

ACATA Membership Categories



MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

Australian Creative Arts Therapy Association offers a range of membership categories to reflect the expanding interest of creative arts therapy. Each membership category offers a range of benefits and services to support the needs of our members and outlines the particular joining requirements that reflect the qualifications and professional status of members. Membership categories are divided into voting and non-voting categories. Only voting members are eligible to vote to elect the committee at the Annual General Meeting.

MEMBERSHIP FEES

Membership subscription fees are set according to the category and date of application, including a standard processing fee. Existing members who have a current subscription and are only applying for change in membership (i.e. student to professional membership) are only charged the processing fee of \$10.00.

Voting Membership Categories	Pro- rata Base Subscription		Non-voting Membership Categories	Pro- rata Base Subscription	
	Annual Membership Sept 2009 to Sept 2010	(1/2 Year) April 2010 to Sept 2010		Annual Membership Sept 2009 to Sept 2010	(1/2 Year) April 2010 to Sept 2010
Honorary Member	~		Allied Professional Member	\$70.00	\$35.00
Professional Member	\$80.00	\$40.00	International Member	\$70.00	\$35.00
Associate Member	\$60.00	\$30.00	Student Member	\$40.00	\$20.00

CATEGORIES OF VOTING MEMBERSHIP ARE:

Honorary Member

The **Honorary Member** category is offered to existing members who have made an exceptional contribution to the advancement of the association and/or a distinguished contribution to the field of creative arts therapy. Honorary members can display their status with the post-nominal Hon MACATA, (Honorary Member of ACATA) and does not pay membership subscription. For any inquires please contact ACATA on 03 9513 0852.

Professional Member

The **Professional Member** category is referred to as full membership and is available to those who have completed a Master or higher degree from a recognized training institution, specializing in Creative Arts Therapy, which meets ACATA's minimum standards. Professional Members can display their membership with the post nominals Prof MACATA, (Professional Member of ACATA).

Annual Subscription Membership Fee is \$80.00

Associate Member

The **Associate Member** category is available to those who have completed an accredited graduate and post graduate study from a recognized tertiary training institution, specializing in Creative Arts Therapy, which meets ACATA's minimum standards. Associate members can use the post nominals Assoc MACATA, for Associate member of ACATA.

Annual Subscription Membership Fee is \$60.00

Allied Professional Member

CATEGORIES FOR NON-VOTING MEMBERSHIP ARE:

The **Allied Professional Member** category is available to those who have completed a degree from a recognized tertiary institution outside of Creative Arts Therapy E.g. Music, Dance Drama & Art Therapists. Clinical and Counselling Psychologists, social workers, nurses, teachers, artists & other health care professionals.

Annual Subscription Membership Fee is \$70.00

International Member

The **International Member** category is available to those who reside overseas and are members of a professional creative arts therapy association or organization similar to ACATA and have a degree in Expressive or Creative Arts Therapy or relevant training institution outside of Creative Arts Therapy.

Annual Subscription Membership Fee is \$70.00

Student Member

The **Student Member** category is available to those who are currently enrolled in an ACATA accredited post-graduate study in Expressive or Creative Arts Therapy or relevant tertiary training institution outside of Creative Arts Therapy.

Annual Subscription Membership Fee is \$40.00

ALL ENQUIRIES PLEASE CONTACT:

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