

## **Profile**

Established in 1979, FKII has played a key role in leading Korea to a global knowledge-information society. Counting over 1,200 companies as its members, FKII represents the leading Korean IT companies. It encompasses the entire IT industry in Korea and embodies the strength and vigor of the IT industry.

Korea's new status as a global ICT leader prompts FKII to become more visible in the international arena and to pursue more substantial cooperation among nations by serving a member of Asian-Oceanian Computing Industry Organization (ASOCIO) and World Information Technology Services Alliance (WITSA).

### **Vision**

Emerging as the leading IT organization in the 21st century - pioneering, Influencing, and Championing the IT industry

- Creating domestic markets through the informatization of non-IT industries
- Promoting IT export as the IT hub of NorthEast Asia
- Building a knowledge-based economy through the development of highly skilled human resources
- Providing upgraded member services to become a leading IT association

### **Activities**

#### **Planning and Research**

- Organizing an IT Policy Forum
- Formulating the direction of the information industry
- Facilitating market creation and improving policies
- Carrying out researches and surveys on the market trends and industry prospects
- Providing up-to-date information on IT technologies and markets

#### **International Cooperation**

- Multilateral cooperation by representing Korea in ASOCIO and WITSA
- Bilateral cooperation with other countries (U.S., Japan, China, India, etc.)
- Maintaining an Asian-Oceanian ICT Information system ([www.asocio.org](http://www.asocio.org))
- Concluding MOU with China Information Industry Association for cooperation

#### **IT Human Resources Development**

- Implementing various training programs to foster world-class IT professionals
- Providing member companies with new IT technologies and digital management strategies
- Managing demand-oriented IT human resources development project

#### **Marketing and Promotion**

- Organizing seminars and conferences on IT-related new trends and strategies
- Managing IT user-vendor cooperation community
- Developing and marketing good software
- Organizing an embedded software contest

**Member Services**

- Identifying the needs of members
- Providing opportunities for meetings with prestigious figures
- Interacting with government officials and parliament members
- Publishing periodicals and online magazines

**FKII Affiliates**

- Korea Forum of CIO
- Korea Embedded Software Industry Council
- Knowledge Management System Committee
- Korea CRM Council
- Demand-oriented IT Human Resources Development Council
- IT Management Club
- Human Resources Development Committee

**Relationship with ASOCIO**

FKII, as a founding member of ASOCIO, has contributed to the establishment and growth of ASOCIO. It successfully hosted ASOCIO General Assembly and Symposium in 1986, 1995, and 2000 three times. Also FKII organized ASOCIO Officers' Meeting and government visit program in 1994. Dr. Y. T. Lee, now vice president of ASOCIO and honorary chairman of FKII, served as ASOCIO president two times ('89-'90, '95-'96). FKII is involved in managing ASOCIO website, an Asian-Oceanian ICT information system that provides information on markets, companies, trade inquires, and so forth within the ASOCIO.