



Maine Crafts Association Individual Membership Form

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MCA membership cycle is January 1- December 31. The earlier in the year you join, the longer you qualify for membership benefits! Join anytime after September 1st for the remainder of the current year and all of the following year.

Date _____

Personal Name _____

Business Name _____

Medium or type of work (if applicable) _____

Mailing Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Telephone _____ Fax _____

Email _____ Website _____

Membership: I am Renewing I am a new Member

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| <input type="radio"/> Professional \$100 | <input type="radio"/> Emerging \$50 | <input type="radio"/> Patron \$45 | <input type="radio"/> Guild level \$150 |
| <input type="radio"/> Partner's Professional \$150 | <input type="radio"/> Basic \$50 | <input type="radio"/> Retail \$25 | <input type="radio"/> Partner's Guild \$200 |

Please make a tax deductible donation to the MCA to fund our ongoing programs and initiatives. Your contribution helps us increase our capacity to support more craft artists and the creative economy in Maine!

Enclosed please include my additional tax-deductible contribution of: \$ _____

Total \$ _____

In-Store Payment Check (*payable to Maine Crafts Association*) Credit Card payment

Card Type _____ Card # _____ Exp. Date _____

V-Code (3 or 4 digits on back) _____ Cardholder's name: _____

Cardholder's signature: _____

Mail form with payment to: **Maine Crafts Association, PO Box 342 Gardiner, ME 04345**

Upon receipt of payment you will receive confirmation and reminder to email information and images for your webpage. Send your updates, images, and other information to suzanne@mainecrafts.org

Individual Membership Overview Which Level is Right for Me?

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP \$100

Professional level membership is open to anyone and grants access to discounts, connections, and benefits for artists through MCA educational, marketing and networking events and activities. Professional Members receive a member directory listing with contact and bio info and three images. This level is REQUIRED for everyone with work for sale at the Center for Maine Craft and/or Maine Craft Portland (unless you qualify for the retail level).

PARTNERS PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP \$150

A Partners Professional Membership has the same benefits as the Professional Membership and is available for partners working in the same business or practice. (This was formally called a COUPLES membership and was available to couples with different businesses/practices, which is no longer the case).

EMERGING PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP \$50

Emerging Professional Membership has the same benefits as the Professional Membership but reserved for early-in-career artists; for one year only.

BASIC MEMBERSHIP \$50

MCA's Basic Membership offers connections to the MCA and craft community through communication, discounts and access to programming, but at a lower level than the Professional Levels. Basic members can upgrade to the Professional level at any point during the year if needed. (Please note that a Professional Level membership is required to participate in some programs & opportunities)

RETAIL MEMBERSHIP \$25

Retail Membership is required from, and only available to Center for Maine Craft and/or Maine Craft Portland vendors of audio, video, cards, books, food (including pet) and personal care products.

PATRON MEMBERSHIP \$45

This membership level (*formerly called Customer Membership*) is for MCA supporters, patrons and customers. Members at this level support the MCA and benefit from a 15% discount on purchases at the Center for Maine Craft + Maine Craft Portland.

This membership is active for one year from purchase date.

GUILD LEVEL MEMBERSHIP \$150

New in 2020: This new juried membership level is only available to artists who have been approved through our show jury and live in Maine or within a town 10 miles of our state line. Guild Level Membership is required to participate in the MCA Guild Fine Craft Shows and includes all Professional Level Benefits.

PARTNERS GUILD LEVEL MEMBERSHIP \$200

A Partners Guild Level Membership has the same benefits as the Guild Level Membership and is available for partners working in the same business or practice.

MCA INSTITUTIONAL MEMBERSHIPS: \$100 – \$250

For: Craft related institutions, industries, business and organizations such as: craft galleries, craft retailers, craft suppliers, craft services, nonprofit organizations, schools and other businesses and institutions working with craft artists. Institutional members support the MCA's efforts and programming while receiving valuable and tangible benefits of being linked with the MCA.

LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP (not available for purchase)

This level is awarded to our Master Craft Artist Award Winners, and others, at the discretion of the MCA Board of Directors. In addition to award-specific benefits, it includes all benefits assigned to other membership levels.

For a complete overview of benefits and programming offered to MCA members, visit www.mainecrafts.org