



PPA's Mission: Creating a vibrant community of successful professional photographers by providing education, resources and industry standards of excellence.

Membership Application for Retired Members
\*Retired memberships must be approved. You will be notified of your change in membership status after verification of eligibility.\*

Name PPA ID#
Studio/Company Name Web site
Address
City State Zip
Phone Email
Male Female Date of birth
Check here if you do not wish to receive information via mail from industry companies.
Check here if you do not wish to receive information via email on new products and services from carefully screened third parties.

Retired Membership: Retired Membership is available for PPA Professional Members who have been active members for at least 20 years before applying for Retired status. The applicant must be retired from the photographic industry and can no longer earn income in the industry. You may not own a photographic studio, maintain a website or advertise photographic services.

Annual Dues: \$88 PLEASE NOTE Retired members are not eligible to:
• Access Indemnification Trust
• Be listed in the Find-a-Photographer database
• Have Additional Associate members listed under their record

I attest to the fact that I am retired from the photographic industry and no longer earn income there from. Further, I have had a Professional Active membership with PPA for at least 20 years prior to this application for Retired membership. \*I am aware that if it is made known that I am engaging in the photographic industry as a professional photographer, my membership will be changed back to Professional Active membership and I will be responsible for Professional Active member dues.

Signature: Date:
(My signature on this document attests that all statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge.)

3. Demographic Information (BPA) - Please select from the list on the next page.

Your Organization Your Title

Payment (U.S. funds). Your signature indicates your agreement to abide by the PPA Code of Ethics.

TOTAL DUES Visa MasterCard AMEX Check made out to PPA

Account number Exp. date

Name on card Signature

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## PPA Code of Ethics

As a requirement for admission to and retention of membership and participation in this association, each member and participant shall agree to use the highest levels of professionalism, honesty and integrity in all relationships with colleagues, clients and the general public.

**Specialty Classifications.** What kind of photography do you do? Use the following list to complete the Specialty Classification section.

- Aerial
- Architectural
- Art Tech
- Black & White
- Commercial
- Digital Imaging
- Educator
- Evidence & Legal
- Fine Arts
- Freelance
- High School Seniors
- Industrial
- Nature
- Panoramic
- Pets
- Portraiture
- Special Events
- Sports
- Stock Photography
- Video Production
- Wedding Video
- Weddings

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\$17.50 of your dues is applied to *Professional Photographer* magazine and is not deductible from dues. Members receive both the print and digital version of the magazine each month. Payments or contributions to Professional Photographers of America, Inc., are not deductible as charitable contributions for Income Tax purposes. Payments may be deductible as an ordinary and necessary business expense if you are in a photography related business. Please consult your own tax advisor. Submission of this application indicates your agreement to follow and abide by the policies and procedures and the Code of Ethics of the Professional Photographers of America. Membership commences upon receipt of payment and is for one year. Dues subject to change.

**Information for Monthly Credit Card Option Applicants:** By submitting a monthly credit card option application, I understand that PPA will charge my credit card monthly. I understand that I will pay an additional \$1.00 per month for processing fees included in the dues amounts in this application. The monthly charge will appear on my credit card statements as PPA.com and the statement will act as a receipt. PPA will notify me of any dues or membership changes and will automatically renew my membership. I can at any time resign from PPA and stop charges being made to my credit card. Any payments made prior to that are nonrefundable. A resignation must be received in writing, fax or email. Emailed resignation must come from the email address contained in the member's record, include their name and PPA ID number. I agree to inform PPA of any changes made to my credit card, such as a change in my account number. If PPA is unable to successfully make a charge to my credit card, PPA will contact me to make any changes or corrections to my record. If PPA is unable to successfully process my monthly payment, my membership will be considered void, and I am required to pay the balance in full to reinstate my membership. PPA is not responsible for any overdraft or bank fees charged to the member if a debit card is used for membership dues payments.