

TYPES OF MEMBERSHIP

14. Membership

Any individual or organisation that participates in, or has an interest in, co-operative education may apply for membership of SASCE.

15. Application for Membership

15.1 Application for membership of the society shall be made in writing on the form prescribed by the society and submitted to the Secretary.

15.2 Such application shall be accompanied by the appropriate membership fee.

15.3 Four categories of membership shall be recognised, namely, individual, student, corporate, and Patron members.

15.3.1. Individual members.

Any person involved with or interested in co-operative education may apply for membership.

15.3.2. Student members (non-voting)

Any student registered at a tertiary educational institution who practices co-operative education may apply for membership

15.3.3. Corporate members

The following may apply for corporate membership:-

- (a) Any employer, employer body, council or professional body;
- (b) Any educational or training institution.

15.3.3. Patron members

Patron membership shall be awarded to a person only if he has made a significant contribution to SASCE in general and specifically in achieving the aims and objectives of SASCE.

- (a) Any person may in writing apply to the General Meeting of Members for patron membership or any SASCE member may nominate a person for such membership and such application or nomination shall be accompanied by a motivation and proof of the applicant's or nominee's contribution to SASCE.
- (b) The General Meeting of Members shall consider such application or nomination and may approve or reject the application or nomination.
- (c) If the General Meeting of Members approves patron membership it shall determine the period for which such membership is granted and any conditions which may be attached to such membership.
- (d) A person who has been awarded patron membership shall ex officio be a member of the General Meeting of Members, and shall have the right to vote at any meeting of the General Meeting of Members.
- (e) A patron member shall be exempted from paying membership subscription fees.
- (f) A patron member shall forfeit his patron membership if he makes himself guilty of a serious crime or if he undermines SASCE or bring its name in disrepute.