The institution

Haus der Technik is a registered not-for-profit organisation and at the same time an external institute of the elite university, RWTH Aachen.

Our cooperation partners include major and noted universities in Germany, and since 2006 also international institutions.

Since 2010, Haus der Technik has published the new TM 2.0 (www.tm20.de) in which the century-old tradition of the renowned technical and scientific information journal "Technische Mitteilungen" (Technical Reports) is continued in a new internet format.

University and college cooperation partners:
- Aachen
- Bonn
- Braunschweig
- Bremerhaven
- Duisburg-Essen
- Münster

International partners:
- Swiss Federal Laboratories for Materials Science and Technology, ETH Zurich (Switzerland)
- University of Leoben (Austria)

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Education for engineers, managers and executives from industry, business and administration.

"Because ultimately it is the spirit that breathes life into any machine."

Johann Wolfgang von Goethe

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knowledge for technology and management

For 85 years, Haus der Technik (HDT) has been providing continuing education for executives, managers and engineers from industry, business and administration. Knowledge based on the latest technology, discussions with experts, exchanges with representatives of other enterprises – being a part of it and being successful – that is what our participants can expect when they come to us.

Here you are in good hands. Haus der Technik is a top name among institutes of continuing education, and very well known in business and industry. Some 16,000 engineers, managers and executives come to us every year. Most of them come to Essen, but many also attend our branch sites in Berlin, Bremerhaven or Munich – or wherever HDT is running its seminars, degree programmes, training courses and conferences.

From the very beginning, quality was our guiding principle. Therefore HDT is also a founder member of the Wuppertaler Kreis, which unites Germany’s leading institutes of continuing education and stands for quality in continuing education.

Certified continuing education through CERTQUA and ASIIN accredited degree programmes.

Our programme

HDT is independent and solely committed to the aim of enhancing the knowledge and capabilities of its participants.

The subjects are up-to-date and scientifically-based, and are presented in a practice-oriented way. The lecturers are among the best in their discipline and are carefully selected from universities and enterprises in Germany and abroad.

We stand for the whole spectrum of technology, and for all that technology makes possible.

In special in-house and customised seminars, we optimally tailor the subjects of our courses to the needs of companies. The dates and duration of courses, and seminar locations, are determined in agreement with our customers.

Our research and development department offers all-round support and consulting in materials testing.

With specialist subjects in these fields:
- Plant engineering
- Building
- Chemicals
- Electrical engineering, electronics
- Energy
- Vehicle technology
- Information technology
- Mechanical engineering
- Medicine
- Communications engineering
- Traffic engineering

As well as interdisciplinary subjects in:
- Health and safety
- Fire protection
- Facility management
- Production technology
- Construction
- Plastics
- Logistics
- Management
- Quality assurance
- Law
- Radiation protection
- Environmental protection
- Materials science

Continuing education and congress centre with 50 rooms for up to c. 600 persons

The venue

HDT’s listed building with its unmistakable architecture is today a modern centre for continuing education and congresses. Some 50 rooms for up to c. 600 persons are fitted with the latest conference equipment, and most of them are air conditioned. Generous recreation spaces, a cafeteria and a canteen are provided.

The facilities of HDT mainly serve to accommodate our own programme, but can also be hired by companies and associations for events and exhibitions. Haus der Technik is centrally located in downtown Essen, directly opposite the main railway station. Thus it is easily accessible with all forms of transport.

"Everyone has the right to education and to have access to vocational and continuing training."

EU Charter, Art. 14, Paragraph 1