What is the Chapters and Innovation Hubs platform?

IAARC Chapters and Innovation Hubs provide a collaborative knowledge-sharing cloud service platform for all its members. The platform can be seen as a resource for education and workshop purposes. It should be used by all Chapters and Innovation Hubs members from a diverse range of scientific backgrounds (e.g. universities, industry).

IAARC Chapters and Innovation Hubs provide an environment where members can share knowledge, collaborate on projects, and engage in learning activities. The platform is designed to foster a community of practice where members can communicate, discuss, and exchange information on topics related to automation and robotics in construction.

IAARC is a not-for-profit-organization (NPO) that uses its membership fees to develop services for, facilitate and maintain communication between its members. IAARC is managed by a board of directors and presidency that continually change. The dynamic nature of the Association ensures that fresh ideas are brought into the organization whilst benefiting from the experience of others.

Chapters and Innovation Hubs for a new way of collaborated knowledge exchange

IAARC (The International Association for Automation and Robotics in Construction) is a premier global organization dedicated to the advancement of Automation and Robotics in Construction.

IAARC represents fields of construction including civil and building engineering, machine automation, robotics applications to construction, information technologies, planning, logistics, and more.

How to:
Register for the IAARC Chapters and Innovation Hubs

Bridging the gap between local stakeholders and international scale-up and knowledge transfer

It is simple with a checklist!

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The IAARC Chapters and Innovation Hubs represent a common platform for collaborative knowledge exchange and provide a new way for local innovators or businesses to expand their network and collaborate within the local industry, in the field of Automation and Robotics in Construction. The major goal of the Chapters and Innovation Hubs is to bridge the gap between the local stakeholders and international scale-up, as well as knowledge transfer.

**Register: Chapters and Innovation Hubs**

1. **Definition**
   - Define the mission statement, management and action plan for your chapter and determine the Chapter Chair and Vice Chair.

2. **Registration**
   - Indicate intent to set up a Chapter to the VP Chapters, send the registration form and receive approval.

3. **Setup**
   - Received communication and dissemination kit to develop a profile on the IAARC homepage as well as a LinkedIn profile accordingly to the template.

4. **Update**
   - Maintain the chapter member list (member list template) to track membership and share it on a 6-month basis with the VP Chapters.

5. **Confirmation**
   - Receive IAARC membership certificates for both the Chapter and individual members upon request.

6. **Participate**
   - Carry out the agreed activities and enjoy international recognition and visibility of your chapter and your members through IAARC.

**Why establish Chapters and Innovation Hubs?**

1. **Platform**
   - Common platform to exchange/provide/ request talks, courses and more across departments, disciplines, universities, etc.

2. **Network**
   - Expand your network and facilitate an exchange of ideas.

3. **Research**
   - Lay foundation for success in research. Research for and/or with students, PhD candidates and more.

4. **Knowledge Transfer**
   - Knowledge, as well as technology transfer and entrepreneurship.

5. **Funding**
   - The Chapters and Innovation Hubs create a basis for funding events, travel or workshops.

6. **Visibility**
   - Outreach through various media channels.