



# The Southern Innkeepers Association

## Membership Application • [www.southerninnkeepers.org](http://www.southerninnkeepers.org)

### History

Founded in 1908, the Southern Innkeepers Association is proud to be the oldest lodging organization in the United States. Our goal is to promote interaction among professionals from the finest resorts in the southern states of North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia, Florida, Georgia, Mississippi, Alabama, Tennessee, the District of Columbia, Arkansas, Texas and Louisiana.

In 1919, the organization was formed “to bring about a better acquaintance among the men of the hotel profession.” Today our goal still is to promote interaction among innkeepers, both men and women, in the southern states. As a member of the Southern Innkeepers Association, you can be a part of this select group of Southern hoteliers who promote and believe in the hospitality industry.

### Membership

**Active Members (Hotel):** Active members of Southern Innkeepers are management officials of hospitality inns located within the geographic area of the above listed states and DC. Membership is by invitation and is limited to 125 total members. Applicants shall be nominated by a current active member and approved by a two-thirds vote of the Board of Directors. Active membership is \$400 annually, due January 1 of each year. Active members are entitled to all the privileges of membership including the right to hold office.

**Allied Members:** Allied membership is available to individuals supplying products and services to the inn-keeping industry. Allied members shall be nominated by a current active member, seconded by two current active members, and approved by a unanimous vote of the Board of Directors. Allied members receive all privileges of membership except the right to vote. Allied annual membership dues are \$500.

### Meetings

SIA’s family-friendly annual meetings are hosted by members’ properties. Members must attend at least one meeting every 4 years to maintain membership. Meetings are usually held Sunday-Wednesday in June and consist of great educational sessions, superb golf, fun outings and fine dining. Sponsorship is available for interested members.

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| Applicant’s Name: _____                                                    | Title: _____                         |
| Property/Company: _____                                                    | Type of Business: _____              |
| Address: _____                                                             |                                      |
| City: _____                                                                | State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____ |
| Email: _____                                                               | Nominated By: _____                  |
| <b>Select Payment Method (circle):</b> Visa    MasterCard    AMEX    Check |                                      |
| Cardholder: _____                                                          |                                      |
| Card Number: _____                                                         | Expiration Date: _____               |
| Or Check Number: _____ (Please make checks payable to SIA)                 |                                      |
| Total Amount Enclosed: _____                                               |                                      |

Active Member - \$400.00                       Allied Member - \$500.00  
(Please note: Your membership expires Dec 31. Look for a renewal invoice in the mail 1 month prior.)

*New member applications will be formally approved by the Board of Directors at the annual meeting. All members must attend 1 meeting every 4 years or membership will be terminated.*

### Return this application and payment to:

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