



2016 IECQ CONFERENCE

International Supply Chain Management Conference

Paris, France – Wednesday 27 April 2016

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International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) Quality Assessment
System for Electronic Components (IECQ)

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The ever increasing global nature of product and systems manufacturing mean that the need for appropriate control over the supply chain also becomes an increasingly necessity.

Effective management and control over the supply chain addresses important aspects of Brand credibility, reliability of products and their functionality.

The International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) has long been involved in developing International Standards for Equipment and Components for a variety of industries. These industries have embraced IEC International Standards but producing equipment based on IEC standards is not enough. Verification of compliance not only with IEC Standards but also manufacturing Specification is an integral part of having confidence in a manufacturer's supplier.

To assist industry IEC previously created the IECQ, a worldwide approval and certification system covering the supply of electronic components and associated materials and assemblies (including modules) and processes. It uses quality assessment specifications that are based on International Standards.

The IECQ is about assurance and cost-cutting. Electrical and electronic products comprise many, sometimes hundreds of individual parts comprising of components and sub-assemblies. The well-known brand manufacturers and their purchasing managers want to be assured that the electronic parts used in their products are of the required quality and reliability. To minimize incoming inspection costs and eliminates the quality auditing of suppliers, they can chose components suppliers who hold IECQ product certifications for their components.

Since its inception some 40 years ago, IECQ has established a number of Schemes that provide assurance that components, assemblies, and related processes are according to declared safety and performance specifications. These IECQ Schemes provide for the issuing of International IECQ Certificates for organisations that meet IECQ requirements and provide assurance to their customers that components, assemblies and related processes comply with declared Specifications.

All IECQ Certificates are issued by IECQ Approved Certification Bodies (IECQ CBs) and are publicly available, for instant checking, in the one location at www.iecq.org If it is not shown on the IECQ website, then the certificate does not exist!

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The IEC and IECQ, together with the National Committee of France (Hosts for the 2016 IECQ Annual Meetings) are organizing the 2016 IECQ International Conference in Paris, France on 27 April 2016.

A great networking opportunity

This one day event is a unique opportunity for industries in the region to not only become better acquainted with IECQ and find out how they can best benefit from the advice of experts, concerning the need and practical application of supply chain management but also to get involved and form precious contacts and networks within the IECQ community of experts.

World experts share experience and knowledge

The conference will bring together experts from all over the world, involved in international standardization, equipment manufacturing.

Through their presentations and direct contact with participants, these experts will be able to share their experience and detailed knowledge on all matters pertaining to management of the supply chain, such as control of Hazardous Substances, Counterfeit Avoidance measures and practical applications of how supply chain management is achieved.

They will answer questions, provide advice and give valuable information to anyone involved directly or indirectly in managing supply chains.

Get involved, participate in this exclusive event.

Practical information

This event is being held in conjunction with the 2016 Annual meeting of the IECQ, hosted by the French National Member Body of the IECQ, therefore Admission to the conference is **FREE of Charge.**

The conference will be held as follows

Date: **27 April 2016**

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PROGRAM

09:30 – 10:00	Registration
10:00 – 10:10	Welcome and Introduction
10:10 – 10:45	Key Components of Effective Supply Chain + Role of IECQ <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Electronic Component Product- LED lighting Systems- Assemblies
10:45 – 11:15	Counterfeit Avoidance Overview
11:15 – 11:45	Coffee/Tea break
11:45 – 12:15	Control of Hazardous Substances in the Supply Chain (Global Issue)
12:15 – 12:30	Open Discussion
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch
13:30 – 14:15	How to effectively Control Supply Chains to Ensure Compliant Components & Assemblies, using Automotive Industry as an example
14:15 – 15:00	How to Implement an Obsolescence Plan, Utilising IEC 62402 in your Business
15:00 – 15:30	Coffee/Tea break
15:30 – 16:15	How to Implement Hazardous Substances Control within your Supply Chain
16:15 – 17:00	Open Forum
17:00 – 18:00	Cocktail Reception

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