

Membership Application Form

Your full name:

Postal address:

Town:  State:  P/code:

Email:

Phone: (W)  (H)

Mobile:  DOB:

Employer:

Membership Level:

Voting member  Associate member

Associate member (Young Professional)  
(See Membership Grades inside)

Student member; Expected grad. Year:

Course:  Being completed at:

I would like to upgrade to:

Documentation: I have attached:

A copy of my educational qualifications & a summary of my forestry experience/interests

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Payment by:  Cheque (enclosed)  Credit card:

Name on card:

Card number:

Expiry:  /  Amount \$

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Declaration:

I declare the above details to be correct and that I agree to be bound by the Memorandum & Articles of Association and Regulations of the Institute. (A copy of these documents is available on the IFA website at: [www.forestry.org.au](http://www.forestry.org.au))

Signature:  Date:

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Get active at the IFA conference and field trips

Be involved in the decisions



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# About IFA

The Institute of Foresters of Australia (IFA) is a professional body engaged in all branches of forest management and conservation in Australia.

The Institute is strongly committed to the principles of sustainable forest management and the processes and practices which translate these principles into outcomes.

Our membership represents all segments of the forestry profession, including public and private practitioners engaged in many aspects of forestry, nature conservation, resource and land management, research, administration and education.

Membership with us is not restricted to professional Foresters. Other persons associated with or interested in the area of forestry are welcome to join IFA!

# Membership Benefits

The many benefits of being a Member of the IFA include:

- Employment vacancy notices
- Regular email Bulletins
- *Australian Forestry* - our own scientific journal
- *The Forester* quarterly newsletter
- Accreditation as a Registered Professional Forester
- Professional recognition, including our prestigious N.W. Jolly Medal award
- Access to scholarships, grants and professional development awards
- Field days focusing on forestry issues
- Professional conferences
- Locally based meetings and activities
- Student work placement notices



**The current fee schedule is available on the IFA website or by contacting the National Office by Phone: 02-62813992 or Email: [ifa@forestry.org.au](mailto:ifa@forestry.org.au).**

## Did you know?

A member is eligible for a heavily discounted Young Professional (YP) rate for the first three years following their graduation from their first undergraduate forestry or forestry related degree.

New Student members are given the first 12 months membership FREE.

Current Voting and Associate members returning to full-time study can apply for a student concession at any time during their membership with the IFA.

The IFA offers a 50% 'Retired forester' discounted rate for members who are 65 + and retired from active paid work.

# Membership Grades

The admission membership grades of the IFA are:

- Voting member
- Associate member
- Student member

## VOTING MEMBER

You are eligible for Voting membership if you:

1. Hold a tertiary degree qualification in forestry recognised by the Institute together with at least two years appropriate forest management or forest science experience and can demonstrate knowledge of and/or skills in the core subjects of Australian forestry

Or

2. Hold any other tertiary qualification or other relevant experience acceptable to the Institute together with at least four years appropriate forest management or forest science experience and can demonstrate knowledge of and/or skills in the core subjects of Australian forestry.

Persons holding forestry qualifications of Diploma, Associate Diploma or Certificate IV will be eligible providing they meet the following forest management or forest science experience:

Diploma = 6 years, Associate Diploma = 8 years and Certificate IV = 10 years.

## ASSOCIATE MEMBER

You are eligible for Associate membership if you:

1. Have an interest in forestry

Or

2. Have other relevant experience in forestry

## STUDENT MEMBER

You are eligible for Student membership if you are attending as a full time student in your first undergraduate formal course of forestry related study at any University or Tertiary institution recognised by the IFA.

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