# Organization – competence and member orientation

DVGW (Deutscher Verein des Gas- und Wasserfaches e.V. – Technisch-wissenschaftlicher Verein) has provided technical and scientific support for the gas and water industry since 1859.

Our members can directly influence developments in their sector via the General Meeting, participation in the various bodies of the association and especially through active work on the technical committees. The networked, decentralized organization of the association ensures rapid, comprehensive information flow throughout the industry. DVGW offers a strong network for the gas and water supply industry.



The DVGW network – at the national and international level

Deutscher Verein des Gas- und Wasserfaches e.V.



# Just contact us We look forward to hearing from you



#### Membership

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# Safety – hygiene – environmental protection

DVGW has worked successfully in the gas and water industry for more than 150 years. Safety, hygiene and environmental protection are the main focuses of all the association's activities.

DVGW is an association with about 13,000 members which establishes the generally accepted rules of technology for gas and water systems, inspects and certifies products, individuals and companies, initiates research projects and provides training on a full range of gas and water industry topics. DVGW codes of practice lay the foundation for technical self-regulation and for the responsibility of the gas and water industry in Germany. They ensure safe gas and water supplies to the highest international standards. The not-for-profit organization was established in Frankfurt am Main in 1859. DVGW is economically independent and politically impartial.

DVGW members
Total: 13,130 members

#### Our service – your benefits

## Three key benefits for member companies and the entire gas and water industry:

- Technical progress: DVGW members participate directly in technical innovations in the gas and water industry.
- Organizational security: By defining binding quality standards for technical systems, organization and training systems, DVGW gives its members reliable organizational security.
- Process optimization: With its reliable rules and standards, the association fosters process optimization in the gas and water supply industry.

All DVGW fields of activities are mutually interconnected, resulting in service packages tailored to meet the needs of the various member groups.



#### The benefits of membership

### There are strong arguments in favour of active DVGW membership:

- Active shaping of technical self-regulation in the gas and water industry
- Quality assurance for your products, employees and corporate structure
- National and international exchange of experience on industry topics
- Personal and specialist expert network
- First-hand research and development information
- Competent specialist support on industry issues we can help you
- Support throughout Europe

Members receive the specialist journal DVGW energie I wasserpraxis every month and have access to the members' section of the association website, as well as benefiting from discounts on many products and services, including DVGW codes of practice, training events and specialist publications.