

Seattle Professional Photographers Association ~ Since 1945

Membership Application New Renewal (membership year is 1/1 - 12/31)

Studio/Firm Name _____

Individual Name _____ Spouse Name _____

Business Phone _____ Home Phone _____

Business Address _____

Email Address _____ Website _____

Type of Photography (check all that apply) Commercial Portrait Wedding Fine Art Other _____

Year business established _____ May we publish your home phone in the directory or on our site? _____

Other Professional Memberships _____

Membership Classification and Yearly Dues

Active \$150 - Photographer that holds a limited Sales Tax Permit/Employee of Active Member/Faculty of accredited educational institution teaching photography – copy of sales tax permit/business license and portfolio of work must be presented to the Board - voting member, may use SPPA logo in promotions

Associate \$75 – Person with professional interest in photography but engaged in an occupation other than photography. OR employee of Active Member not qualifying for or desiring Active Membership - non-voting, may not use SPPA logo, does not qualify for merits or print competition.

Service Firm \$75 – Business that supplies goods and services to photographers - non-voting, may use SPPA logo

Service Associate \$50 – Person employed by Service Firm Member - non-voting, may not use SPPA logo

Student \$50 – Student preparing for photography career in a college or vocational school - non-voting, may not use SPPA logo

Name of School _____ Instructors name _____

Participation in a committee is required, indicate preference below

membership print competition marketing seminars education fundraising special projects

Make check payable to SPPA and mail with completed form to Gail Ann, 4507 Wildwood Pl., Seattle WA 98136

To use a credit card visit PayPal.com and send money to: info@seattleppa.com.

Code of Ethics – Each member and participant agrees to the following:

1. Strive at all times to upgrade and improve his knowledge and skill of professional photography, marketing and related areas.
2. In all dealings with users of photography and the general public, each member and participant of this Association shall:
 - a. Strive to present all photographic services in surroundings and in a manner reflecting the highest level of professionalism.
 - b. Strive at all times to produce photography and photographic services in accordance with the highest level of professionalism.
 - c. Deal with all users of photography and the general public with honesty and integrity.
 - d. Avoid using any marketing or competitive practice that violates any Federal Trade Commission, or other Federal or State regulatory agency rule or regulation, or Federal or State statute, or any decision of any Federal or State Court.
3. In all dealings with fellow professional photographers, students and others that aspire to be professional photographers, each member and participant of this Association shall share the knowledge and skill of professional photography.
4. Support efforts for and assist in the education of all interested persons and the general public in the art and science of professional photography.

Applicant signature _____ Date _____

Referred by _____

Administrative use only:

pmt received _____ portfolio review _____ bus. lic. _____ added to database _____ member # _____ headshot _____

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Website Renewal Form for 2010

Active Memberships ONLY.

Name: _____

Studio Name: _____

Studio Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Website: _____

email: _____

_____ YES! I want my FREE listing in the membership directory of our website
Each paid member is entitled to this free listing. It includes your name, phone number and link.

_____ Category Links are \$15 each; circle all that apply.

Weddings Seniors Pets Commercial Child/Madonna

Family/Children Special Events Sports/Team

Architecture Corporate Other: _____

_____ *Gallery Page: \$25 per year. Submit images to Gail Ann for uploading.*

_____ *NEW! Sponsor Ad \$50 year. Your ad will appear in the sidebar with a link to your site from our SPPA blog and website.*

The website will reflect your wishes upon **payment in full** to SPPA.
All monies go toward the maintenance and annual hosting fees, plus advertising the site in various places.
SPPA website will be updated once a month.

Return this form ASAP to Gail Ann fax: 206-935-5773 (voic/fax machine)
4507 Wildwood Place, Seattle, Wa 98136

Website coordinators: Gail Ann

How many merits did you earn this year?

We need to collect information regarding your credits. Please fill out this form and return with your renewal dues or you will lose your merits for 2009.

Degrees Offered

Fellow of Photography FP* 50 credits
 *FP must include at least 25 print merits and 15 service merits.
 Associate Fellow of Photography AFP 25 credits
 Photographic Business and Arts Degree Photog. ... B.A. 300 hours/credits

Name: _____

SERVICE MERITS

January 1 2009 - December 31, 2009

SPPA President (5 merits) _____
 SPPA Treasurer (4 merits) _____
 SPPA Secretary (4 merits) _____
 VP Communications (3 merits) _____
 VP Education (3 merits) _____
 VP Skills Development (3 merits) _____
 VP Membership (3 merits) _____
 VP Special Projects (3 merits) _____
 Parliamentarian (past President) (3 merits) _____
 News Letter Editor (5 merits) _____
 Webmaster (5 merits) _____
 Seminar Program Chairman (3 merits) _____
 Appointed Committee Head (2 merits) _____
 Appointed Working Committee Member (1 merit) _____
 Host a road show (1 merit) _____

EDUCATION MERITS (SPPA/PPW/PPA/WPPI APPROVED) LIST SEMINARS ON BACK

SPPA Program Speaker or Judge (max 2/yr) (1 merit) _____
 SPPA Full Day Program instructor (max 6/yr) (3 merits) _____
 Member speaking to SPPA or approved organization (1 merit) _____
 Attend week long approved school (2 merits)(35 hours) _____
 Attend approved day long seminar (1 merit)(6 hours) _____
 SPPA Membership 3 Consecutive Years (1 merit) _____
 Attend 8 SPPA functions a year (1 merit)(8 hours) _____
 Attend 3 Road shows in a given year (1 merit)(3 hours) _____

PRINT MERITS (SPPA Events ONLY)

Trophy Awards (2 merits)(Best of show)(Best of Category) _____
 Class Awards (1 merit) _____
 Merit Awards (1 merit) (75+) _____
 *Photographer of the Year (3 merits) _____
 *Portrait/Wedding/Collection/Open Winner (2 merits) _____
 *Enter monthly comp 5x (2 merits) _____