



Criteria for Corporate & Organisation Platinum Members

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Introduction

A Platinum member is considered to be a company or organisation that wishes to take a highly active role and broadly be involved in the Association's activities.

Corporate and Organisation Platinum members are considered to be the highest level of membership available within the Association and will be limited to a maximum of 15 members in each category at any one time.

Category

Corporate Platinum

A Corporate Platinum member is a company or entity that directly provides commercial products or services in the area of fire protection or safety. A Corporate Platinum member is bound by the Association's Code of Practice and will be generally listed for the products or services they provide under the "Provider of Choice" section of the Association's website.

Organisation Platinum

An Organisation Platinum member is a company or entity that generally does not directly provide fire protection products or services, but has an interest in the fire protection industry. An Organisation Platinum member can also be an end user, institutional body, sponsor, federal or local government or any other organisation that does not wish to be listed on the Association's website under the "Provider of Choice" section. A separate section of the website will be established to support all members in the Organisation category.

An Organisational Platinum member is bound by the Association's Code of Ethics.

Platinum Membership Requirements

To be eligible for either category of Platinum membership the following conditions are required to be met.

- An expression of interest must be submitted to the Board of Directors for consideration.
- Corporate Platinum - A member of the Association for a minimum of three years and held Gold or Silver Corporate level membership for a minimum of two years.
- Organisation Platinum – no minimum period of membership required, however cannot qualify for Corporate Platinum level unless the minimum membership terms are served.
- Must reasonably participate in activities and programs of the Association. This includes conferences, exhibitions, seminars, workshops, all membership group structures and editorial articles.
- Platinum membership will be granted for a period of two years and reviewed by the Board of Directors at the end of this period.
- Platinum members must comply with all other terms and conditions as determined in the membership application and set out in the Association's Code of Practice and Code of Ethics.

Pricing Structure

Category	Total Number of Employees	TOTAL
Corporate and Organisation Platinum	Up to 24	\$ 10,400.00
	25 to 74	\$ 15,600.00
	75 to 249	\$ 19,550.00
	250 +	\$ 32,500.00

Platinum Member Benefits

There is a significant range of benefits and value added services that are exclusive to Platinum members, this includes but is not limited to:

- Free use of FPA Australia national office board and training rooms (via booking)
- Website listing – Platinum members logos appear on all pages of FPA Australia’s websites as well as being prioritised first in the provider of choice search function
- Special promotion in the FireTalk newsletter and a tower advertisement in the FireSignals electronic newsletter

To view the full listing of Platinum membership benefits please view the FPA Australia Profile found at www.fpaa.com.au/membership/benefits.

In principle the Association will endeavour to support Platinum membership with a range of benefits that helps recognise the high level of contribution of the member.

To be considered for Platinum membership please call Scott Williams, Chief Executive Officer of FPA Australia on 03 8892 3131 or submit a letter of interest and company profile by email to scott.williams@fpaa.com.au.

All expressions of interest for Platinum membership are given due consideration by the FPA Australia Board of Directors.