



New Member Information Pack

Thank you for your interest in joining the Settlement Council of Australia (SCOA). Membership of SCOA is open to organisations that provide settlement services.

There are two types of membership:

Full Membership

Full membership is open to all organisations whose major role is to provide direct settlement service delivery.

Being a full member of SCOA entitles you to:

- Vote at SCOA General Meetings, and to nominate a representative of the organisation for membership of the SCOA National Executive
- Inform the development of SCOA's policies and positions
- Receive free copies of all SCOA's reports and submissions
- Receive a regular newsletter
- Receive updates on policy, events and other things of interest to the settlement sector
- Discounts at SCOA run events including national conferences

Associate Membership

Associate membership is open to other relevant organisations that share the objectives of SCOA. Being an Associate Member entitles you to many of the benefits of Full Members, but Associate Members cannot vote at General Meetings or nominate a representative for membership of the National Executive, nor are they eligible for conference discounts.

Membership Fees

The following membership fees apply for 2016/2017.

Income level	Full Member Fee (Incl GST)	Assoc. Member Fee (Inc GST)
Income less than \$100 000	\$121	\$61
Income of \$100 001 to \$500 000	\$242	\$121
Income of \$500 001 to \$1 million	\$424	\$212
Income of \$1 million to \$5 million	\$605	\$303
Income of \$5 million to \$10 million	\$1 210	\$605
Income of \$10 million plus	\$2 420	\$1 210



NEW MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name of organisation:	
You must provide names of two delegates (if only 1 delegate can be provided indicate why)	
Name of delegate 1 (to receive all SCOA correspondence):	
Delegate's job title:	
Delegate's email:	Delegate's direct phone:
Name of delegate 2 (alternative contact):	
Delegate's job title:	
Delegate's email:	Delegate's direct phone:
Name of CEO:	
CEO's email:	CEO's phone:
Organisation's postal address:	
Organisation's Street Address:	
Organisation's Phone:	Fax:
Organisation's Email:	Website:
ABN:	
Please briefly describe the settlement services your organisation provides:	
Does your organisation currently receive funding from DSS to provide settlement services?	
Please describe the way your organisation is governed and how members of the community(s) you work with are involved in decision making in the organisation:	

New Membership:

We wish to apply for the following type of membership:

Full Member

Associate Member

Member organisations are listed on the SCOA website. Do you agree to have your organisation listed on the SCOA website?

Yes

No

Applications for new membership are to include:

- **The completed application form**
- **A letter expressing your interest in membership of SCOA, written by the organisation's management committee and on the organisation's letterhead**
- **A copy of the organisation's Constitution and/or Rules**

Your membership application will be discussed by the SCOA National Executive at the monthly SCOA executive meeting. Please do not send any money with your membership application. We will contact you after your application has been considered. SCOA has revised its membership fees on a sliding scale for the purpose of equity to enable smaller organisations to also have a voice at the national level.

Please identify your organisational membership fee by ticking one of the boxes on the attached sheet.

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Please send your application to one of the following:

Post: Suite 3a, 32 Thesiger Court, Deakin ACT

Email: anielap@scoa.org.au

If you would like further information regarding SCOA activities please contact your state's SCOA Executive Member or SCOA's Chairperson.

The current Executive Members are:

ACT	Dewani Bakkum Chair	(02) 6248-8577 ceo@marss.org.au
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