When you become a life member of the Society of Women Engineers, you demonstrate a lifelong commitment to the Society and its mission. As a life member you also demonstrate to your fellow members, through a contribution to the Headquarters Fund of SWE, that the Society is an important, ongoing part of both your professional and personal life. Your tax-deductible contribution provides financial and personal support to SWE.

Through your Life Membership, you will waive your dues in perpetuity while maintaining access to the following SWE member benefits:

**YOUR COMMUNITY**
Gain access to a diverse, global network of 40,000+ engineers who are with you at each stage of your engineering journey.

**LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT**
Leverage SWE events and opportunities to become a stronger professional and leader. SWE offers educational sessions and pivotal networking opportunities.

**ADVANCEMENT & RECOGNITION**
Get unique access to the recognition and advancement achieved through our premier awards events.

**SWE ADVOCACY**
Join with the leading advocacy voice for women in the profession. SWE advocates for girls through K-12 outreach programs, for the full implementation of Title IX in federally funded programs, and for equitable and family friendly practices within the STEM workforce.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**
Post your resume and find your next position through the job board on SWE’s Online Career Center or SWE’s virtual career fair, and check out the extensive return-to-work opportunities offered by partnering organizations.

**EDUCATION & INSIGHT**
Access SWE thought-leadership and earn CEUs through our webinars and e-learning courses. Read and listen to the latest diversity and inclusion practices with SWE’s daily digital blog, award-winning print magazine and podcast series.

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**MY JOURNEY MY COMMUNITY MY SWE**
Margaret Lyons, Electrical Engineer (Member since 1984)
Life Membership Contract

How to Become A Life Member:
To become a Life Member, you must make a total donation of $2,000 in accordance with one of the three payment options below and fill out this contract and send it to the following email: funddevelopment@swe.org. Please note:

- You may use your employer’s matching donation program towards your $2,000 commitment. Email funddevelopment@swe.org to learn more.
- Unless you make the full ($2,000) donation at one time, you must also maintain an active SWE membership and pay your regular SWE dues while making donations towards Life Membership.
- The minimum donation amount towards a Life Membership payment is $500.

How to Make Life Member Payments:

- **Online:** You may donate online by going to [swe.org/donate](http://swe.org/donate) and selecting the Life Membership donation option under the “Fund” drop-down menu.
- **Mail:** Checks and/or stocks are to be made payable to “Society of Women Engineers” and sent to: Society of Women Engineers (SWE), P.O. Box 5940, Dept. 20-1023, Carol Stream, Illinois 60197
- **Phone:** Donations can be made by phone by calling 312-596-5223.

Payment Plans:
Please highlight the following payment plan you will select.

- □ Plan A $2,000 payable when the contract is signed.
- □ Plan B Readily marketable securities with a minimum value of the full Life Membership contract payable when the contract is signed.
- □ Plan C Three-year contract:
  - $500 payable in cash at the time the contract is signed;
  - $500 payable in cash on each of the three successive contract anniversary dates.

Life Member Contract: By sending this contract, you agree to the following terms. You agree to contribute to the Headquarters Fund of the Society of Women Engineers in the sum of $2,000 payable in accordance with the payment plan above. In recognition of this contribution, your dues will be waived in perpetuity. **If you select Plan C, you understand that you will continue to pay annual dues until the contract is paid in full.**

You also understand that this will not change your member grade, and that you may upgrade, when appropriate, in the future. If, at any time, the scheduled payments on this contract pledge fall sixty (60) days in arrears, you shall be given a reminder and thirty (30) days to bring your payments up to date or this contract pledge will become null and void. Payments made to the Society hereunder become its property absolutely, and no amounts will be refunded to Successor Assigns or you.

Name (Please Print):

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Address: ________________________________________________

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City, State, Zip: _______________________________ E-Mail: ________________________________

Signed: ___________________________________________ Date: ____________________________