

Become a Member of ACGC

As a coalition, ACGC primary mandate is to be a platform for members to network, learn, and advocate on issues of concern to member organizations. ACGC welcomes a variety of member organizations, including international development organizations, faith-based organizations, service clubs, educational institutions, public school boards, charitable foundations, and not-for-profits dedicated to the mission and mandate of ACGC, and committed to ACGC's Code of Ethics. Individual members of ACGC are also welcomed, with the main limitation being individual members cannot vote or hold positions on ACGC's Board of Directors.

ACGC currently has over 70 organizational and individual organizations, committed to working together through ACGC on matters related to international development and global citizenship in Alberta, Canada, and across the Globe.

Benefits of Individual Membership

There are many benefits to becoming an individual member of ACGC.

Information Sharing

- Receive ACGC's bi-weekly e-bulletin
- Receive ACGC's quarterly Connect newsletter and participate in the quarterly member update webinar
- Receive timely information from partners and various levels of government, including updates from Global Affairs Canada

Policy and Advocacy

- Be represented on policy issues to the municipal, provincial, and federal governments, including Global Affairs Canada;
- Be represented and participate in discussions with the Inter-Council Network (ICN) and the Canadian Council for International Cooperation (CCIC);
- Participate in round-table discussions, consultations, surveys and in the development of position papers on pressing policy issues

Capacity Building

- Participate in capacity building workshops and public engagement events, with FREE registration or member discount;
- Network and build relationships with individuals and organizations within and outside of the sector;
- Mentor, learn or partner with other organizations within the sector;
- Participate in ACGC's Annual General Meeting and bring forward motions of interest;
- Participate on ACGC committees;
- Access tools, resources and sample policies;
- Rent ACGC equipment and office space (e.g. LCD projector, easels, catering supplies, art supplies);

Individual Membership Fees

ACGC works to develop the capacity of Albertan NGOs through a variety of means, and recognizes that individual have different capabilities and different needs. If you are considering applying for a membership and the membership fee is an obstacle for you, please contact ACGC and we will work to find a solution together. When becoming a member, you have the option of a 1-year or 3-year membership, and the fees are based on the sliding scale below. By choosing a 3-year membership, you will be exempt from any membership fee increases for the duration of your membership term.

Categories	Fees for 1 Year	Fees for 3 Years
Student and Low-income	\$20	\$50
Regular	\$35	\$90

Membership fees for the upcoming fiscal year (April 1 - March 31) are due on April 1st of each year. ACGC gladly welcomes members at any time throughout the year and can determine prorated membership fees.

Members are also asked to read and agree to our [Code of Ethics](#). A copy can be downloaded for your review on our website.

If you have any questions, and to join ACGC or to renew membership, please contact membership@acgc.ca or call the office at 780.988.0200.

Membership applications can be sent to ACGC along with fee payment to

ACGC
#205, 10816A – 82 Avenue
Edmonton, Alberta, Canada
T6E 2B3

ACGC Application Form Individual Membership

Date : _____

Part 1: Contact Information

Name: _____

Affiliation (if
applicable): _____

Mailing Address: _____

Telephone: () _____

Website or Twitter: _____

Email: _____

***Please contact ACGC immediately if any contact information changes.**

Part 2: Working Together

In what ways would you like to benefit from membership in ACGC?

In what ways do you see yourself contributing to ACGC?

Would you be interested in exploring opportunities to volunteer on ACGC committees?

Yes Not at this time

If yes, please indicate which ones may be of interest:

Nominations Public Engagement Fund Diversification Membership Policy

Part 3: Code of Ethics

In becoming a member of ACGC, members must agree to abide by the ACGC Code of Ethics, adapted from the Canadian Council for International Cooperation, and to promote ethical behaviour within our organization. To view the ACGC Code of Ethics, visit http://www.ccic.ca/about/ethics_e.php and check the box below to indicate that you will adhere to the Code of Ethics.

I will abide by the ACGC Code of Ethics.

Part 4: Membership Fees

Membership fees are based on the scale below. The fee is due by **April 1** of each year.

Please select one:

Organizational Membership	1 year	3 year
Annual budget under \$100,000	\$125 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$320 <input type="checkbox"/>
Annual budget \$100,000 - \$500,000	\$300 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$765 <input type="checkbox"/>
Annual budget over \$500,000	\$500 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$1,275 <input type="checkbox"/>
Individual Membership	1 year	3 year
Student/Low-income	\$20 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$50 <input type="checkbox"/>
Regular	\$35 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$90 <input type="checkbox"/>

Total Due: \$ _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Please enclose a cheque or money order to **Alberta Council for Global Cooperation**. Contact 780.988.0200 or membership@acgc.ca with any questions or concerns.

Please send this form with fee payment to:

**Alberta Council for Global Cooperation
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Edmonton, Alberta T6E 2B3**