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I also, wanted to clarify our view of sponsorship, exhibiting, and organizational membership versus endorsement. INCOSE does not endorse any institution, corporation, vendor, product or service listed on its website, at an event, and in any product or promotional materials. INCOSE appreciates the sponsors, exhibitors, and corporate members that choose to associate with INCOSE, but their association with those activities does not define an endorsement.

Also, please take some time to review INCOSE Policy COM-101 (logo usage) and the new policy on endorsements, BOD-102. These two policies establish the constraints on the use of the INCOSE logo and the identification of association with INCOSE for marketing and communication purposes.

A few of the key summary points to follow:

* Any use of the INCOSE logo requires specific authorization for the type of use. See INCOSE Policy COM-101.
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