



ASIAN AMERICAN WEDDING PROFESSIONALS ASSOCIATION

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Please complete the application and mail to: AAWPA, 17360 Colima Road, Suite 123, Rowland Heights, CA 91748.

APPLICANT INFORMATION			
Company Name			
Contact Person		Title	
Street Address			Suite #
City	State	ZIP	
Phone () -	Fax () -		
Website			
Company Email			
Contact Email (for sending newsletter & customer leads purpose)			
Who referred you? How did you find AAWPA?			
WEBSITE LINK			
May we list the following in our directory and online? <input type="checkbox"/> Company Email <input type="checkbox"/> Website <input type="checkbox"/> Phone <input type="checkbox"/> Fax			
Please Note: AAWPA will link to your website if you provide a reciprocal link to www.aawpa.com .			
Please indicate what language(s) and ethnic group your business should be listed in. 1st language is included in the printed and online directories. Each additional language is \$10 for both printed and online directories. In addition to your name, phone, email, and web address, your online listing includes a 30 words description of your business. Any additional word is charge \$1 per word. To add a logo or other image with your listing is \$20. Please email the logo to contact@aawpa.com .			
Language/Ethnic Group 1: _____ (included)			
Language/Ethnic Group 2: _____ (+\$10)			
Language/Ethnic Group 3: _____ (+\$10)			
Description (30 words, please print):			
STANDARDS OF MEMBERSHIP (YOU MUST AGREE TO THESE IN ORDER TO OBTAIN MEMBERSHIP.)			
Members will:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supply background information about the member and his/her business, or other information essential to the Association's responsibility to provide factual reports on the profession. • Cooperate with Association activities and efforts to promote and improve the professionalism of the bridal business. • Respond rapidly and honestly to all complaints forwarded by the Association. • Supply, on request, the evidence on which any advertising is based. • Use the Associations name and logo only as authorized. • Pay all association bills in a timely manner. 			
CODE OF ETHICS			
Members will:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Represent each client and wedding professional fairly and honestly, providing all agreed-to services in a timely and cost-efficient manner. • Establish reasonable, proper fees for services and provide written estimates to each client. • Use honest factual advertising. • Deal with employees fairly, in an unbiased manner. • Operate an establishment that is a credit to the Association and the community. • Honor all agreements made with customers, suppliers and service providers. 			

- Disclose to clients any payment received from suppliers.

MEMBERSHIP

American Wedding Professionals Association offers three types of annual memberships: Standard Member and Associate Member. If you derive most of your income from brides and grooms, you are the "Standard Member." Standard Membership fee is \$150 per year. If you derive most of your income from other wedding service providers, you are the "Associate Member." Associate Membership is \$250 per year. Associate Members must offer a discount to all members. If you are a student or graduate from AAWPA Certificate Program for Wedding Consultants, your first year membership is only \$75. Graduates over a year and continuing education students who are currently working as wedding professionals are not eligible. All members must pay \$25 initial setup fee for AAWPA's online directory.

Our membership begins on February 1st of current year thru January 31st of the following year. Fees are not prorated. Annual membership renewal date is January 31st.

One membership per individual. No shared membership and transfer is allowed. No refund and no transfer will be given if you decide to terminate the membership before January 31st.

Membership benefits are posted on our website (www.aawpa.com/professionals/membership).

PAYMENT

Membership Standard \$150 Associate \$250 Student \$75

Initial Setup \$25 online directory setup fee for first time member only (must add to your total)

Certificate \$10 x _____ hardcopy of Membership Certificate

Directory _____ x \$10 per additional language / ethnic group
(English and 1st foreign language are included)

Online Image \$20 for online image at AAWPA Member Directory (250 * 167)

Extra Words \$1 per word if exceed 30 words at AAWPA Member Directory online listing

Payment Method:

Cash

Check or Money Order: Payable to

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VISA or MasterCard

Name on the Card: _____

Card Number: _____ - _____ - _____ - _____

Expiration (mm/yy): _____/_____ 3-Digit Security Code: _____

Credit Card Billing Address: _____

Authorized Signature: _____

DISCLAIMER AND SIGNATURE

As a member of the Asian American Wedding Professionals Association (AAWPA), I agree to follow the AAWPA Standards of Membership and Code of Ethics in all business practices. I will represent the Asian American Wedding Professionals Association, in the most professional manner possible. I understand that membership is renewable one year from this date. Lapses in membership are not credited to the time requirements for advancement. No refund will be issued if member did not attend the monthly networking mixers.

Signature _____

Date _____/_____/_____