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Welcome to the Inventors Association of Metro Detroit

If you are a serious inventor, this is the place for you! We are open to all inventors, whether you are a beginner, or highly experienced. No matter where you are in the invention process, there are many challenges ahead. If you come to our meetings on a regular basis, you will benefit from our informative programs and peer support. Success does not come overnight. Everyone here has a secret to keep, and stories to share.

Dues - \$30 per year, or \$5 per meeting. You can come to one meeting for free as our guest, if you want to check us out. Meetings are held on the third Thursday of every month at Lawrence Institute of Technology, Buell Building, 21000 W. Ten Mile Rd., Southfield MI. For more information, contact *Mary Kordyban* (313) 481-1391, or *Cathy Phillips* (248) 304-3000. Visit our website at inventoriamd.org.

Why join the IAMD?

Practical information from experienced and successful inventors

Learn how to avoid being ripped off by the many scam artists

Networking with other inventors, not only will you meet nice people but you can get recommendations for attorneys, manufacturers, etc.

Monthly speakers on various invention topics

Your conversations are safe – each attendee, has to sign a non-disclosure agreement every meeting

E-mail alerts on upcoming programs and invention topics

We will not do your work for you. YOU have to decide that YOU will be the one to pursue your dream.

Meeting Topics

- Engineering, scientific analysis and testing
- Drawings and prototypes
- Updates on latest research techniques
- Patents, trademarks, copyrights and trade secrets
- Assignments, licenses, and royalties
- Financial and tax matters
- Raising ventures capital
- Developing business plans
- Starting and managing a small business
- Self-managed manufacturing
- Discovering and soliciting investors
- Locating and negotiating with manufacturers
- Marketing, advertising and public relations