

2<sup>nd</sup> January 2009

Dear Member

**A Happy New Year to you from the staff at Head Office in St Albans**

As is usual at this time of year I enclose the Fee Invoice. Your immediate response would be much appreciated as this saves considerable administrative time and expense in sending out reminders.

You will see that some personal information is already pre-printed on the Fee Invoice. Please check this information and amend, add or delete as appropriate; in particular please include a current email address. Members are encouraged to update their personal information via the website.

If you have friends or colleagues who may be interested in membership or studying for one of the Institute's qualifications do let us know so that we may forward the relevant literature to them. Details of the next examination dates for our Diploma and Certificate Courses are available on the website.

The organisers of our meetings put in considerable effort and in addition to supporting the meetings yourself, your assistance in making these dates more widely known would be appreciated. Please make a note in your diary and encourage your colleagues to attend. To view the latest information on our meetings please visit: [www.ioa.org.uk](http://www.ioa.org.uk)

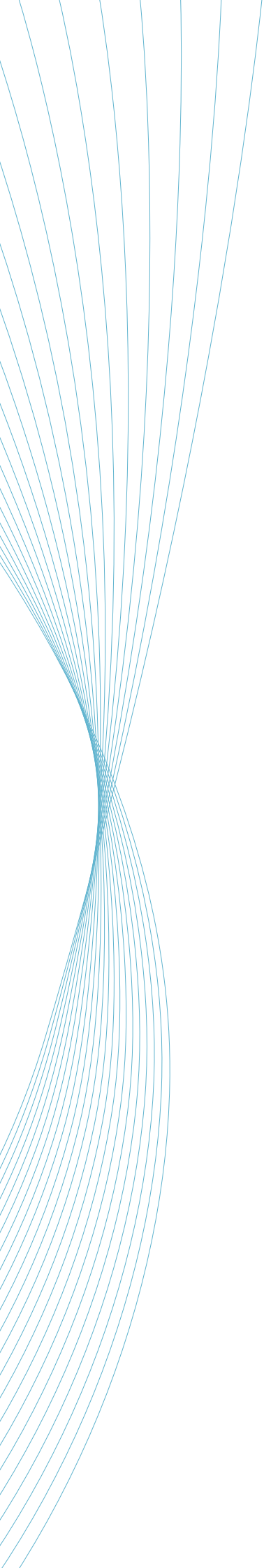
The Institute is delighted to be organising the Euronoise 2009 conference which is being held in Edinburgh on 26-28 October and I look forward to seeing as many of you there as possible. For details please visit: [www.euronoise2009.org.uk](http://www.euronoise2009.org.uk)

Finally, may I thank the many members who have actively contributed in so many ways to the life of the Institute over the last year.

With best wishes.

Yours sincerely

**KEVIN MACAN-LIND**  
Chief Executive Institute of  
**Acoustics**



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- Workshops, conferences and meetings including high quality published proceedings
- Nine Specialist Acoustic Interest Groups
- The Acoustics Bulletin published bi-monthly covering technical issues and general articles on a wide range of acoustics from industry to academia
- Website listing - a reference and referral tool for potential clients
- Register of Members published annually
- Professional Development encouragement and support
- Bi-monthly E-newsletter
- Local and national opportunities for networking
- Access to a wide range of technical information from a well-stocked library
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- Technical reports/Codes of Practice/Publications
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It is our objective to see members across all disciplines recognised as professionals of the highest integrity and competence. It is our aim to promote this vision through the advancement of the art, science, engineering and technology of acoustics. Diploma and Competence Certificate courses, supported by the Institute, safeguard standards for the future.