

ASHRAE MEMBERSHIP REFERENCE GUIDE 2020-2021

Grade/Type	Qualifications	Benefits	Age	Term	Annual Dues
<u>Member</u>	Members shall have the equivalent of 12 Society-approved years of experience composed of an approved combination of: (1) completed education beyond high school; (2) work experience*; and (3) professional engineering or related registration or license issued by a legally authorized body. *Qualifying work experience must be in the performance of duties in work related to ASHRAE fields and shall have included research, teaching, design, contracting, engineering sales, or engineering management.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Voting privileges • ASHRAE Journal • Insights • ASHRAE Handbook • High Performing Building eMagazine • Technology Portal • Science and Technology for the Built Environment • eNewsletters • Members only website privileges • Discounts on ASHRAE products and services • Individual insurance 	N/A	Annual	\$230
<u>Member Developing Economy</u>	Same as Member + resides in a country the World Bank designates as “Low Income” or “Lower Middle Income”	Same as Member <i>except</i> : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digital subscription to ASHRAE Journal only • Digital subscription to Insights only • ASHRAE Handbook in PDF only 	N/A	Annual	\$115
<u>Associate</u>	An Associate Member shall have experience in technical matters or in design, operation, or maintenance in HVAC&R fields; shall have an interest in the advancement of the Society's aims, and shall possess sufficient qualifications to cooperate with HVAC&R engineers in the advancement of the knowledge relating to HVAC&R engineering and its application.	Same as Member <i>except</i> : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cannot hold certain regional or Society positions. 	N/A	Annual	\$230

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<u>Associate Developing Economy</u>	Same as Associate + resides in a country the World Bank designates as “Low Income” or “Lower Middle Income”	Same as Associate <i>except</i> : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digital subscription to ASHRAE Journal only • Digital subscription to Insights only • ASHRAE Handbook in PDF only 	N/A	Annual	\$115
<u>Affiliate</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interest in the advancement of the Society's aims, and sufficient qualifications to cooperate with HVAC&R engineers in the advancement of the knowledge relating to HVAC&R engineering and its application. • Must be either: (1) under 30 years of age OR (2) honorably discharged from the Military within the past 5 years • Can only hold this grade for up to 3 cumulative years. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ASHRAE Journal • eNewsletters • Members only website privileges • Discounts on ASHRAE products and services • No voting privileges 	30 and younger (if not veteran)	Annual (limited to 3 years)	\$60 year one \$85 year two \$115 year three
<u>Affiliate Developing Economy</u>	Same as Affiliate + resides in a country the World Bank designates as “Low Income” or “Lower Middle Income”	Same as Affiliate <i>except</i> : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digital subscription to ASHRAE Journal only 	30 and younger (if not veteran)	Annual (limited to 3 years)	\$30 year one \$45 year two \$60 year three
<u>Student</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In approved course of study in Society-related field • Must be a full-time student 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ASHRAE Journal • Insights • eNewsletters • Discounts on ASHRAE products and services 	N/A	Annual	\$25

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<u>Student Developing Economy</u>	Same as Student + resides in a country the World Bank designates as “Low Income” or “Lower Middle Income”	Same as Student <i>except</i> : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digital ASHRAE Journal only • Digital Insights only 	N/A	Annual	\$15
<u>Student Transfer aka “SmartStart”</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be an active Student Member who has graduated 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Same as Associate 	N/A	Annual	Graduated dues: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1st year : \$25 • 2nd year: \$85 • 3rd year: \$115 • 4th year: \$230
<u>Student Transfer aka “SmartStart” Developing Economy</u>	Same as Student Transfer + resides in a country the World Bank designates as “Low Income” or “Lower Middle Income”	Same as Associate <i>except</i> : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digital subscription to ASHRAE Journal only • Digital subscription to Insights only • ASHRAE Handbook in pdf format only 	N/A	Annual	Graduated dues: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1st year : \$15 • 2nd year: \$45 • 3rd year: \$60 • 4th year: \$115
<u>Life Member</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good standing Member for >= 30 years • 65 years old 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rights and privileges of most recent membership grade 	At least 65 years of age	Life	None
<u>Retired</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Completely retired from active business participation • Member or Associate in good standing for >= 10 years • At least 55 years old 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ASHRAE Journal • Insights • Voting member 	At least 55 years of age	Annual	\$35
<u>Retired Developing Economy</u>	Same as Retired + resides in a country the World Bank designates as “Low Income” or “Lower Middle Income”	Same as Retired <i>except</i> : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Digital ASHRAE Journal only • Digital Insights only 	At least 55 years of age	Annual	\$20 Effective

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<u>Presidential</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Former president of Society 	Same as Member	N/A	Life	None
<u>Honorary</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • As decided by Board of Directors 				
<u>Fellow</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attain HVAC&R distinction • Make substantial contribution in HVAC&R • Good standing full Member >= 10 years • Elected by Board of Directors 	Same as Member	N/A	Life	\$230