

Why Join OANO?

OANO Member Benefits:

(Benefits apply to every employee of an organization, including board members)

Regional & Web-Based Educational Seminars

OANO holds more than 50 educational programs each year covering a wide variety of topics such as fundraising, governance, and accountability. Members receive a discount on registration fees and some programs are free for members.

Public Policy Work

OANO successfully negotiated compromise legislation on financial accountability for private entities that receive public funding. Additionally, OANO secured an exemption for nonprofits from state taxes on unrelated business income. During the second half of 2006, OANO worked to serve as a voice for the sector on proposed rules from former Ohio Attorney General, Jim Petro. Finally, in 2007, OANO contributed input about the IRS' proposed changes to the Form 990.

Ohio Nonprofit News

This bi-monthly e-publication is for members only. The publication features stories on current issues impacting nonprofits, along with specials about OANO's members and upcoming events.

OANO Annual Conference

For the past 13 years, OANO has offered an annual conference for members to network with colleagues, attend multiple educational seminars, and hear from many well-respected statewide and national speakers, including a high-profile keynote speaker.

Standards for Excellence

The Standards for Excellence is an ethics and accountability code for Ohio's nonprofit sector. This program is designed to assist nonprofits in implementing best practices in nonprofit management. To that end, OANO offers educational seminars focused on the Standards (at a discount for members), educational resources packets on specific issues like fundraising practices or strategic planning (free for members), and one-on-one technical assistance is available for members only.

Ohio Nonprofit Excellence Award

The Award recognizes creativity, execution, achievement, and overall excellence of a specific project or program completed by an Ohio nonprofit. Award winners and finalists are recognized during a luncheon at the Ohio Statehouse.

Resource Library

OANO has a resource library with hundreds of publications covering all aspects of nonprofit operations. The library is listed on the OANO website: www.oano.org. Only OANO members are eligible to check books out of the library free of charge.

Member Discount Programs

OANO works with companies to provide members with discounts and savings on items such as worker's compensation and unemployment taxes.

OANO Job Board

OANO members can post their job openings on the OANO website under the Career Center page free of charge.



MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name of Organization _____
Contact Name / Title _____
Address _____
City / State / Zip _____
Telephone _____ **Fax** _____
E-mail _____ **Website** _____

Annual Operating Budget _____ **Number of Employees** _____

Annual Membership Dues *(from schedule below)* _____

DUES SCHEDULE

<i>501(c)(3) Nonprofit Organizations</i>	
<u>Annual Operating Budget</u>	<u>Dues</u>
Less than \$50,000	\$85
\$50,000 to \$99,999	\$125
\$100,000 to \$249,000	\$175
\$250,000 to \$499,999	\$250
\$500,000 to \$999,999	\$300
\$1 million to \$2,499,999	\$400
\$2.5 million to \$4,999,999	\$500
\$5 million to \$10 million	\$550
\$10 million or more	\$600
Associate Membership (For-profit companies)	
1-9 staff	\$350
10+ staff	\$750
Individual Membership (student, volunteer)	\$100

PAYMENT METHOD

- Check made payable to OANO**
- Credit Card** _____
(Visa & MC Only) **Account Number** _____ **Expiration Date** _____
Name on Card _____

For more information about membership terms or benefits please contact
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