



# IACA MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

## FOR CATEGORIES: MUSEUM, ASSOCIATE, SUSTAINING

### 1. **Museum:**

Open to any institution devoted to the traditional activities of museums. This category is NOT OPEN to retail shops located within museums as they are required to seek membership in the retail category.

### 2. **Associate:**

Open to organizations involved in the Indian arts and crafts industry that wish to support the goals and activities of IACA but do not meet the criteria of any other category.

### 3. **Sustaining:**

Open to individuals or businesses wishing to support the goals and activities of IACA but do not meet the criteria of any other category.

## WHAT ARE THE ADVANTAGES OF JOINING IACA?

1. The most valuable benefit of membership is identification with an international organization that symbolizes authenticity, quality and integrity in Native American arts and crafts.
2. Membership in IACA provides members with the satisfaction that they are helping preserve America's only truly indigenous art.
3. Acknowledgment in the IACA online Directory of Members. (To respect privacy, Collectors are listed only by name.)
4. Free copy of the IACA Journal published quarterly.
5. Free consultation with highly qualified members in area such as press releases, photographic design, legislation and marketing.
6. Free seminars in connection with its wholesale markets.
7. Opportunity to attend IACA Board meetings and express your concerns and views, or seek appointment or election to the Board.



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## PLEASE CHOOSE YOUR CATEGORY

MUSEUM: \$75     ASSOCIATE: \$105     SUSTAINING: \$130

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Institution/Organization Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address (Location) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Address (Mailing, if different) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Website \_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn about IACA? \_\_\_\_\_

Would you like to have your name listed in the IACA On-line Directory?     Yes     No

Would you like to volunteer for:     IACA Markets     Seminars     Office Support     Other events

Would you like to sponsor a member artist's:     dues     seminar fees     booth fees

A non-refundable application fee of **\$25.00** must accompany the application. The first year dues will be invoiced when the application is approved. (Foreign applicants, excluding Canada, add \$15.00 for shipping.)

### Method of Payment:

Check (made payable to IACA)     VISA     Mastercard     American Express     Discover

Credit Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Security # \_\_\_\_\_

## CODE OF ETHICS

I, as a member of the Indian Arts and Crafts Association, a national association of artists, retailers, wholesalers, museums, collectors and supporters concerned with the image and marketing of American Indian arts and crafts, agree to adhere to the following:

- to honestly represent American Indian arts and crafts as to nature and origin within the realm of my control and offer return privileges for articles found by the Indian Arts and Crafts Association to have been misrepresented by me;
- to abide by all federal, state, local and tribal laws pertaining to Indian Arts and Crafts, artifacts and natural resources;
- to abide by ethical business conduct regarding advertising, appraising, pricing and guarantees offered by me;
- to respect and support ethical business activities of all Indian Arts and Crafts Association members;
- to encourage consumer confidence in the authenticity of all articles identified with the IACA seal;
- to cooperate with the law enforcement agencies and the IACA in the investigation of crimes involving Indian arts and crafts and to promote proper identification of Indian arts and crafts.

I have read the IACA Code of Ethics and, with my signature below, agree to adhere to these principles. I understand that membership can be revoked if the Code of Ethics is not adhered to, subject to the action of the IACA Ethics Committee.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_