

2009
Society for Photographic Education
Institutional Membership Application



Society for Photographic Education
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INSTITUTION INFORMATION

Institution Name _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Country _____
 Phone _____ Fax _____
 Website _____

PRIMARY INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP

Name _____
 Address _____
 City _____
 State _____ Zip _____ Country _____
 Phone _____ Fax _____
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Indicate your preferences:

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SPE's Annual Membership Directory & Resource Guide:

- Do NOT publish my name or contact information.
- Publish ONLY my name and email address.

PROFILE

CURRENT PROFESSIONAL STATUS

- Artist Historian Writer/Editor
- Administrator Collector Art Dealer
- Critic Curator Student
- Other:

EDUCATOR

- High School
- College/Univ.
- Retired

(PLEASE CHECK ONLY ONE BOX FOR EACH CATEGORY)

AREA OF PRIMARY SPECIALIZATION AS PHOTOGRAPHER

- Fine Arts Commercial Photojournalism
- Documentary Amateur Other:

EMPLOYMENT STATUS

- Full-Time Part-Time Self-Employed Unemployed

HIGHEST DEGREE EARNED

- HS BA BFA MA MFA PhD Other:

GENDER (optional) Male Female

ETHNICITY (optional)

- African American Hispanic Asian/Pacific Islander
- Native American Caucasian Multiracial

PAYMENT METHOD

- VISA
- MASTERCARD
- DISCOVER
- CHECK/MONEY ORDER

MEMBERSHIP TERM

- 1 year/\$400
- 2 years/\$750

CARD NO. _____

EXP ____/____/____ CVV2# _____ TOTAL _____ DATE _____

SIGNATURE _____

2nd INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP

Name _____
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Please send this form and your payment to: Society for Photographic Education, Institutional Memberships, 2530 Superior Avenue, #403 Cleveland, OH 44114 or fax with credit card information to 216/622-2712.

If you have any questions or would like additional information, please contact the SPE national office at 216/622-2733 or membership@spenational.org.

SPE Institutional Membership dues are for one calendar year, January through December.

2009 Society for Photographic Education

Institutional Membership Benefits

MEMBER INFORMATION

The **Society for Photographic Education** is a non-profit, membership organization that provides a forum for the discussion of photography and related media as a means of creative expression and cultural insight. Through its interdisciplinary programs, services, and publications, the society seeks to promote a wider public understanding of the medium in all its forms, and to foster the development of its practice, teaching, scholarship and criticism.

Founded in 1963, the society construes photographic education in the broadest sense, concerning itself with the practice and analysis of the medium both as art form and as an instrument of social consciousness.

In addition to teachers at nearly every academic level, our membership includes critics, curators, gallery directors, exhibition photographers, photojournalists and collectors. The society has an international presence as well, with representatives from different countries, on this continent and abroad.

PRINT AND INTERNET PRESENCE

Institutional Members receive a highlighted listing in the *Membership Directory & Resource Guide*. Institutional Members are also listed with a link on SPE's national website.

ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITIES

Institutional members get a \$25 discount for a single (web or print) job listing and a \$50 discount for a combined listing. For more information see the advertising details online or request additional information from advertising@spenational.org.

SPE MAILING LIST

Institutional members receive a complementary one time use of the SPE mailing list, a \$350 value (approx. 750 mailing addresses).

EXPOSURE

The society's acclaimed journal is the leading professional periodical exclusively devoted to the analysis and understanding of photography. For more than 30 years *exposure* has brought its readers a lively mix of scholarly insight, historical perspectives, critical dialogue, educational issues and reviews of contemporary photographic exhibitions and publications.

REGIONAL MEMBERSHIP

Eight regional organizations serving the special needs of their local constituencies flourish under the umbrella of the national society. These groups organize annual regional conferences each fall, creating a sense of community within every geographic area of the United States. Like the national conference, these programs range over a wide variety of topics and bring together SPE members in an arena of scholarly inquiry and fellowship. Many regional associations are active advocates and produce their own publications and newsletters.

WHY JOIN?

Becoming a member of SPE will enhance your contact to an international network of colleagues willing and able to provide technical assistance, teaching materials and other resources. Other benefits include information about job opportunities, SPE's publications, promotion and more.

INSTITUTIONAL MEMBER BENEFITS

A year's Institutional Membership in the Society for Photographic Education gives you:

- highlighted listing in *Membership Directory & Resource Guide* on Institutional Member's page
- listing with a link on SPE's national website
- one time use of the SPE mailing list
- (2) one-year individual regular memberships
- SPE newsletters (3 times/yr.)
- *Membership Directory & Resource Guide*
- membership in one of SPE's eight regional organizations
- SPE's critical journal, *exposure*
- discount rate for mailing list (approx. 700 mailing addresses)

Individual membership benefits include:

- annual *Membership Directory & Resource Guide*
- SPE newsletters
- SPE's critical journal, *exposure*
- national website and email announcements with job listings & resources
- discount for annual, four-day national conference
- membership in one of SPE's eight regional organizations with fall conferences
- participation in the Fine Print Collector's Program
- email updates and SPE news

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