

# CAWIC Membership Benefits and Fees

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## Why join CAWIC? Here's why!

### **CAWIC Provides Networking Opportunities:**

CAWIC offers its members the opportunity to network with their peers, promote their business and gain support through networking with other women in the construction industry.

### **CAWIC Shares Knowledge and Ideas:**

CAWIC's membership represents a wide range of occupations within the construction industry. Our events offer unique networking opportunities, giving members and guests the opportunity to expand their knowledge and skills and develop a strong communication network with other members.

Membership provides valuable recognition for organizations who promote the success of women in the construction industry. Our website and newsletter aim to keep members up-to-date on industry news. Corporate members are entitled to have their logo and a website link posted on the CAWIC website.

Our Membership Directory is a valuable source of information and contacts throughout the construction industry.

Membership also provides access to members-only events and on-line information.

### **CAWIC Gives Back:**

A core component of CAWIC's mandate is awarding bursaries to young women enrolled in construction related programs. By providing this support, we are promoting the construction industry as a challenging and rewarding career choice.

CAWIC understands the importance in community involvement. Whether by raising funds for the construction of the YWCA's Bergamot House, a complex for women-led households, or supporting Habitat for Humanity's Women Build, CAWIC believes in giving back.

Mentorship is an important component of success in any organization. CAWIC continues its efforts to build its Mentorship Program to provide incoming and existing members with key links to contacts, information and opportunities in construction.

### **CAWIC Is Diverse:**

Our membership spans all areas of the construction industry: heavy and building construction, trades, design, architecture and engineering, real estate development, environmental protection, project management and related services such as the insurance industry, the legal profession, education and many more.

### **CAWIC Partners with the Industry:**

CAWIC has entered into a strategic partnership with BILD (the GTA Building and Land Development Association) which provides our membership with powerful opportunities in furtherance of our core objectives.

CAWIC regularly seeks out and enters into mutually beneficial arrangements in order to better serve our members and to fulfill our core objectives such as with Habitat for Humanity Women Build, women's work wear, accommodation and other targeted benefits for our members.

### **CAWIC Subscribes to Social Media:**

CAWIC is presnet on Twitter, Facebook, Google and LinkedIn, serving our Membership in the individual's most convenient forum.

**CAWIC Offers A Variety Of Membership Types To Suit Your Needs:**

All memberships will commence upon processing of application and will be valid for one (1) calendar year from the date of acceptance. Members receive a renewal notice via email prior to renewal date.

**Individual Membership - \$150.00 per year**

*With this membership, CAWIC offers women the opportunity to network with peers, promote their businesses and gain support through the experiences of other women.*

Open to women who are, or have been, actively employed in the construction industry or construction related services. Membership belongs to the individual and is non-transferable.

Membership includes subscription to the CAWIC Newsletter, discounts at selected hotels, products and services, mentoring, members-only functions, listing in the online membership directory, free resume posting, unlimited networking opportunities, members-only access to on-line information through the CAWIC website, reduced fees at CAWIC events, voting privileges, and more.

**Corporate Bundle Membership - \$625.00 per year includes up to 3 members; additional employee members \$100.00 each per year.**

*Corporate Membership provides businesses and organizations with the right exposure to position them at the forefront of the industry and with the opportunity to demonstrate their support of women in construction.*

It is open to companies and organizations that are involved in the construction industry or related services. Membership belongs to the company listed and is non-transferable. In addition to the first 3 employee members additional employees may be registered separately at an additional \$100.00 each. The Primary Member can remove, add, or change the names in the Corporate Membership. Voting privileges are given to each member.

Membership includes subscription to the CAWIC Newsletter, discounts at selected hotels, products and services, mentoring, members-only functions, listing in the online membership directory, free job postings, company logo, company profile and website link posted on the CAWIC website, reduced fees for CAWIC events, unlimited networking opportunities, access to the members-only pages of the CAWIC website, voting privileges and more.

**Student Membership - \$40 per year**

*Student membership is the perfect way for women to get a head start with their chosen career path. Our events offer the opportunity for networking, with other women in the industry, learning opportunities, and support.*

Open to female students enrolled in vocational education programs and construction related programs at colleges or universities. Student memberships are non-transferable and student members cannot vote or hold office.

Membership includes subscription to the CAWIC Newsletter, special discounts at selected hotels, products and services, mentoring, members-only functions, listing in the online membership directory, free resume posting, reduced fees for CAWIC events, unlimited networking opportunities, and access to members-only pages of the CAWIC website.

**Affiliate Membership - \$75 per year**

*Affiliate members support CAWIC's core objectives and may not necessarily be in the construction industry.*

Open to individuals/organizations who are not in the construction industry, but whose activities indirectly support the goals and objectives of CAWIC. Affiliate memberships are non-transferable and affiliate members cannot vote or hold office.

Membership includes subscription to the CAWIC Newsletter, special discounts at selected hotels, products and services, reduced fees for CAWIC events, members-only functions, listing in the online membership directory, unlimited networking opportunities, and access to members-only pages of the CAWIC website.

Any questions regarding membership can be directed to the CAWIC Membership Committee via e-mail at [membership@cawic.ca](mailto:membership@cawic.ca)