

## **Membership Application**

## 1. Applicant Information

First Name	Last Name		
Organization/Company	Title		
Preferred Mailing Address			
City State/P	rovince Z	p/Postal Code Country	
Work Phone Cell Phone		Birthdate (MM/YYYY)	
Email Address (Work) Email A	ddress (Personal)		
2. Membership Options	Donate!		
All prices effective through 6/30/2022. Payment to be made in US dollars. Price includes one year dues plus chapter membership.	Make a donation to help support SWANA's Young Professional Initiative and Student Solid Waste Design Competition.		
Private Sector Individual Member\$418 Employee of a for-profit organization that furnishes goods or services	\$20		
Small Business Individual Member\$295 Employee of private company with 10 or fewer employees or annual gross revenue of less than \$10mm	3. Payment Information  Amount Due \$  Check (Made payable to SWANA)		
Public Sector Individual Member\$223 Employee of a public agency or a non-profit or tax-exempt organization	□ VISA □ AM	1EX MC Discover	
International Member\$150 Reside outside of the United States, Canada or US	Card Number  Exp. Date	CVV	
Territories  Public Private Small Business	Exp. Date	CVV	
Young Professional Member\$100 First year rate for members who are 35 years of age or younger. Birthdate (above) is REQUIRED	Please print name as it appears on card		
Public Private Small Business	Signature		
Retired Member\$82 Retired from service (ended full-time employment) in the field of solid waste management.	Mail: SWANA Attn: Membership Department 1100 Wayne Ave., Suite 650		
Full-time StudentFREE Undergrad or graduate can join at swana.org	Silver Spring, MD Fax: 301-589-7068		

## 4. Technical Division First selection is free of charge. Each additional \$45. Collection & Transfer Communication, Education, & Marketing Landfill Gas Management ☐ Landfill Management ☐ Planning & Management Sustainable Materials Management ☐ Waste Conversion & Energy Recovery □ N/A 5. Demographics Select the function which best describes your role: ☐ Elected Official ☐ Engineering/Maintenance Manager ☐ Executive Director (CEO/Pres/VP/Owner/ General Mgr) ☐ Municipal Consultant/Consulting Engineer ☐ Sales/Marketing Manager Solid Waste Ops Plant Facility Manager/ Project Director Other Select your areas of interest (check all that apply): Recycling & Compost Collection & Transfer Safety Communication, Education & Marketing Special Waste Landfill Sustainable Materials Landfill Gas ☐ Waste-to-Energy Planning & Mgmt "When you are new to the industry, that access to other people doing similar things is so important to build that network and to find out who else is working on it to share ideas and collaborate. That's the best thing about SWANA, it's the relationships."

Karen Storry Metro Vancouver SW Services

"It's the relationships from the time I started at the local level in North Carolina and also at the national level. It's helped me connect with people across the states and Canada."

Michael Brinchek Smith Gardner, Inc.

Visit swana.org for more information or to join online!

## What Does SWANA Provide?

With a growing network of over 10,000 members in 47 chapters throughout the United States and Canada, the Solid Waste Association of North America (SWANA) is the go-to source for the most up-to-date information for professionals in the solid waste and recycling industry.

**CONNECT TO OTHER PROFESSIONALS** on industry specialties, local events, policy changes, best practices, and much more.

- SWANA Chapters—Chapters provide local networking opportunities, have their own newsletters, websites, host local tours and events, provide training opportunities, and advise local officials on behalf of the profession.
- Technical Divisions—TDs bring together some of the best minds in seven different fields of solid waste management, each with their own educational opportunities, events, and newsletters for up-to-date information in your specialty.
- Members-Only Private Social Network, MySWANA —Includes discussion forums, online membership directory, and online networking communities.
- Conferences—SWANA's Road to Zero Waste, Landfill Symposium, Landfill Gas and Biogas Symposium and other affiliate industry organizations programs are collectively known as SWANApalooza, held in the spring. WASTECON®, held annually in the fall, is the only solid waste conference that is run by and for solid waste professionals, bringing thousands of members together for technical sessions, training, and networking opportunities.

**UTILIZE KEY RESOURCES** for more efficient operations, innovative ideas, Professional service directory, and enhanced communications.

- I AM SWANA News <u>bi-weekly</u> e-newsletter keeps you informed of all things SWANA.
- MSW Management, SWANA's official bi-monthly magazine, explores the latest industry trends. FREE for SWANA members.
- SWANA's eLibrary houses over 3,000 documents, presentations, and videos.
- SWANA's Professional Service Directory lets you put your company in front of more than 10,000 pairs of eyes. With them and over 18,000 active monthly users on SWANA.org—your business is sure to get noticed here.
- Advocacy for the issues you're concerned about through legislative action and access to the Applied Research Foundation (ARF) reports.

**ADVANCE YOUR CAREER** and expand your horizons both personally and professionally with some of the industry's most experienced solid waste experts and innovative leaders.

- MentorMatch, SWANA's online professional development program can be found on MySWANA.
- Leadership positions and program development opportunities on any one of SWANA's many committees.
- SWANA Career Center, the premier electronic recruitment and job search resource for solid waste professionals.
- Training Sessions, eLearning and Certification courses at discounted prices for SWANA members looking to set themselves apart through our highly recognized credentialing programs.