



AUSTRALIAN SOCIETY OF EXPLORATION GEOPHYSICISTS

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Application for Active & Associate Membership 2024

INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLICANTS

1. Determine the membership level you wish to apply for, according to the eligibility criteria outlined in Section 2.
2. Fill out the application form. Note that applicants for Active Membership must nominate a proposer and a seconder who are Active Members of ASEG. Under exceptional circumstances the Federal Executive Committee may waive these requirements.
3. Submit the two pages of your application to the Secretariat at the address shown on the top of this page, retaining a copy for your own records. The Secretariat will generate an invoice for payment that includes payment instructions. The invoice will be sent electronically so please check your email inbox and spam folders.

Section 1. Personal Identification

Surname	Date of Birth	
Given Names	Title	
Address		
Country	State	Post Code
Organisation		
E-mail		
E-mail (alternate)		
Mobile	Phone (W)	Phone (H)

Section 2. Choice of Membership Grade (Active or Associate)

- ☐ Active Please complete all sections
- ☐ Associate Please complete all sections apart from Section 4 (Nominators)
- ☐ Graduate Please complete Active or Associate application and also check this box
- ☐ Student Please complete the separate Student Membership Application Form

Active – an applicant must be actively engaged in practising or teaching geophysics or a related scientific field. Conditions for Active Membership include a relevant academic qualification. Any person who does not have such qualifications, but who has been actively engaged in the relevant fields of interest of the Society for at least five years, shall also be eligible for Active Membership upon the discretion of the Federal Executive Committee.

Associate – an applicant must be actively interested in the objectives of the Society. Associate Members are automatically eligible for election to Active Membership after five years as an Associate Member.

Graduate – Active or Associate membership is subsidized by 50% for no more than two years after completion of studies. Members accepting the graduate grant are expected to contribute to society activities and publications with the goals of raising their profile in the society and showing ASEG's support of young professionals.

Student – an applicant must be a full-time graduate or undergraduate student in good standing, registered at a recognised university or institute and working towards a degree in geophysics or a related field. Eligibility for Student Membership shall terminate at the close of the calendar year in which the Student Member ceases their graduate or undergraduate studies. The duration of a Student Membership is limited to five years.

Section 3. Academic and Professional Qualifications

Month/Year (From – To)	Organisation/Institution	Position/Degree (incl. Major)	Professional Record Only: Years of Independent Work
Online Profile (eg LinkedIn, Google Scholar)		University/ Professional webpage	

Section 4. Nominators of Active Membership applicants must be ACTIVE Members of ASEG

Nominator	Name	Postal or e-mail address	Phone/Fax
Proposer			
Secunder			

Section 5. Membership of Other Societies

Australian:

☐ Aus IMM Grade _____ ☐ AIG Grade _____ ☐ GSA Grade _____ ☐ PESA Grade _____

International:

☐ AAPG Grade _____ ☐ EAGE Grade _____ ☐ SEG Grade _____ ☐ SPE Grade _____

☐ Others _____

Section 6. ASEG Member Record

Include me in the ASEG Member Search on the Secure Member Area of ASEG's Website (search is only available to current ASEG members who opt-in)

☐ Yes ☐ No

Please complete this section for the ASEG membership database.

Employment area:

☐ Industry ☐ Contract/ Service Provider ☐ Government ☐ Student
☐ Education ☐ Consulting ☐ Other _____

Type of Business:

☐ Oil/ Gas ☐ Ground Water/ Environmental ☐ Coal ☐ Survey/ Geotechnical/ Engineering
☐ Minerals ☐ Petrophysics/ Log Analysis ☐ Research/ Education ☐ Data Acquisition
☐ Solid Earth Geophysics ☐ Archaeology/ Marine Salvaging ☐ Computer/ Data Processing ☐ Other _____

Section 7. Membership Grades and Rates

<input type="checkbox"/> Active/Associate (Australia) - \$204.60 (incl GST)	<input type="checkbox"/> Active/Associate 3 Year Membership (Australia) - \$613.80 (incl GST)
<input type="checkbox"/> Active/Associate (Group IV Countries) - \$186.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Active/Associate 3 Year Membership (Group IV Countries) - \$558.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Active/Associate (Group III Countries) - \$55.80	<input type="checkbox"/> Active/Associate 3 Year Membership (Group III Countries) - \$167.40
<input type="checkbox"/> Active/Associate (Group I & II Countries) - \$20.50	<input type="checkbox"/> Active/Associate 3 Year Membership (Group I & II Countries) - \$61.50
<input type="checkbox"/> Associate-Graduate (Australia) - \$102.30 (incl GST)	

Section 8. Preview & Exploration Geophysics

The ASEG produces a magazine called Preview and a peer-reviewed journal called Exploration Geophysics. Please read and agree to the following in order to receive ASEG publications:

- 1) I grant permission for the ASEG to provide my email and postal address to the Taylor & Francis Group so that I can receive copies of the ASEG publications. Taylor & Francis will not use the member list for any purpose other than advertising and for distributing Exploration Geophysics and Preview.
- 2) I understand and agree that online access to Exploration Geophysics is for my private use and the articles shall not be made available to any other person, either as a loan or by sale, nor shall it be used to substitute for an existing or potential library or other subscription.
- 3) I understand and agree that Exploration Geophysics articles shall not be networked to any other site, nor posted to a library or public website, nor in any way used to substitute for an existing or potential library or other subscription.
- 4) I understand and agree that any member who is discovered by the publisher to be in breach of these conditions shall have their subscription access immediately terminated, and the publisher shall have the right to pursue recompense at its discretion from that member.

☐ Yes ☐ No

Preview is published bi-monthly and is available for open-access at www.aseg.org.au/publications/PVCurrent.

ASEG members can elect to have hardcopy Preview delivered to their nominated address (offer does not apply to Student members). In 2024, a fee rebate (approx 15%) is available to members who choose to not receive hardcopy Preview.

☐ Yes, I would like to receive hardcopy Preview ☐ No Preview hardcopy (apply the 2024 fee rebate)

Section 9. Promotional Opportunities

The ASEG provides opportunities for special category listings (eg. Consultants, Contractors) from the ASEG Internet Web Page.

- ☐ I (or my business) am interested in having a link from the ASEG Internet page. Rates will be advised when links are implemented. (Corporate and Corporate Plus Members get a complimentary link.)
- ☐ I (or my business) am interested in advertising in ASEG's publications.

Section 10. Declaration

I, _____ (name), agree for the Australian Society of Exploration Geophysicists to make all necessary enquiries concerning my application and suitability to become a Member. By lodging this Application and upon being accepted in my membership, I agree to be bound by the Constitution of the Australian Society of Exploration Geophysicists, including its ethical and professional standards.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

ASEG CODE OF ETHICS

Clause 4 of the Articles of Association of the ASEG states that "Membership of any class shall be contingent upon conformance with the established principles of professional ethics":

1. A member shall conduct all professional work in a spirit of fidelity towards clients and employees, fairness to employees, colleagues and contractors, and devotion to high ideals of personal integrity and professional responsibility.
2. A member shall treat as confidential all knowledge of the business affairs, geophysical or geological information, or technical processes of employers when their interests require secrecy and not disclose such confidential information without the consent of the client or employer.
3. A member shall inform a client or employer of any business connections, conflicts of interest, or affiliations, which might influence the member's judgement or impair the disinterested quality of the member's services.
4. A member shall accept financial or other compensation for a particular service from one source only, except with the full knowledge and consent of all interested parties.
5. A members shall refrain from associating with, or knowingly allow the use of his/her name, by an enterprise of questionable character.
6. A member shall advertise only in a manner consistent with the dignity of the profession, refrain from using any improper or questionable methods of soliciting professional work, and decline to accept compensation for work secured by such improper or questionable methods.
7. A membership shall refrain from using unfair means to win professional advancement, and avoid injuring unfairly or maliciously, directly or indirectly, another geophysicist's professional reputation, business or chances of employment.
8. A member shall give appropriate credit to any associate, subordinate or other person, who has contributed to work for which the member is responsible or whose work is subject to review.
9. In any public written or verbal comment, a member shall be careful to indicate whether the statements or assertions made therein represent facts, an opinion or a belief. In all such comments a member shall act only with propriety in criticising the ability, opinion or integrity of another geophysicists, person or organisation.
10. A member will endeavour to work continuously towards the improvement of his/her skills in geophysics and related disciplines, and share such knowledge with fellow geophysicists within the limitation of confidentiality.
11. A member will cooperate in building the geophysical profession by the exchange of knowledge, information and experience with fellow geophysicists and with students, and also by contributions to the goals of professional and learned societies, schools of applied science, and the technical press.
12. A member shall be interested in the welfare and safety of the general public, which may be affected by the work for which the member is responsible, or which may result from decisions or recommendations made by the member, and be ready to apply specialist knowledge, skill and training in the public behalf for the use and benefit of mankind.