



International Caterers Association

Welcome to the passionate caterers' network who share, learn, and support each other.

CATERER MEMBERS



Our Mission

The International Caterers Association (ICA) is a non-profit organization dedicated to providing education, mentoring and resources for professional caterers and promoting the profession of catering to clients, industry members, vendors and the public.

Our Goal

The International Caterers Association is dedicated to the education of the catering industry by supporting, promoting and improving all aspects of the catering business. The ICA pursues this goal by producing publications, seminars, workshops and demonstrations for trade and industry organizations throughout the year.

Our History

The foundation of the ICA was laid in 1981 when a visionary group of off-premise caterers founded the National Off-Premise Caterers Roundtable. The founders recognized the need for an industry association to facilitate the exchange of ideas and information. Later renamed the National Caterers Association and finally the International Caterers Association, the organization has grown in both size and scope to become an international force in the industry. Currently we have over 1,000 members throughout the world.

Member Profile

The International Caterers Association membership is comprised of both off-premise and on-premise caterers from around the globe. Our international focus reflects a worldwide approach to the industry and addresses the need to effectively educate caterers on a global level. Membership is open to all qualified caterers, chefs, students, event planners, bridal consultants, suppliers and industry vendors.

Be More Than a Member!

Being part of the ICA isn't just about taking advantage of great benefits, although that's a big part of it of course! It's also a chance to get involved and make a difference in your catering community.

Professional Recognition in your business community that demonstrates your commitment to excellence in the catering industry

Networking with Industry Experts through the **ICA Roundtable Facebook Group**: Catering professionals are available for interaction, to answer questions, brainstorm and problem solve together.

CATIE Awards Presented at Catersource: "Catered Arts Through Innovative Excellence" are awards that bestow international recognition for outstanding work in several categories.

The Art of Catering Food: An experience that will change your business! Join hundreds of catering chefs for a unique hands-on learning experience.

ICA Culinary Council & Mentorships: Your chef will enjoy membership in the Culinary Council which is comprised of a group of chefs united to support, promote, and educate the culinary aspect of the catering industry.

ICA e-blasts: A variety of ICA e-blasts throughout the year that will keep you up-to-date on trends and happenings in the catering world

A **library of online articles** featuring marketing tips, recipes, and great photos provide inspiration from international catering professionals

FREE Monthly Webinars that offer information on a number of topics vital to how we do business today

Energy Deregulation Program from Sprague Energy

Opportunities for Scholarships to Catersource and The Art of Catering Food

Culinary Learning Journeys

Discounts:

- Exclusive member-to-member discounts from ICA Vendor members on products or services located on the ICA Members Only section of the ICA website.
- Discounts on registration to Catersource
- Discounts on registration to The Art of Catering Food
- 10% Discount on ALL ServSafe Products including Food Safety Training, Allergens (Training & Alcohol Service)
- A discount on CATIE entry fees.

To become a member, please visit www.internationalcaterers.org.
For more information contact ICA headquarters at 410.931.8100.



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For motivated caterers, International Caterers Association is a resource that provides **Education**, encourages peer to peer **Relationships** and **Inspires** creativity while embracing all segments of the catering industry.

Caterer Membership Application

Company Name: _____

Primary Contact: Mr. Mrs. Ms. _____ Title: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State/Province: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Website: _____ E-mail: _____

Federal Tax ID No./Business No. _____ Today's Date _____

Type of Ownership (check all that apply):

- Corporation
- Franchise
- Limited Co.
- Partnership
- Sole Proprietor
- Other _____

Type of Caterer (check all that apply):

- Off-Premise**
- Social
 - Corporate
 - BBQ / Picnic
 - Other _____

- On-Premise**
- Hotel
 - Institutional
 - Club
 - Private Venue
 - Other _____

- Specialty**
- Restaurant
 - Kosher
 - Military
 - University
 - Other _____

Company Information:

Years in business _____ Number of Employees: Full Time _____ Part Time _____

Gross Sales Under \$250,000 \$250,000-\$1M \$1M - \$2.5M \$2.5 - \$5M Over \$5M

Please enclose a copy of your current business license and health department/sanitation certificate. ICA New Member Rates for new caterer members \$340

- CHECK or MONEY ORDER (Payable to: International Caterers Association)
- CREDIT CARD VISA Mastercard AMEX Discover

Credit Card Number: _____ Expiration Date: ____/____ Security Code: _____

Name (as it appears on card): _____ Signature: _____

Would you like to become more involved with the ICA by serving on a committee? If so, please indicate your area of interest:

To submit completed form via:

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