commitment to community engagement and social impact. The initiative brought together members of the engineering fraternity to give back to the community while fostering meaningful connections and promoting sustainable development at the grassroots level. The event was graced by IEK President Eng. Shammah Kiteme, alongside Eng. Damaris Oyaro, Capital Branch Chair and Eng. Martin Kidali Lumasia, whose presence underscored the importance of professional involvement in community-driven initiatives. Through this CSR activity, the Capital Branch demonstrated the vital role engineers play beyond technical practice leveraging their expertise and leadership to support and uplift communities. Participants engaged with members of the Zion Empowerment Community, contributing to initiatives aimed at improving livelihoods and creating a positive social impact. The event provided an opportunity for knowledge sharing, mentorship, and collaboration, reflecting IEK's broader mission of integrating engineering solutions with societal needs.

The successful CSR event highlights IEK's continued dedication to not only advancing the engineering profession but also making a tangible difference in communities across Kenya.



## IEK Capital Branch CSR at Zion Empowerment Community Friday, 3<sup>rd</sup> April, 2026

### PICTORIALS



## The Engineers' Corner

### Eng. Dr. Emmanuel Osore - Production Engineer



#### decision-making when these factors conflict?

In production engineering, these three factors often pull in different directions. My approach is to treat quality as the foundation it cannot be compromised. From there, I apply lean automation principles to minimize waste and optimize efficiency, which naturally reduces costs. I rely on data-driven decision-making, simulations, and stakeholder input to strike a balance that is sustainable rather than short-term.

#### 4. Looking back on your engineering journey, which one outstanding project whether personal or group are you most proud of and why do they stand out?

The SMART Solar Box for SMEs in remote setups (2022–2023) is the project I am most proud of. It wasn't just a technical achievement it was a social innovation. By providing affordable, portable energy solutions, we empowered small businesses in underserved areas. It stands out because it combined advanced engineering with real-world impact, proving that technology can directly transform livelihoods.

#### 5. As Chairperson of the Mechanical and Industrial Engineering Department at Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology, what is one change or improvement you are most proud of leading?

As Chairperson, leading the proposal and establishment of the Center of Excellence in Industrial Engineering at MMUST is my proudest achievement. It created a platform for advanced research, industry partnerships, and student innovation. This initiative elevated the department's profile nationally and internationally, positioning it as a hub for manufacturing technology and industrial automation.

#### 6. With your role in curriculum development and review, how do you ensure that engineering education remains relevant to today's industry needs?

I ensure relevance by embedding Competency-Based Education (CBE), industry-driven projects, and emerging technologies like robotics, CAD/CAM, and renewable energy systems. Regular curriculum review workshops allow us to align with industry needs, while partnerships with institutions in Germany and DAAD programs expose

#### 1. If you weren't an engineer, what career path would have been your second choice?

If I hadn't pursued engineering, I would likely have gone into finance or systems auditing. My early experience as a Data Remediation Clerk at Kenya Commercial Bank taught me the importance of precision, accountability, and structured systems. I realized that the same analytical mindset I use in engineering could have been applied to financial systems, risk management, or even corporate leadership. That period shaped my appreciation for order and accuracy, which I later carried into engineering design and academic leadership.

#### 2. What was the biggest surprise you encountered in your early years as a young engineer entering workforce?

The biggest surprise was discovering that technical expertise alone isn't enough institutional credibility and resource availability can make or break projects. For example, during the Moi-MMUST transition, I saw how recognition by accreditation bodies mattered as much as the quality of teaching or research. It was eye-opening to realize that engineers must also be diplomats, negotiators, and advocates for their institutions.

#### 3. In production engineering, there is always a balance between cost, quality and efficiency how do you approach

## The Engineers' Corner

### Eng. Dr. Emmanuel Osore – Production Engineer

students to global standards.

**7. As a lecturer, what is one concept or lesson you always emphasize to your students, regardless of the course you are teaching?**

Regardless of the course, I emphasize responsibility and transparency. Engineering decisions affect lives and environments. Whether teaching robotics, manufacturing processes, I remind students that fairness, safety, and accountability are as important as technical skill.

**8. Looking at the future of mechanical and production engineering, what skills do you believe young engineers should focus on developing today?**

Young engineers should focus on:

- Automation and robotics programming (to stay relevant in Industry 4.0)
- 3D printing and adaptive manufacturing (for rapid prototyping and customization)
- Sustainability-focused design (to meet global environmental demands)

These skills will define the next generation of engineering practice.

**9. Which engineering project or innovation in the world fascinates you the most and why?**

I am fascinated by AI-driven Manufacturing Execution Systems (MES). They integrate real-time data, predictive analytics, and automation to optimize industrial processes. What excites me is their potential to revolutionize Kenyan manufacturing by reducing inefficiencies, improving competitiveness, and aligning with global smart factory standards.

**10. When faced with a challenge, do you prefer quick practical solutions or taking time to analyse and design the perfect approach?**

I lean toward structured analysis leading to practical solutions. Quick fixes may solve immediate problems, but they often create long-term inefficiencies. I prefer designs that are scalable, reproducible, and sustainable solutions that stand the test of time rather than patchwork remedies.

**11. Imagine you had no budget limits, no red tape, just your imagination and a skilled team. What's the dream**

**project you'd bring to life to transform how people live, work or connect in Kenya?**

My dream project would be a national free-energy infrastructure for rural Kenya, combining solar, wind, and biochar technologies. Imagine decentralized energy hubs powering homes, schools, and SMEs without reliance on expensive grids. Such a project would transform livelihoods, reduce inequality, and accelerate Kenya's industrial growth.

**12. What is the best decision you have ever made (not necessarily related to engineering)?**

The best decision I ever made was pursuing a PhD in Mechanical Engineering. It wasn't just an academic milestone, it opened doors to leadership, international collaboration, and the ability to influence curriculum and policy. It gave me the authority and credibility to drive change in engineering education and practice.

**13. If you were designing a school curriculum, what non-engineering skill/subject would you include for every student?**

I would include financial literacy and entrepreneurship. Engineers often innovate but struggle to commercialize their ideas. Teaching students how to manage money, build business models, and pitch to investors ensures that their innovations don't remain prototypes but become sustainable enterprises.

**14. If you could instantly learn a new skill, (non-engineering), what would it be?**

I would choose advanced negotiation and diplomacy skills. Engineering projects often require partnerships with governments, donors, and industries. Strong negotiation skills would amplify my ability to secure resources, build collaborations, and navigate complex stakeholder environments.

**15. If one day you were asked to summarize your engineering journey in one word/phrase, what would you say?**

"Engineering for resilience and impact."  
This phrase captures both the challenges I've overcome and the legacy I aim to build engineering that is not only technically sound but also socially transformative.

## The Energy (Solar Water Heating) Regulations, 2025

Dear Member,

There's a significant regulatory shift in the energy sector.

On 9th July 2025, the Cabinet Secretary for Energy and Petroleum gazetted the Energy (Solar Water Heating) Regulations, 2025.

These regulations establish a mandatory framework for the entire solar water heating value chain in Kenya. Whether you are involved in manufacturing, importing, selling, or simply maintaining these systems, these rules now apply to your operations. Under these regulations, all persons and entities involved in the importation, manufacture, sale, installation, or repair of solar water heating systems must be licensed by the Authority.

**Compliance Deadline:** All entities are required to comply with all aspects of these regulations within one (1) year from the date of gazettelement (by July 2026).

EPRA has launched an online system for licensing applications for both workers and contractors. You can access the necessary documents and application portals via the links below:

- Licensing Guidelines:  
[Download Application Guide](#)
- Official Regulations:  
<https://epra.go.ke/energy-solar-water-heating-regulations-2025>

Please ensure you review these requirements promptly to avoid any operational disruptions as the compliance deadline approaches

## UPCOMING EVENTS




### "IMPULSE OF KNOWLEDGE" VIDEO LECTURE COMPETITION

An academic initiative engaging young professionals and students in mining and resource engineering, organised by Saint-Petersburg Mining University and National Association of Mining Engineers.

Record a short video lecture (up to 3 minutes) in English presenting your ideas, research, or practical experience in mining engineering, geology, or resource engineering. Show how young professionals can shape the future of responsible resource development in Africa and globally.

**PARTICIPATION IS OPEN TO INDIVIDUALS AND TEAMS. THE COMPETITION IS FULLY ONLINE AND FREE OF CHARGE.**

FORMAT	OPPORTUNITY	SELECTION	FUTURE IMPACT
3-minute video lecture in English on your research or field of study	Showcase your expertise to international academic audiences	Expert panel reviews and selects the best video lectures	Platform for identifying promising young specialists for further academic and professional collaboration

**SUBMISSION DEADLINE: 10TH APRIL 2026**

**CORE FOCUS AREAS**

- Mining engineering, geology, and resource engineering.
- Related engineering fields are welcome if addressing challenges and innovations in the extractive sector.

**What Judges Look For**

- Creative presentation and originality of ideas
- Logical structure and clear message delivery
- Relevant connection to your field of study
- Strong communication and comprehensibility
- Effective use of visuals and supporting elements

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Share your story and be featured in Engineers' Corner Segment of the IEK Weekly Newsletter and let your journey inspire fellow engineers.

**Requirements to feature you:**

- Must be an IEK Member.
- Must fall under Corporate, Fellow or Associate Membership of IEK.
- Be in good standing with IEK

Submit your request to be featured by clicking the link below or scanning the QR Code.

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## TRAINING

### FIDIC CERTIFIED CONTRACT MANAGER TRAINING

June 22<sup>nd</sup>-26<sup>th</sup>, 2026  
Lake Naivasha Resort

**Charges:**  
Ksh. 75,000 for members  
Ksh.80,000 for non-members  
*Price is exclusive of accommodation*

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**Target Audience:** Engineers, Lawyers, Architects, Quantity Surveyors, Construction Project Managers and Built Environment Professionals.

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

**TRAINING**





### GREEN BUILDINGS AND SUSTAINABLE INFRASTRUCTURE TRAINING

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**Date: 18th-22nd May, 2026**  
**Venue: Lake Naivasha Resort**

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Members	<b>Ksh 70,000</b>
Non-Members	<b>Ksh 75,000</b>
<small>Price is exclusive of accommodation</small>	

**Target Audience:**  
All engineering Professionals in the built environment

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Submit a short (max. 120 seconds) video explaining:

- Name and discipline
- Workplace or project
- Role you play
- Impact of your work on society

**TAGLINE:**

**PROUD ENGINEER.  
"ENGINEERING IMPACT.  
NATIONAL IMPACT."**

**OBJECTIVE**

The objective is to strengthen public confidence, and professional visibility

- Showcase diversity across engineering disciplines
- Highlight engineers' contribution to national development
- Inspire young professionals and students
- Strengthen IEK brand visibility and public engagement

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**CHARGES: MEMBERS: KSH 1,500**  
**NON MEMBERS AND MEMBERS NOT IN GOOD STANDING: KSH 2,000**

**17<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2026 | 8.00AM**

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**WHAT TO EXPECT:**

- Tour the assembly line.
- Learn about electric mobility technologies -including battery systems and vehicle integration.
- Engage with the engineering team on manufacturing and clean transport solutions tailored for the Kenyan market.

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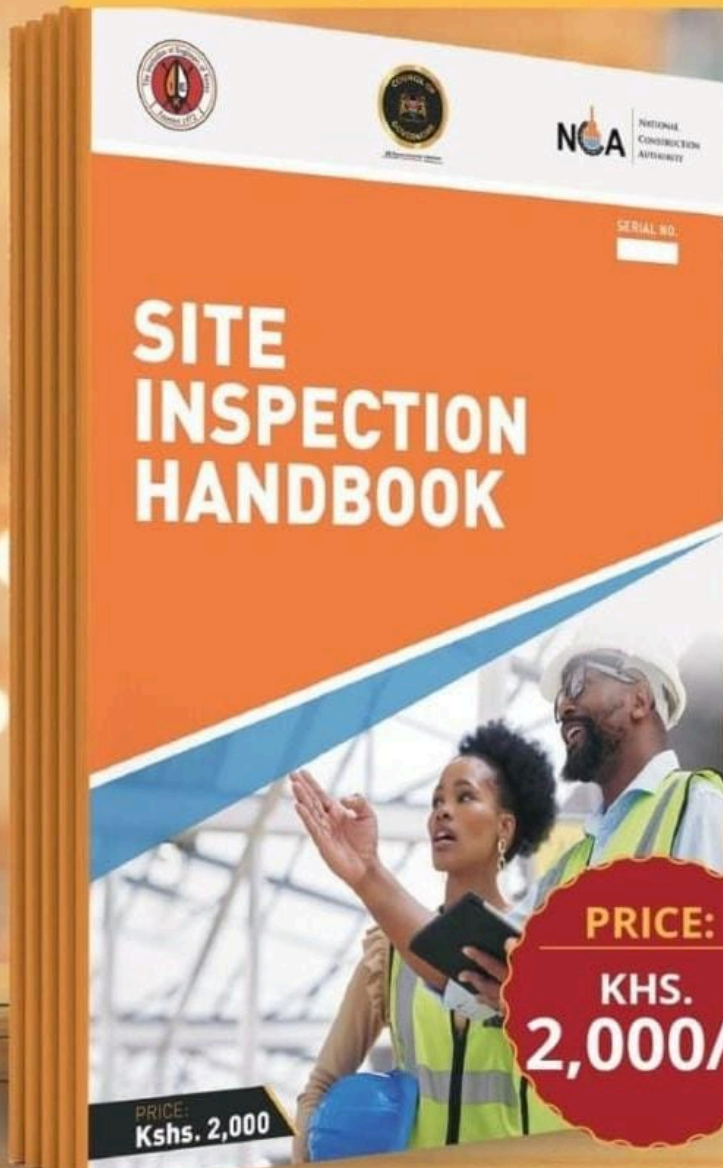
# IEK CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2026

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## THE SITE INSPECTION HANDBOOK

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## IMPORTANT UPDATES

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FOR CONTRIBUTIONS:

MPESA PAYBILL: 4093353  
ACCOUNT NO. Member No.+ BFS

Renewing Members: Refer to the invoices shared on email or contact IEK secretariat for more information.

Note:  
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Terms and Conditions Apply

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- Pay a token of last expenses of deceased members/ or their families.
- Supplement last expense budgets.
- Assist with financial needs associated with the loss of life.
- Contribute to member's wellbeing during demise or loss of dependents.

#### FUND COVERS

- Principal IEK member
- Spouse(s)
- Children
- Parents and Parents in Law of the member

#### PREMIUM RATES (PER FAMILY)

The applicable rates of premium (2024/25) per benefit option are detailed below:

Category Main Package	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3	Option 4	Option 5	Option 6	Option 7
Principal Member	50,000	100,000	150,000	200,000	300,000	400,000	500,000
Spouses (Max 1 per member)	50,000	100,000	150,000	200,000	300,000	400,000	500,000
Children (Max 4 per member)	50,000	100,000	100,000	200,000	200,000	200,000	200,000
Parents & Parents in Law (Max 4 per member)	50,000	100,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000
Renewal Annual Premium per Family	2,100	4,200	6,300	7,700	11,200	14,560	16,800
Parents & Parents in law - Age 81 to 90 Years	1,820	3,220	5,880	5,880	5,880	5,880	5,880
Additional Premium per Child (KES)	350	700	700	1,400	1,400	1,400	1,400
Individual Principal Members - Age 21- 50 years	420	700	1,050	1,680	2,520	3,920	5,600
Principal Members - Age 71 to 80 Years	1,680	3,080	5,740	5,740	5,740	5,740	5,740

#### Note:

- Administration charges: premiums less than Kes 10,000 add a fee of Kes 500; premiums greater than Kes 10,000 add a fee of Kes 1,000

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The IEK invites new members to join the Benevolent Fund Scheme (BFS) for the 2024/25 period. By enrolling, you contribute to our community's dedication to mutual care and resilience

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## CALL FOR MEMBERSHIP

Advocacy for engineers by the institution

Professional development eg training, industrial tours etc

Networking during IEK activities

Nomination to represent the engineering fraternity through nominations by the institution eg on boards, national committees etc.

Welfare tools (benevolent fund and Medicare scheme)

Regular updates on engineering trends and issues throughout the newsletter

Awards and accolades

### MEMBERSHIP

- |                     |                             |                                      |
|---------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| a. Honorary         | e. Associate                | i. Graduate Engineering Technologist |
| b. Fellow           | f. Engineering Technologist | j. Graduate Engineering Technician   |
| c. Corporate Member | g. Engineering Technician   | k. Student                           |
| d. Companion        | h. Graduate Engineer        |                                      |

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2,500/=

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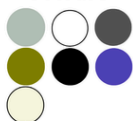


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ACCOUNT NUMBER:

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**Delivery:** Ranges from Ksh. 500 – 1,000 depending  
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## IMPORTANT UPDATES



### REWARD MECHANISM FOR MEMBERS SUPPORTING RESOURCE MOBILIZATION

Each mobilized resource is tied to a specific event, and members may choose either a delegate fee waiver or a 5% commission.

AMOUNT MOBILIZED (KES.)	DELEGATE FEE WAIVER
100,000 - 249,999	25% waiver
250,000 - 499,999	50% waiver
500,000 - 999,999	75% waiver
1,000,000 and above	100% waiver

**Integrity:** Members will not be allowed to mobilize funds from their current employers or organizations where they work, particularly if these are regular or existing IEK partners, to avoid conflicts of interest.

**Existing Partners:** Contributions from existing or regular IEK partners will be excluded from the incentive scheme. This is intended to motivate members to pursue new partnerships and grow IEK's funding base.

**Terms and Conditions, including applicable taxes, apply.**

# IMPORTANT UPDATES



## Join MHANDISI BORA MEDICARE SCHEME

### AAR MEDICAL INSURANCE RATES - 2026/2027

INPATIENT	M+0	M+1	M+2	M+3	M+4	M+5	M+6
10,000,000	75,840	119,262	144,438	162,752	177,437	189,776	202,117
7,000,000	68,810	107,465	130,814	147,833	161,503	173,014	184,526
5,000,000	63,612	98,745	120,744	136,806	149,727	160,626	171,524
3,000,000	50,170	80,597	100,397	114,916	126,633	136,549	146,468
2,000,000	46,354	74,506	93,300	107,113	118,280	127,747	137,213
1,000,000	40,955	66,360	83,955	96,938	107,460	116,403	125,348

OUTPATIENT	M+0	M+1	M+2	M+3	M+4	M+5	M+6
250,000	86,411	136,661	174,773	212,388	250,000	250,000	250,000
200,000	80,222	126,366	159,200	191,540	200,000	200,000	200,000
150,000	74,034	116,071	143,629	150,000	150,000	150,000	150,000
100,000	67,845	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000
100,000	67,845	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000
100,000	67,845	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000

**CLICK HERE TO VIEW  
AAR COVER BENEFITS**

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PANEL OF PROVIDERS**

**PAYMENT DETAILS:**

Mpesa Pay bill: **4093353**  
A/c no is: **IEK Member No AAR e.g M.1000AAR**

*A co-pay of 1,000 will be applicable to tier 1 providers on outpatient.  
Inpatient cases to tier 1 providers will be subject to referral.*

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**NEW JOINERS,  
SCAN TO REGISTER**



<https://go.iekenya.org/medicare>

## IMPORTANT UPDATES



# MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT



**Toll Free Hotline 1199** for free 24/7 tele-therapy/counselling and psychosocial support



**Chat-Care (free)**

<https://www.facebook.com/RedCrossKE>



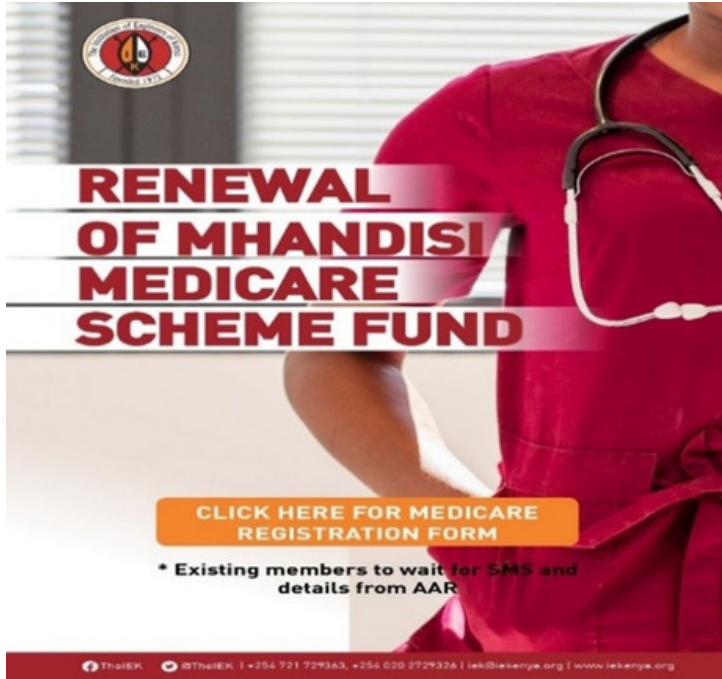
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## IMPORTANT UPDATES



## RENEWAL OF MHANDISI MEDICARE SCHEME FUND

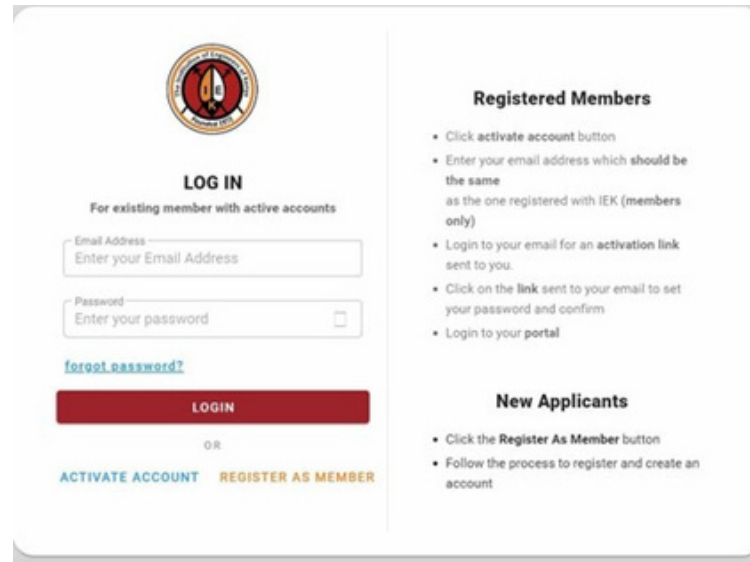
We extend an invitation for you to renew your Mhandisi Medicare Scheme Fund.

**The Medicare Registration Form can be accessed [here](#).**

Please be advised that existing members should anticipate receiving a detailed SMS with pertinent information from AAR.

Your prompt attention to the renewal process ensures uninterrupted access to the comprehensive healthcare benefits provided by Mhandisi Medicare Scheme Fund.

Thank you for your continued trust and participation in our healthcare program



## NEW MEMBERSHIP PORTAL

The new integrated IEK membership management system offers convenience, accessibility, and improved services for you our valued members. **Members are encouraged to update their details by clicking [here](#) to activate their portals and access services on the go.**

By activating your portal, you can among others access:

- Digital membership [application](#)
- Streamlined events registration
- Instant receipts and invoices
- Streamlined CPD tracking

**Kindly take note that we are no longer accepting manual applications as we are 100% paperless.**


## IMPORTANT UPDATES



### IEK RETIRED ENGINEERS' FEE REMISSION POLICY

The Institution of Engineers of Kenya (IEK) acknowledges the significant contributions of its members throughout their careers. Recognizing the transition into retirement, IEK has established a tailored fee remission structure for retired engineers.



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Click [here](#) to view the policy and application form.

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